QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 1. QUINCY, MASS., FRIDAY, JANUARY 1, 1904. PRICE TWO CEN

City Government of Chicago Has Much to Answer For.

Scotchmen Hold Their Annual New Year's Ball.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON

Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

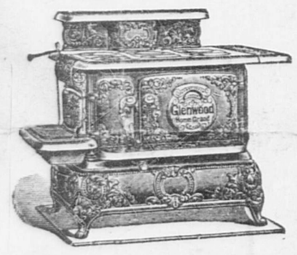
Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

Glenwood Ranges



The greatest baker on earth. Useless coal and do work quicker than any other range manufactured. Movable nickle rims, asbestos lined oven. Slide out grate, improved oven thermometer. Prices, $21.00 to $35 00.

Every range guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. A reasonable allowance for your old range, and a Glenwood on trial if you wish.

Time payments for those who wish.

Complete line of the famous Parlor Stoves.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.

New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store.

Hancock Street, Quincy

We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

10 cents.

LUCK

AT

PRATT'S,

Every Wednesday, 2 Packages 15 cts.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

EBEN HARDY,

Manufacturing OPTICIAN . .

of 21 Bromfield street, Boston, has opened a Jewelry and Optical store at 307 Newport avenue, Wollaston, opposite the depot.

Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silver Ware, Opera, Field and Marine Glasses.

Eyes examined and Glasses fitted. Broken Lenses matched and replaced in our own factory.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired by first-class workmen. All work guaranteed.

French Clocks called for and delivered. Send postal and we will call.

EBEN HARDY,

OPTICIAN,

310 Newport Ave., Wollaston.

Dec.18—1m

Eyes Examined

Glasses Fitted Correctly

Tuesday and Thursday Evenings.

L. J. LINCOLN,

The Reliable Optician,

1260 Hancock St., Quincy.

(Next to Shaw's new furniture store.)

Quincy, Dec. 28. tf

Hotel Greenleaf

Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.

Dining Room Strictly First Class.

MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.

Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

MISS SPEAR'S CLASSES

—SLOYD.—

Evening Class opens Mondays and Fridays. Taught by Mr. Charles Sampson, 7 to 9. Saturday mornings, 9 to 11.

C. FOLLETT SPEAR, Directress.

Piano, Voice and Harmony.

Quincy, Oct. 15. 3m

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN

DENTIST,

Opposite Post Office,

1355 Hancock St., Quincy.

Office Hours: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.

Jan. 31. tf

NEGLECT CHARGED

Theatre Management Could Have Averted Disaster

TWELVE ARRESTS MADE

An Assistant Stage Manager Is Charged With Manslaughter--Theatre Had No Sprinklers, No Proper Regulations For Exits, No Stage Fire Alarm, and Did Not Conform to Ordinances In Other Respects--Most Accurate Estimate of Number of Deaths Is 564

Chicago, Jan. 1.—For the first time since Chicago has possessed bells to peal, whistles to shriek, and horns to blow, the old year was allowed silently to take its place in history and the new year permitted to come with no evidence of joy at its birth.

In an official proclamation by Mayor Harrison, he made the suggestion that the usual new year's eve celebration be for this time omitted. The idea found a ready response in the hearts of the people and the mayor's words in fact only gave utterance to the unexpressed thoughts that had filled them all.

The appalling calamity in the Iroquois theatre has cast Chicago into the deepest grief and gloom and for the time being at least seems to have chilled and deadened all the ordinary ambitions of life. Business is performed with the sole view to actual necessity and even that much is carried out in a perfunctory manner.

For the second time in her life the city of Chicago has been stricken to the heart. Not only have many of her sons and daughters met death in a variety of horrible and torturing forms, but the blow has fallen almost as heavily upon the strangers within her gates. There is hardly a village or town within a radius of 100 miles of Chicago whose people are not directly or indirectly interested in the piles of dead or in the injured which fill the hospitals or in the fate of those who seem to have passed from human knowledge in the fact that it is believed they were in the illfated structure and of whom no word has since been heard.

The list of dead continues in the neighborhood of 560. It is generally accepted at this time that the most accurate estimate is 564. This number will be increased somewhat, as there are people in the hospitals who cannot survive for any length of time. It is believed, however, that the total number of dead will not in any event exceed 575. Including the missing, it is estimated that the total number of casualties at the present time is approximately 1000.

There are among the missing the names of many who are at their homes and of some who were not at the theatre at all. In the first excitement following the calamity these people were reported by their relatives as among the missing and numbers of them have since returned to their homes and no report of this fact has been made to police headquarters.

Their names, however, swell the list of the missing. When the names of the dead who are still to be identified have been subtracted from the list of the missing, it is probable that the extent of the catastrophe will be fully revealed.

TWELVE ARRESTS

An Assistant Stage Manager Is Charged With Manslaughter

Twelve employes of the Iroquois theatre were arrested last night on orders issued by Chief of Police O'Neill. The charge against them is at present that of being accessory to manslaughter. They will be held pending the verdict of the coroner's jury. The first batch of men arrested were William Carlon, stage manager; Edward Cummings, stage carpenter; Frank Jandrow, R. M. Cummings, E. Engle, Thomas McQueen and S. J. Masoni. The last five are stage hands and scene shifters.

After being taken into custody by the police, four of the men told Chief O'Neill that they had been requested by people connected with the theatre to leave the city. When asked who advised them to do this, they at first refused to say, but later admitted that the advice was given by Assistant Stage Manager Plunkett. They said they were about to follow Plunkett's advice

(Continued on Page 8.)

Watch Meeting.

Watch meeting services were held in all of the Swedish and Finnish churches Thursday night.

At the Swedish Lutheran the services were from 8 to 12 o'clock. There was an address by the pastor, Rev. John A. Bernhard, declamations by several of the members of the church, singing and refreshments. At midnight the bell was tolled and all united in prayer led by the pastor.

At the Swedish Congregational church on Garfield street there was a praise service, which closed with prayer at midnight.

At the Swedish Baptist church on Granite street there was also a service of prayer.

At the St. Paul's Methodist church on Fort street there was a service of prayer at midnight.

The Finnish Congregational church on Buckley street also held a service, continuing until 12:30 A.M.

Basket Ball.

There was some disappointment because the Dartmouth college basket ball team did not make its appearance at the Quincy Coliseum Thursday evening, but the management received information to late to announce new arrangements. There was a good game, however, as the Columbia A. A. team was matched against the Quincys and made them hustle for victory. The Quincys won 8 to 4. The Quincy, Jrs., were defeated by the Swampview Boat club 5 to 1. The Dartmouth team will come in Feburary.

First of Series.

The Social club of First church has been most successfully reorganized and starts the season with a membership of some two hundred. The object of the club is to bring the church people together socially and anyone in any way connected with the church is eligible for membership. Although intended for the church people, members are privileged to invite friends to attend the dances or entertainments, by the payment of admission for them, as is usual in all clubs. The course opens tonight with a dance at Faxon hall, from eight until twelve, with music by Daggett's orchestra.

Egypta Tonight.

The prices have been cut in half for the opera of Egypta tonight, and Quincy Music hall should be filled to overflowing. Trading stamps will not be given but no such inducement is necessary. Mr. Chenery the manager, who was unable to be present Tuesday evening because of a death in his family, and Mr. Stephens the musical director, are expected tonight and it should be the best production of three nights.

—Needlework pictures are attracting the attention of collectors. Lady Wolseley has a most interesting collection which includes some dating from the reign of Charles 1.

FULL BASKET

$1.00

FULL BASKET.

$2 00

Worth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.

9 DAYS' SALE

JANUARY 1--9.

4 Quarts Potatoes,	.01
2 lbs. Sugar,	.01
Can Tomatoes,	.01
500 Parlor Matches,	.01
12 Clothes Pins,	.01
Pkg. Ginger,	.01
6 Nutmegs,	.01
Bt.-Ammonia,	.10
1 Soap,	.05
1-2 lb. Mocha and Java Coffee,	.15
Pkg. Pop Corn,	.10
Pkg. Gelatine, Homestead,	.11
1-4 lb. Tea,	.15
Pkg. Cocoa Shells,	.07
Bag Salt,	.05
1 Scouring Soap,	.05
Box Blue, Sawyer's,	.04
1 Basket in which to carry all,	.06

$1.00

Each article shall be fresh and good and exactly as advertised.

Full Weight and Full Measure,

$2 00

Worth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.

V. E. MILLER,

CASH GROCER,

Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass.

WAS THEIR 24th.

The Melo-Dramatic Romance from Scott Presented.

The Heart of Mid-lothian.

Nearly One Hundred Couples in the Grand March.

In Quincy Music hall last night the members of Clan McGregor and their friends celebrated the passing of the old year and the advent of 1904 in a very enjoyable and enthusiastic manner.

The opening event was the performance, by the Clan Dramatic club, of the well known drama "The Heart of Midlothian" from Scott.

Jeannie Deans, the heroine, grief-stricken at the sentence of death passed upon her sister Effie for a crime which could not be proven but was the result of a villianous conspiracy, determined at all hazards to secure a pardon. From Edinburgh to London was five hundred miles and on that journey Jeannie set out on foot and alone, and after many trying experiences she reached the great city and was granted an audience with the Queen of England who interceded for the dauntless traveler and secured a pardon for the unfortunate Effie from the King.

Miss Maggie Esson played the part of the heroine, Jeannie Deans, with a dash and tenderness which showed her to have a power of acting and a conception of the character which would have done credit to a profressional.

The unfortunate Effie was ably presented by Miss Elizabeth Hyde. The balance of the cast necessary to the detail of the plot was well carried out.

Mr. John Troupe who acted as Staunton the villain proved himself equal to the heartless cruelty and relenting turns of mind which were features of that character.

Davie Deans, the father of Jeannie and Effie, who knew when to chastise and when to be indulgent, was well taken by Mr. William Taylor.

Reuben Butler, Jeannie Deans' ardent and faithful sweetheart, was acceptably filled by Alex Booth.

The Laird o' Dumbiedikes, the wit and "wecht" of the cast, was most efficiently performed by Mr. Alex Russell.

Mr. Robert Findlay acted the part of his grace, the Duke of Argyle, with all the ease and dignity required of the part.

Miss Cathryn H. Black made a very charming Queen of England. As Lady Suffolk, lady in waiting, Miss Helen C. Troupe was rightly placed.

Mrs. Christina Raleigh, as house keeper to the Laird O'Dumbiedikes was as bold and jealous as was possible in her position she got well merited applause.

Mr. Alex McGregor played well the part of the all knowing lawyer, and as Mrs. Sadletree, Miss Anna Glifford did good work.

Mr. D. T. Drummond as Black Frank the highwayman, was fierce and daring to satisfaction, while Mr. William Elrich, as Sharpitlaw, was equal to the work of the robber band which he represented.

Mr. John Wedderburn, Mr. Tom Raleigh and Mr. William Ridgeway all played the parts well.

Mrs. Jennie McKay as Mrs. Glass of the snuff shop, a widow of wiles and style, was very fetching.

Miss Agnes Hyde, of Weymouth, the guide and ruling spirit of the cast, very skilfully played the part of brain crazed Madge Wildfire

At eleven o'clock the grand march was announced and to the music of Marnock's orchestra Mr. John Troupe with Miss Florence Doherty of Cambridge, led the march, followed by nearly a hundred couples. Mr. John Troupe was floor director assisted by Mr. George M. Mavers. The aids were Mert McLeod, Norman Ross, Angus D. Martin, Alex Smith, John Wedderburn and William Pratt.

On the committee of arrangements were Alex Emslie, William Pratt, William Marshall, Angus D. Martin, Norman Ross, Mert McLeod, William Beattie, Alex M. Smith, George M. Mavers, John M. Troupe and Chief Alex Clark. John D. McKay was secretary.

The reception committee was Chief Alex Clark and William Beattie.

Among invited guests were Chief Alex McCurragh of Clan McDonald of Brockton, Past Grand Tanist James Drummond of Hyde Park, Tanist J. M. Balcum of Brockton, Mrs. Alfred Spargo, Past Noble Grand of Odd Ladies and Jeannie McDonald President of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Brockton.

At 4 A. M. a parting song was sung, and a happy good morning passed round by all who had been merry dancing the night long.

The event was a complete success, and redounds to the credit of Chief Clark, who was painstakingly watchful of his duties throughout, and to his staff of assistants.

If any went home without a first-class refreshment it was because they did not visit the dining rooms adjoining hall.

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,

DRUGGIST,

1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

EGYPTA! EGYPTA!

FINAL PERFORMANCE

MUSIC HALL,

TO-NIGHT.

WONDERFUL ORIENTAL OPERA. NEARLY 400 PARTICIPANTS

Cast includes leading soloists of Quincy and vicinity . . .

Under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. Proceeds to be used for furnishing New Building.

Tickets at Popular Prices, 25, 35, and 50 Cents.

Reserved Seats may be secured at the Music Hall Pharmacy

Doors open at 7.30. Performance at 8.

IF U WANT

BARGAINS IN

COTTON and WOOLEN REMNANTS,

Call at the new store,

47 Franklin Street, South Quincy, Mass.

Dec. 3. 1m

Don't Wait for It any Longer. 10 cents buys a package of

LUCK

AT

PRATT'S.

Every Wednesday, 2 Packages 15 cts

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.

JOHNSON & BROOKS

PROPRIETORS.

HENRY T. BROWN, Manager

QUINCY, MASS.

Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street

Aug. 11. 6mos.

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

It was thirty-one years ago on New Year's that the first Scotch ball was held in Quincy, and each year since our Scottish citizens have celebrated. Many of those prominent in the earlier days have passed away, and a younger generation have had the arrangements in charge. Each year these entertainments have increased in attendance and popularity, so that Quincy Music hall is now none too large.

The amount of building contracts awarded in Boston in 1903 shows a decided falling off from 1902, and the same is true in New York city and elsewhere. It was also less in Boston than in 1901 and 1900. In 1900 there were over 2,100 permits amounting to $12,844,000 and approximating $6,000 per permit, while in 1903 there were only 678 permits amounting to $9,500,000 and approximating $14,000 per permit.

There cannot be much adverse criticism of the financial management of our public schools when the expense per pupil is less than $21 per year, about ten cents per pupil per day. Brookline and Milton expend about $50 per pupil; Wellesley and Newton about $40 per pupil; Boston, Malden and Dedham over $30 per pupil and so on. A recent report of the State Board of Education shows that it cost 141 Massachusetts cities and towns more per pupil.

The people expect that our schools shall equal those of Boston, and all other cities. It is a fact that they do stand among the best, but it is not because of a large appropriation per pupil, but because of able supervision, and loyal teachers.

The school debt of the city cannot be charged up against the School Committee. They make no appropriations, and have very little to say concerning them. Some have not even been requested. They have urged economy when new buildings have been proposed, but have had very little choice as to plans.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Some thieves may be gathered in the raids on the tramps in the Boston lodging houses that are being inaugurated by the Boston police; but it is a fine question as to just how far along this line police officers can go legally if any of the tramps should chance to find someone to take up his cause for him. It is rather drastic treatment to apply to a condition, it seems to us.—Brockton Enterprise

☞ The record of the divorce mills in Massachusetts for 1903 beats all records and the court dockets are still filled to overflowing. That does not look as if Massachusetts had much to brag of over some of the states which are more often held up for criticism. Either there is an extraordinary degree of incompatibility among the mated couples of the state or the law and its administration are lax. — Haverhill Gazette.

☞ The Emerson Educational union of Boston will petition the Legislature for a less strenuous celebration of the Fourth of July. We are inclined to think that it will be hard to find a Legislature that will respond favorably to such a petition. We are of the opinion that the principal fault found with present conditions, aside from the reckless use of dangerous methods, is the custom of allowing boys (and their elders) to commence the din and disturbance long in advance of the day. If all celebration could be eliminated excepting between daylight on the morning of the Fourth and the following midnight we do not believe much fault would be found with the amount of noise. This is largely under police control as the matter now stands, but the police in this as in many other matters are entirely oblivious to their duty and utterly neglect the very work they are paid to accomplish.—Waltham Free Press.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

BUSINESS OF 1903

Financial and Industrial Excesses Brought to Light

YEAR OF RETRENCHMENT

Many Large Failures Marked Process of Readjustment--Agricultural and Shoe Business Did Not Share In the Slump

New York, Jan. 1.—The annual review of trade of R. G. Dun & Co. says: Readjustment is the one word that sums up the industrial and financial history of the United States during the year 1903. From the lowest point of depression in 1896-97 to the zenith of prosperity and commercial activity in 1901-02, the course of business was well defined and uninterrupted, although numerous events occurred that were calculated to check even this great momentum.

But five years of expansion in trade and manufacture brought financial and industrial excesses. The resul was the "building of bigger barns," the preparation for more business than appeared and the capitalization of the hopes and expectations of the future. The past year has chiefly been devoted to retrenchment. Assimilation of securities was only accomplished by the drastic remedy of a 30 percent reduction in prices. Accumulation of iron and steel found a market only with the aid of lower prices and curtailed production.

In the process of readjustment there were many failures, the number being especially large in the last quarter, but the set has reached such proportions that there is reason to look for recovery in 1904. In iron and steel, starting with the heaviest production on record, and furnace stocks of pig iron practically wiped out, the year 1903 has brought some startling developments. Prices declined and production was curtailed. Labor troubles tied up work on buildings costing many millions of dollars, and cautious investors cancelled many plans for work.

Agriculturally, the year has not fallen short of expectations. A smaller yield of cotton was accompanied by more than an equivalent rise in prices, while the yield of cereals was abundant, and the live stock shortage of recent poor corn years was fully made up.

Artificial quotations for meats were dissipated during the past year, many of the declines reaching striking amounts and restoring the situation to a much more healthy position.

The last two years saw cotton in a strong position, averaging 8 or 9 cents a pound for middling uplands in the New York market. Floods and other climatic conditions proved adverse, and injury by insects was very severe, so that as the season advanced estimates of the crop were gradually reduced until about 10,300,000 bales were generally anticipated. Meanwhile speculators became active, and prices moved steadily upward until the highest figures since 1879 were attained.

Hides and leather during the year of 1903 were characterized by a severe decline in hide values which, continuing into the late fall, carried prices down to a lower point in the Chicago packer market than had been reached at any time in several years. Since November rates have been advancing, and the market at the close of the year was ½ to 1 cent higher than two months previous.

The shoe business of 1903 exceeded in volume that of any year in the history of the industry. More shoes were made and sold than ever before, and this was rather unexpected, owing to the decreased activity in most of the other large trades. It is estimated that the shipments of shoes from Boston for 1903 will exceed those of 1902 by 600,000 or 700,000 cases, and up to the last week of 1903 these shipments slightly exceeded 5,000,000 cases for the year, which makes the first time that the 5,000,000 mark has been reached and passed.

In cotton goods the year opened with a fair degree of promise. There was an average demand from the home trade and a considerable amount of business doing for export in January. In January speculators took a strong hold of the cotton market, and from then until now they have practically dominated the situation at all times.

In men's wear woolen and worsted manufacturers have not have had to contend against such manipulation of raw material, but they have still had to face a high market for wool with no responsive movement in the prices of finished goods.

The silk goods division continues the story of high-priced raw material, unsatisfactory prices of silk fabrics and heavy curtailment of production.

Financial conditions were precarious for a time during 1903, but the season of pressure was passed with light mortality and the year closes with less than the customary stringency in preparation for January disbursements.

The readjustment of stock prices that occurred during the year 1903 caused no sensational bankruptcies in the stock market. Incomplete returns of commercial insolvencies during the year 1903 show that 12,001 concerns suspended, having liabilities of $156,633,859. In addition to these figures there was the collapse of a few stock companies not properly included under the classifications into which the failure statistics are divided, notably the United States Shipbuilding company.

AGAIN IN CUSTODY

Stoddard, Charged With $40,000 Theft, Is Caught

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 1.—Albert L. Stoddard of Providence, who escaped from custody at Norwich, Conn., Monday night, was arrested here last evening. He was held pending the arrival of Connecticut officers.

Stoddard was taken to Norwich last Friday and confined in the women's room at the police station to await a hearing on a charge of stealing promissory notes and other valuable papers to a face value of about $40,000. The hearing was to have been held at Ledyard, but when Sheriff Sperry went after Stoddard Tuesday morning he discovered that the prisoner had forced a window during the night and escaped.

The complainant against Stoddard is Costello Lippitt, secretary and treasurer of the Norwich Savings bank, executor of the estate of the late Sarah E. Norman, and Mrs. Charity Newton of Ledyard. Stoddard was formerly employed by the woman.

Stoddard came to Fall River from Boston on an afternoon train. Detectives Medley and Shea discovered and arrested him. "If I had seen you first I would have put a bullet through my head sooner than be arrested," said Stoddard. He begged the officers to give him morphine and told them that he was the person for whom they were seeking.

More Charges Against Marsh

Bridgeport, Conn., Jan. 1.—Charles B. Marsh, a builder convicted of embezzlement, who is serving a jail sentence of one year, with costs, the working out of which will keep him in jail eight years, was arrested in jail on bench warrants alleging obtaining money and property amounting to $17,000 by false pretences. He was at once arraigned before Judge Wheeler, who fixed bail at $1000 in each case. This is a matter of form only. The offenses charged are alleged to have been committed over three years ago.

New Year's Gift to 4000

Boston, Jan. 1.—Just 4000 blue uniformed employes of the Boston Elevated Railway company had a happy New Year's day, as each of the lucky 4000 received a present of $15. When the wages of the greater portion of the car service men were readjusted at the beginning of 1903 the company promised that those of their employes who worked hard in the service and at the same time made clean and creditable records would have good reason to be proud of the fact when the business of the year was closed up.

Merrill's Body at Boston

Boston, Jan. 1.—The body of Moody Merrill, the former Boston financier, who died in Silver City, N. M., arrived in this city last evening. Police detectives viewed the body and identified it as that of Merrill. This action was taken at the instigation of Messrs. Rich and Coggan, who furnished the heavy bonds for Merrill when he was indicted here for larceny. The police officials also wished to satisfy themselves that Merrill was dead.

Disfigured Skin

Wasted muscles and decaying bones.

What havoc!

Scrofula, let alone, is capable of all that, and more.

It is commonly marked by bunches in the neck, inflammations in the eyes, dyspepsia, catarrh, and general debility.

It is always radically and permanently cured by

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Which expels all humors, cures all eruptions, and builds up the whole system, whether young or old.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills: the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

You can't buy it anywhere else.

LUCK

AT

PRATT'S,

10 cts. package.

Every Wednesday, 2 for 15 cts.

DANCING.

COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.

BASKET BALL

AND DANCING

THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all former pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For further particulars apply to ELMER H. BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sep. 22—3m lpo

CITY BREVITIES.

1—9—0—4.

A Happy New Year.

Egypta again this evening.

City Council this evening.

The school vacation is near y over.

The year 1904 is the first leap year for eight years.

It is a pretty small boy who can't catch on when it is good sleighing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrison of Plymouth are staying a few days at her father's Mr. E. Miner of 79 Old Colony avenue. They have come to Wollaston to make it their home.

A very pleasant evening was enjoyed at the whist party of the Mt. Wollaston Associates on Thursday evening. Fourteen tables indulged in the game and prizes were awarded Mrs. Bearce, Miss Nelson and Mrs. Porterfield, and Messrs. E. F. Nay, Frank Carlton and Aubrey Keith. Dancing was enjoyed later in the evening.

His Sanity Questioned

Boston, Jan. 1.—Richard Kilduff, convicted of assault with a revolver on Henry A. Reuter, a brewer, was sentenced to the state asylum for the criminal insane at Bridgewater, after a hearing on his mental condition. Judge Gaskill will instruct the superintendent of the asylum to report on Kilduff's condition on the first Monday in February.

Hobo Raid at Providence

Providence, Jan. 1.—Police Lieutenant O'Neill, who last week rounded up 53 tramps in cheap lodging houses in his district, made a tour of the precinct last night with four officers in plain clothes, and rounded up 17 "hoboes." Among those gathered in was one man whom the police suspect of robbing several tailor shops in this city.

Carriage Making Falling Off

Amesbury, Mass., Jan. 1.—The shipments of carriages from this town for the year 1903 showed a falling off from the years 1902 and 1901. The three months' strike of the carriage workers last winter was responsible to a large extent for this decrease. Business is reported as not being so good as a year ago.

Dewey Not Badly Damaged

Boston, Jan. 1.—A cablegram received by the United States Fruit company announces the safe arrival at Port Antonio, Jam., of the steamer Admiral Dewey, which collided with, and sank, the steamer Kiowa outside Boston light last Saturday. The damage to the Dewey was trifling.

Bay State's Big Militia Force

Boston, Jan. 1.—According to the report of Adjutant General Samuel Dalton the Massachusetts militia is in excellent condition. Regarding the enrolled militia the returns from cities and towns show the number of enrolled militia to be 495,060, an increase of 27,782 over 1902.

Colored Troops Not Wanted

Savannah Ga., Jan. 1.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the Officers' Association of Georgia State Troops, a resolution was adopted recommending the disbandment of the colored troops of this state. The vote was five to three.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Saturday, Jan. 2.
Sun rises—7:14; sets—4:22.
Moon sets—6:11 a. m.
High water—10:15 a. m.; 10:45 p. m.

With the exception of local snows in the lake region and upper Ohio valley, the weather has been generally fair during the past 24 hours. It will be fair in New England.

Minister Squires' Son Killed

Havana, Jan. 1.—Fargo Squiers, aged 20, eldest son of United States Minister Squiers, and some servants were shooting at a target in the coach house of the minister's residence with 22-calibre rifles and one of them apparently got out of order. Gaston Michaud, a chauffeur, was examining the weapon and recocking it when it suddenly discharged. The ball penetrated Squiers' left lung and within half an hour he died. Michaud is wildly distracted.

NURSERY NOTES.

A sour feeding bottle may cause a baby's death, because it may set up severe diarrhea, which is always dangerous for infants.

Don't keep the baby in the house one minute that it is possible to have it out of doors. A baby kept out in the air and sunshine will not be cross and irritable.

A child has a natural dislike for "showing off," and if you make it acquire a taste for such a proceeding you will have to spank it later for being forward and impudent.

An infant's skin is very sensitive and tender. Therefore glycerin should be well diluted before applying it to the chafed surfaces, which annoy and pain the little one so afflicted.

Don't give young children pickles, condiments, strong tea or any kind of alcohol unless a doctor prescribes this last as a medicine. Such things are very injurious to the little creatures' stomachs.

Children should never, if it can be avoided, be given twice cooked meat, and greasy things should always be avoided. The great thing in catering for them is to have everything very plain, but very good.

The Only Place in QUINCY

Where you can buy the Famous

WINGOLD FLOUR

Harbor Light Coffee

--AND--

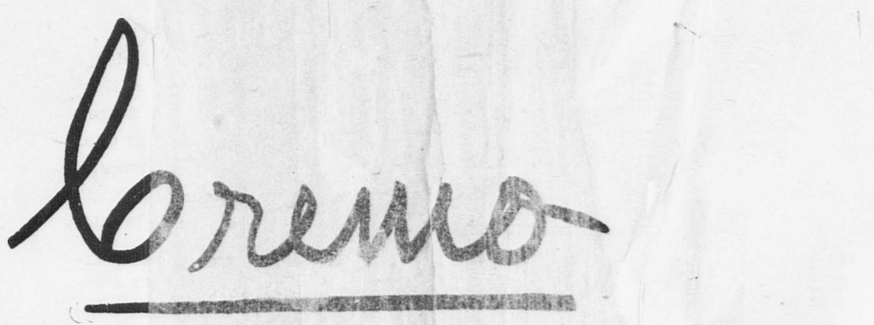
Star Brand Coffee

IS AT THE

CONSOLIDATED

ADAMS BUILDING.

Headquarters for High Grade MEATS and GROCERIES.



Strenuous Times

AT THE

DERBY STORE.

The Bankrupt Sale

Continues with Unabated Vigor.

Good Merchandise at *Wonderfully Low Prices* is the attraction.

Come see our MEN'S SUITS at $4.49, $5 49, $6.50, $8 and $10

BOYS' SUITS, HALF PRICE.

Men's Stiff Hats, 98c., worth $2
Winter Caps, 35c., 42c., 75c

NOW IS THE TIME FOR

OVERSHOES and RUBBERS.

Keep out the snow for less money than it takes to buy a bottle of cough medicine.

4 BUCKLE ARTICS, $1.75 PER PAIR
MEN'S RUBBERS, 50 CENTS
BOYS' RUBBERS, 25 CENTS

Other goods for Men and Boys at ruinously low prices to close out the entire stock at

C F. DERBY'S

OLD STAND,

Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

CARD.

Mrs. F. H. Hewins,

—: Formerly in :—

Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations

METHOD OF THE SHOENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.

Offices:

128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.

Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903. tf

A 20 per cent. Reduction.

For dates in January and February the experiment will be tried of giving a special discount of 20 per cent. in the prices of Quincy Music Hall. The price scale as it is, though doubtless seeming high to some, is not really so when a fair account is taken of the many, many expenses of running a large hall and keeping it in first class condition, as well as the fact that at best such a hall can be rented only a small part of the time. The prices of Music Hall are not now changed, merely the experiment is to be made of giving this special discount to engagements coming in these two special months.

The Location is the best of any hall in the city. The street cars pass the door with a turn out right in front of the Hall.

The Floor is of selected maple laid with the greatest care, and is kept in perfect condition being covered with canvas when not used for dancing.

The Ventilation—a most important consideration—is such as to keep the air pure with even a crowded hall and without causing any drafts.

The Hall is Lighted by electricity, brilliantly and pleasantly, and with a switchboard arranged so that all desired effects can be obtained in the Hall proper or on the stage. Gas is used as an auxiliary light.

The Heating is direct—indirect, ample, and giving the most healthful results.

The Stage has been designed with care, and is furnished with a particularly generous supply of attractive and appropriate scenery.

For Advertising, the Music Hall Billboards throughout the City are of very great value.

To Darken the Hall, there are special window fittings so that at noonday the Hall can be made as dark as at midnight.

In case of fire there are pails of water and chemical fire extinguishers throughout the Hall. There is an asbestos fire curtain by which the Stage can be instantly cut off from the Hall proper. There are nine (9) doors opening from the Hall and five (5) separate exits.

As a whole, Quincy Music Hall has been carefully planned to meet the requirements of those who wish a *large and really first class Hall.*

QUINCY MUSIC HALL

Dec. 26. tf

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in all parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

GOOD IN PIE, CAKE AND PUDDING.

NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT

In 10c Packages with List of Valuable Premiums.

SPECIAL!

$5.00 worth Stamps with 1 lb Best Oolong Tea, 48c

DON'T PAY 60 CENTS.

OR

2 lbs. Best Mocha and Java Coffee at 28 Cents.

NONE BETTER GROWN.

DON'T PAY 35 CENTS.

MEADOWBROOK CREAMERY CO., Quincy.

OUR

Capitol Shoe

FOR BOYS.

Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.

Sizes 12 to 2 $1.75

Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2.00

The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.

Every Pair Warranted.

GEORGE W. JONES,

Adams Building, - QUINCY.

BASKET SALE!

4 quarts Potatoes 1c 2 lbs Sugar 1c.

Can Tomatoes 1c. 500 Parlor Matches 1c.

INCLUDED IN OUR

ANNUAL BASKET SALE,

JANUARY 1st to 9th.

Watch this space for the list of goods included in the

FULL BASKET.

10 Red Trading Stamps With Every Basket.

V. E. MILLER,

TY SQUARE. QUINCY, MASS.

Dining Room Rugs

Made up Rugs ready to lay on your floor in sizes varying from 6 feet x 9 feet to 12 feet x 14 feet.

Pretty soft colors in Reds, Greens and Browns, in sizes to fit any room.

After once enjoying the comfort of a Dining Room Rug you will never use a carpet again.

Our prices are extremely low in weaves consisting of Oriental, Velvet, Moquette, Brussels, Tapestry, Woolen or Jute; over one hundred different patterns ranging in price from $5.00 to $35.00.

Tim payments for those who wish.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.

New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store,

Hancock Street, Quincy.

We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

BACK TO THE OLD STAND.

W. A. BRADFORD,

Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting.

JOBBING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

Shop and Office, under the Savings Bank Building, CITY SQUARE.

TELEPHONE 111-3.

Open Monday and Saturday Evenings.

Quincy, Dec. 22. tf

You Have a House to Let

Advertise in the Ledger.

NEGLECT CHARGED

(Continued from page 1.)

and all of them had packed their trunks and would have been out of the city had not the police arrested them.

Shortly after midnight detectives from the central police station arrested William Plunkett, assistant manager of the theatre, and four members of the "Moonlight chorus." The chorus is made up of eight men and eight women and was about to appear on the stage when the fire started. Those arrested in addition to Plunkett were William Stack, Samuel Bell, Victor Bozart and Edward Wines.

The prisoners were taken to Harrison street police station and locked up. Plunkett was charged with manslaughter and the members of the chorus with violation of a part of the municipal code of Chicago providing for the holding of witnesses for the coroner's jury.

Two members of the chorus, Anna Brant and Daisy Beatue, were arrested and taken to the central police station. After being questioned by the police they were released.

VISIT TO THE THEATRE

Jury Finds Much to Call For Unfavorable Comment

Last evening the coroner's jury, which had spent the day in visiting the various morgues, was taken by Coroner Traeger to the theatre. The jury went first to the stage and Deputy Coroner Buckley pointed out the spot where the fire was discovered. The seats in the first 10 rows on the first floor were burned, but back of that the orchestra chairs were in good condition. In one corner of the stage was a pile of brass spears and armor used in the production of "Mr. Bluebeard." All that was visible of the 180 pieces of scenery used in the extravaganza was small piles of ashes where the scenery had dropped and burned on the stage. The steel frames of the arc lights, one of which is said to have caused the catastrophe, were piled in confusion near the front of the stage.

The members of the jury, while engaged in inspecting the stage, frequently remarked that the protection against fire seemed to them to have been inadequate. The jury then climbed the stairway leading to the first balcony. Here the plush covering of the seats was found to be burned on every seat from wall to wall and from the front row of the balcony to the last. An inspection was made of the exits leading to the fire escapes at the north end of the building.

The iron doors were closed and locked and it was then seen that the inner doors were so close to the steel shutters that they could not be opened with the shutters fastened. This exit is not sufficiently high for an ordinary sized man to walk through without stooping, and when the jurors learned this fact by personal experience there was considerable comment among them.

The jury then ascended to the top gallery, where the greatest loss of life occurred. Coroner Traeger pointed to the balcony rail, which was bent in several places, and said that a number of spectators had jumped through these openings to the lower floor. An inspection was then made of the exits leading to the fire escapes and the jurors were told that the bodies of the dead were piled 10 feet high in front of these doors when the police reached the scene after the fire.

"If those doors were locked somebody was criminally negligent," said Juror Finn. "The exits are too small, anyway," said Foreman Meyer, as he measured the doors leading to the fire escapes.

In both balconies there were hundreds of grewsome relics of the catastrophe scattered between the seats where they had been dropped by the terrified victims. At the conclusion of the inspection of the theatre it was decided to continue the inquest until next Thursday.

A few of the questions to which the jury will endeavor to obtain satisfactory answers at the inquest are:

Were the steel doors leading to the fire escapes on the first and second balconies locked when the fire broke out? If they were locked, were they opened promptly by the attendants? Why was it impossible to lower the asbestos curtain? Why did the management permit the use of arc lights in the flies with no device to prevent sparks from the carbons igniting the borderings of the scenery and curtains? Why did the ushers shut all the doors and urge the audience to remain seated after the fire broke out, instead of doing everything possible to empty the house?

CAUSE OF THE FIRE

Perhaps Sparks From Arc Light, but Opinions Differ

There is animated discussion among firemen, employes of the theatre and architects as to the cause of the fire. Accounts differ widely. The theatrical people are practically a unit in declaring that the fire started with an explosion, and in this they are flatly contradicted by scores of people in the audience, who declare that they saw the fire creeping along the edge of the curtain for several minutes before the explosion took place. These statements are substantiated by the stories of a number of people who left their seats after seeing the blaze and were well on their way to the street when overtaken by the frightened rush of those they had left behind them.

The best evidence obtainable is to the effect that the fire was caused by the sparks from an arc light striking the edge of the drop curtain, but the actual fact, however, will not be known until after the conclusion of the coroner's inquest. There are so many statements at present and they differ so widely that it is impossible to ascertain the exact truth of the matter.

LAW NOT ENFORCED

Theatre Without Fire Alarm System and Automatic Sprinkler

Although the Iroquois theatre was undoubtedly the safest theatre in Chicago, it has become evident that the city building department has not strictly enforced some of the sections of the building ordinances. The local building ordinance provides that in buildings of the class to which the Iroquois theatre belong there shall be a system of automatic sprinklers. There were no sprinklers on the theatre and Deputy Building Commissioner Stanhope, when this was called to his attention, replied: "There was no sprinkler system in the theatre, but the provisions about the iron doors made it unnecessary for the theatre to have them."

The ordinance also provides that theatres be equipped with fire alarms connected with the city fire alarm system. Mr. Stanhope said: "The Iroquois had fire alarm connections. I did not see the box, but that is my information."

City Electrician Hyland said: "The Iroquois had no fire alarm connection with the city alarm system. No application is on file for any such connection." The alarm of fire, in fact, was turned in from a box over half a block distant from the theatre.

The law provides, also, that there shall be a ventilating shaft at the rear of the stage which will conduct flames and smoke away from the auditorium in just such emergencies as arose Wednesday. The Iroquois theatre possessed no ventilating shaft.

All during the day telegrams of sympathy to the people of Chicago and offers of aid have poured in by telegraph upon the mayor. He announces: "I have received many offers of aid. It may be that before we get through this a few persons will be found to have been put to the need, but Chicago will be able to give that aid herself. Most of those killed and injured, now identified, can be abundantly cared for." Many telegrams of condolence have been received from abroad.

While the work of removing the bodies from the wrecked theatre was in progress it was evident that scores of mothers gave up their lives in a desperate attempt to save their children in the struggle to escape. In some cases the little ones were found clasped close in their mothers' arms as if they had been carrying them and had been thrown down and trampled upon in the mad rush. In other cases women were found with a child clasped close with one hand while another was outstretched as if warding off some threatened danger or endeavoring to make a pathway through the crowd.

Germany After Danish Islands

Washington, Jan. 1.—Information has reached Washington to the effect that Germany is making a quiet but determined effort to secure possession of a coaling station at St. Thomas. As the United States government has offered a price for the Danish West India islands, which the executive branch of the Danish government consented to accept by the signature of a treaty, even though the latter was rejected by the Danish rigsdag, it is the feeling here that the matter has progressed too far to allow a third party to come between the United States and Denmark in this transaction. In other words, Denmark is expected to sell the islands to the United States or to retain them.

Dearth of War News

London, Jan. 1.—War insurance rates at Lloyds are rather higher, although the situation in the far east so far as known here is practically unchanged. The warships which Japan purchased from Argentine have been rechristened Kasaga and Niasin. They will be completed and handed over to Japan at the end of January, and the fact that a declaration of war before that time would render them useless, it is thought, will be likely to reconcile Japan to a further delay.

There will be 53 pay days in the coming year of 1904. That is, if your pay day comes on Saturday.

BOTTLED SUNSHINE

Scott's Emulsion brings sunshine to the entire system of the consumptive.

All life is sunshine. The sun pouring its rays into the plant combines earth, water and air into new plant tissue. Sunshine stored up in the plant is its life.

The animal changes plant tissue into animal tissue, changes the stored up sunshine of plant life into animal life.

Fat contains more stored up sunshine than any other form of animal tissue. This is why Scott's Emulsion of pure cod liver oil is literally bottled sunshine, full of rich nourishment and new life for the consumptive.

We'll send you a sample free upon request.

SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York.

ON PANAMA GROUND

Colombian Troops Had Conference With Indian Chief

NAVY TO INVESTIGATE

Governor of New Republic Claims to Have Sympathy of Ten Thousand Indians--Reyes Against Hostile Demonstration

Colon, Jan. 1.—Information has just reached Governor Melendez from Carti, a village near the island of Pines, in Panama territory, that Colombian troops landed there Dec. 21 and conferred with the Indian chief, Inanaquina, who afterwards was taken aboard a vessel and, it is thought, conveyed to Cartagena.

Chief Inanaquina is regarded here as a sympathizer with Colombia, because he was made a colonel in the Colombian army during a visit to Bogota. He speaks English and is said to have 3000 or more Indian followers.

The informant of Governor Melendez made the journey from Carti afoot to Culebra. Thence he went to Palenque, whence he took a small boat, reaching Colon Wednesday night.

The man reported to the governor that he saw a steamer, probably the gunboat General Pinzon or Cartagena, a long distance offshore Dec. 21. Boats from the gunboat were lowered and subsequently rowed in and landed those aboard, who conferred with Chief Inanaquina. After the conference the gunboat steamed out of Panamaian boundaries.

The republic of Panama evidently has reliable sympathizers throughout the San Blas district. Governor Melendez declares that at least 10,000 Indians favor Panama, but that their chiefs are unwilling to allow any persons besides their own tribes to cross their territory. The governor does not believe that Chief Inanaquina will allow Colombian troops to cross his land.

Immediately after it became known here that Colombians had landed within the borders of Panama the United States gunboat Castine steamed out towards Carti. She was followed shortly afterwards by the cruiser Olympia. Admiral Coghlan did not accompany the Olympia, but transferred his flag to the Mayflower, which is now the only warship in Colon harbor.

It is not known what course the gunboat and cruiser intend to take. The ships will not bring full information regarding the affair to Admiral Coghlan for a day or two.

At Juanluna, near Rio Miel, Cauca, on the border of Panama, parties in sympathy with the new republic are closely watching every movement of the Colombian troops in that vicinity.

Reyes' Good Advice

Washington, Jan. 1.—If the Colombian government follows the advice of General Reyes all idea of the breaking out of hostilities between that country and the United States may be dissipated. Even though the reply of this government to the note of Reyes may not be of a nature to afford him much comfort, he states that he will use all the influence in his power to prevail upon his government to refrain from any hostile demonstration towards the United States. A war with the United States, he declares, would result only in disaster to Colombia. Whether or not he will submit counter-propositions to the reply of Mr. Hay, General Reyes is unable to say until he has received the document and gone over it in detail. He says, however, that should his original contentions not be sustained, the probability is that he will continue the exchange of diplomatic notes with the view to obtaining as many concessions from the United States as possible.

Colombians Remained Aloof

Washington, Jan. 1.—Colombia was not represented at the White House New Year's reception, nor did President Roosevelt receive the good wishes of the Bogota government today. General Reyes asked to be excused from attending in view of the present situation, and Dr. Herran, the Colombian charge, who is not at all well, also was absent. This decision of the Colombian officials, after a careful consideration of the matter, was thought the appropriate course to pursue.

Georgians With Roosevelt

Atlanta, Jan. 1.—The Republican state committee selected this city as the next place of holding the state convention and pledged President Roosevelt its support for the presidential nomination.

Bank Cashier Kills Himself

New York, Jan. 1.—Otto Ahlmann, cashier of the Bank of Staten Island, committed suicide at the Hotel Albemarle by shooting. Shortly after the suicide had been identified the bank was closed, pending examination into its affairs. Bank Examiner Judson made a cursory examination of the books of the Bank of Staten Island and said that it is apparent the affairs of the bank are irregular.

Feared Benson Would Skip

New York, Jan. 1.—John A. Benson, who is under charges of bribery in connection with western land frauds, was arrested in this city at the instance of secret service agents, who feared he was about to leave the city. Benson was arraigned before Commissioner Shields, who set his examination down for Jan. 12. Being unable to procure $10,000 bail, Benson was taken to jail.

GRAND FRENCH BALL

Large Party Ushers in the New Year at West Quincy.

L'Union Francais-Americaine, one of the best known French benevolent societies, held its eighth annual concert and ball New Year's eve at St. Mary's hall. Nearly one hundred couples were in attendance, and the order of twenty-four numbers consumed the greater part of the night.

At midnight a supper was served during a brief intermission, and the party saw the New Year ushered in and wished each other many a Happy New Year.

The floor was in charge of Philip L. Savard, who was assisted by George S. Hebert.

The aids were: A. Roger, A. Martel, Miss B. Trepanier, and Miss L. Biganess.

Committee of Arrangements,—Mrs. L. Bouchard, President; J. Badot, Secretary; P. L. Savard, G. S. Hebert, A. Simon, Mrs. A. Leveque, Miss B. Trepanier, Miss L. Biganess.

Granite Yard Accident.

The body of Michael T. Philp was brought here today from Hardwick, Vt., for burial. Mr. Philp was accidentally killed in a granite yard on Wednesday by a stone falling on him. He formerly resided in Quincy, and learned the stone cutters' trade at the yard of McGilvray & Jones. He went to Vermont five or six years ago. He was 42 years of age and leaves a widow. The Sons of St. George, Foresters' and others will attend the funeral. Burial at Mt. Wollaston.

Bell Has Smithson's Bones

Genoa, Jan. 1.—In the presence of United States Consul Bishop and Dr. A. G. Bell of Washington, the remains of James Smithson, the founder of the Smithsonian institute at Washington, buried here in 1829, were exhumed. The casket was in pieces, but the bones were perfect. Dr. Bell will take these to the United States.

Saved by Insanity Plea

Pueblo, Col., Jan. 1.—Dr. Charles O. Rice, a prominent physician of this city, was acquitted of the charge of murder, his defense being insanity. Dr. Rice on Oct. 17 shot and killed Policeman Martz, after holding at bay for four hours a crowd in front of a drug store of which he had taken possession.

Catching Up on Pension Work

Washington, Jan. 1.—A new year's greeting issued by Commissioner of Pensions Ware shows that 150,828 pension certificates were issued for the calendar year 1903, which is 25,000 more than were issued in 1902, and nearly more than 50,000 than were issued in 1901.

The Wollaston Bakery

Will be opened Jan. 4, 1904, with a full line of Bread, Cake and Pastry. Fancy Cake to order. Soliciting a share of your patronage.

I am Respectfully,

J. L. MORRISON.

Jan. 1. 2t

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE

25 years in Quincy.

Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.

Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.

Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Martep's store.

Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.

Telephone at office and residence in Medford.

FREDERICK J STARK, - - Auctioneer.

82 Devonshire Street, Room 31, Boston.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George Lorman and Lizzie Lorman his wife, in her right to Henry B. Blackwell, dated July 2d, 1898, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Norfolk, Book 874, page 238, will be sold at public auction, on the premises on SATURDAY, the ninth day of January, 1904, at Four o'clock in the afternoon, for a breach of the conditions of said mortgage, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:

A certain piece or parcel of land situated in that part of the City of Quincy, Norfolk County, Massachusetts, known as Atlantic, together with the improvements and buildings thereon, being lot numbered Ten (10) shown on a plan entitled Plan of land belonging to Timberlake and Small, Quincy, Mass., dated August, 1899, and made by Perry Lawton, Civil Engineer, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Billings street, adjoining lot numbered One (1) on said plan, thence running in a northerly direction along the lines of lots numbered One (1) Two (2) Three (3) and Four (4) on said plan, one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet to lot numbered Seven (7) on said plan; thence turning and running in a westerly direction along the line of said lot numbered Seven (7) thirty eight (38) feet to lot numbered nine (9) on said plan; thence turning and running in a southerly direction along the line of said lot numbered Nine (9) one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet to said northerly side of Billings street; thence turning and running in an easterly direction along said northerly side of Billings street, thirty-eight (38) feet to the point of beginning containing 5,016 square feet of land.

Said premises are sold subject to a mortgage of $3,500.00 and accrued interest, also subject to all unpaid taxes and assessments if any there be.

$200.00 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, the balance in ten days on delivery of the deed at the office of Frederick J. Stark, 82 Devonshire street, Room 31, Boston

ALICE STONE BLACKWELL,
Assignee of said mortgage.

Dec. 19. 3t--19-24-1

DANIEL DONOVAN.

INFORMATION WANTED of relatives of Daniel Donovan, who served in the civil war as a member of the 9th Regt. Mass. Vol., was a quarryman or stonecutter. Supposed to have lived and worked in Quincy at some time since the war; was killed in an accident at Vigus, Mo., Dec. 21st, 1903. Any information concerning the said Donovan will be thankfully received by

J. W. HAYDEN, Chief of Police.

Quincy, Dec. 31. 3t

HALL and BURGESS,

Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.

AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.

Justice of the Peace. Notary Public

Rents and bills collected.

Room 13, Adams Building.

Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

Hardware Supply Co.,

1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES

Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.

Dec. 29. tf

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

Special Sale.

All Goods soiled and handled during the

Christmas Rush

And all Christmas Goods must be sold before NEW YEARS.

Very Low Prices.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

JOHN STREIFERD & SON,

FLORISTS.

Telephone 13-7 Braintree.

Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.

Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

GRAND AUCTION SALE

OF ALL MY

Christmas Toys, etc., etc.,

COMMENCING

Friday Night, Dec. 4,

At 7:30 o'clock.

This will be a chance for all who wish to purchase at their own prices as I will continue these sales every week until I have disposed of all the Toys, Dolls, etc.

QUINCY VARIETY CO.,

WALTER P. PINEL, Manager.

Corner Franklin and Water Streets.

Dec. 2. Wed. Thus. Fri.--tf

Dr. Emmons'

Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and benefits results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively cures no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass.

W. G. CHUBBUCK,
Furniture and Piano Mover
IN AND OUT OF TOWN.
Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.
JOBBING.
Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.
lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

SKATES SHARPENED.
Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .
24 Granite Street,
NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.
Dec. 21. 1m

F. S. BUXTON,
TEACHER OF VIOLIN
WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.
Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER,
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

PICTURES
FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

WOOD! WOOD! WOOD!
OF ALL KINDS.
DRY AND GREEN
At Lowest Possible Prices.
THOS. O'BRIEN & SONS.
Yard off Miller and West Streets, West Quincy.
Jan. 7. tf

MAIN SPRINGS
Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.
Work called for and delivered.
SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

TELEPHONES
—FOR—
Suburban Residents
The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company offers, for a limited period, trial telephones in suburban residences of those who have never had telephone service.
Contract Department,
101 Milk Street,
Telephone, Main 6028.
Boston, Oct. 21. tf

Insured for $2,000,000
L. Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, the eminent merchant of New York and Philadelphia, has taken out a policy in
The Prudential Insurance Co.
for $1,000,000, paying an annual premium of over $30,000. This makes him the most heavily insured man in the world, with the single exception of King Edward VII.
Mr Wanamaker's total insurance is now $2,000,000.
Ask yourself WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed one-half this great amount with The Prudential.
Your business judgment will at once reply: "Because after full investigation and comparison, Mr. Wanamaker found that the company which could give him the best insurance for a given amount of money was The Prudential."
Undoubtedly you will agree that Mr. Wanamaker does not pay over $30,000 per year except for most excellent reasons.
These reasons apply to YOU precisely as well as they do to HIM.
Better apply TODAY for information regarding Prudential policies to
FRANK CHESTER MANN,
General Agent for Eastern Massachusetts
209 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.
...RY O. FAIRBANKS,
...od-ly Special Agent.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

1904		JANUARY				1904
Su.	Mo.	Tu.	We.	Th.	Fr.	Sa.
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24 31	25	26	27	28	29	30

MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon	3	0:47 a. m.	New Moon	17	10:44 a m
Third Quarter	9	4:10 p.m.	First Quarter	25	3:41 p.m

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1902.	In 1901.	In 1900.
Sunday,	10	43	32	38	32
Monday,	18	41	26	38	35
Tuesday,	23	43	32	44	32
Wednesday,	35	35	40	42	39
Thursday,	32	46	33	38	45
			1903.	1902.	1901.
Friday,	36	44	37	14	42
Saturday,	—	32	42	31	29

New Advertisements Today.
Wollaston Bakery Opening.
Frank A. Locke - Piano Tuner.
Chas. C. Hearn—Headease.
Meadowbrook Creamery Co.—Tea and Coffee.
Lost—Gold Stick Scarf Pin.
V. E. Miller—Basket Sale.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Grand coasting.

Excellent sleighing.

The warmest day for a week.

Church bells ushered in the New Year at midnight.

Only fifty cents for the best seats at Egypta this evening.

The King's Daughters are remembering the shut-ins today.

January weather is all right as far as we have got, but a cold January is predicted.

Miss Mary E. Ray of Old Colony street, Atlantic passed away Tuesday in her 79th year.

R. J. Teasdale leaves today for Niagara Falls, on a business and pleasure trip.

The officers of John A. Boyd camp, Legion of Spanish War Veterans, will be installed next Tuesday evening.

Special Holy Day of Obligation services were held in the Catholic churches this morning. There were masses at 5.30, 7 and 9 o'clock.

The funeral of Mr. Francis Cronin was held this morning from St. Mary's church. Mass was celebrated by Rev. John J. Sheahan, assisted by Rev. John J. Coan.

Special watch meeting services were held Thursday night at the West Quincy Methodist church. As the hour of midnight approached all engaged in silent prayer.

Lawrence, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Stebbins of Elm street entertained little friends and their mammas on Wednesday his first birthday anniversary.

At the next meeting of the Wollaston Unitarin Alliance Mrs. Christopher Elliott of Bulfinch Street Church, Boston, will speak on "Church Going." The meeting will be held in the vestry on the afternoon of January 6.

About fifty members were present at the all-day session of the Alliance in the Unitarian vestry, Wollaston, Wednesday, Dec. 30. Luncheon was served at one o'clock by the Natural Food company. The day was voted a most enjoyable and profitable one.

At the matinee whist party held at the home of Mrs. B. Porterfield on Granite street, Thursday afternoon. Eight tables were in play. The highest score was 45, and the lowest 38. The following were awarded prizes: Mrs. Langhorn, Mrs. Marnock, Mrs. Burnie, Mrs. Wilscher, Mrs. Thomas, and the consolation to Mrs. Emslie. The series prizes were given Miss Gertrude Thomas and Mrs. Langhorn.

A CARD.
We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.
Nov. 2. 6mos.

DIED.

CARDELLI—In Quincy, Dec. 31, Mrs. Assanta, wife of Mr. Luigi Cardelli of Liberty street, aged 18 years, 10 months and 26 days.

PHILP—In Hardwick, Vt., Dec. 29, Mr. Michael T. Philp, formerly of Quincy, aged 42 years, 7 months and 11 days.

RAY—In Atlantic, Dec. 29, Miss Mary E. Ray of Old Colony street, aged 78 years and 6 months.

O'CONNOR—In East Weymouth, Dec. 31, Mr. Patrick O'Connor of 6 Linden place.

TO SAY GOOD BYE.

Final Meeting of the City Council.

Some Question Over a Transfer.

Atlantic School Lot Order May Bob Up.

A meeting of the City Council and probably the last of the year will be held tonight.

In the calendar are the order for tranfer in the Fire department; order refunding Tax Collector $127.52 tax overpaid; order granting the New England Telephone company a location for poles on Howard avenue, and order increasing the salary of Engineer Costa of the steamer. The Finance Committee have the order making a transfer from receipts of Poor department to appropriation for that department for 1902.

There are other matters on the table including the Atlantic school lot.

All business remaining in the hands of the Committees will be referred to the next Council.

The City Council will then probably distribute a few bouquets in the shape of votes of thanks to the retiring President, Clerk Spear, City Messenger Tirrell and others.

MILTON.

The alarm from Box 371 at 9.30 Thursday morning was for a fire under the sink in Mr. Corigan's house on Central avenue. Loss slight.

Milton A. A. and People's Institute play basket ball at the Town Hall next Tuesday evening.

Rev. Edward C. Hayes of Uxbridge will preach at the East Congregational church on Sunday.

Mr. Howe, the East village blacksmith, has moved his business to Malden.

Watch meeting services were held Thursday night from 8 to 12 o'clock at the Baptist church.

Watch meeting services were held at St. Michaels church Thursday evening from 10 to 12 o'clock.

The Sunday school of the Baptist church at East Milton held its Christmas tree and festival Christmas night. There was an entertainment by the children and the distribution of presents.

The Thursday Evening club was entertained at its meeting this week by a comedian.

The Sunday School of the Mission of Our Saviour church held it Christmas festival and tree Tuesday evening. There was a short entertainment consisting of speaking and singing by the Sunday school. This was followed by the appearance of Santa Claus and the distribution of presents. Ice cream and cake were served.

Edward Hewitson Associates.

The presence of every member of the Edward Hewitson Associates, past and present, is earnestly desired in the old Knights of Honor hall, Beale street, Saturday evening, January 2, for what presumably will be the last meeting of the club. A dinner will be served at 7 o'clock, following which there will be a short business session and entertainment. It is hoped that all will find it possible to attned.

Police Protection.

Mayor Bryant did not arrive from Boston until late Thursday night, and for this reason the conference of the business men with him in relation to better police protection was not held.

The alarm from Box 136 at 8.12 Thursday night was a false alarm.

What It Costs
... AND ...
What It Pays
are two values of newspaper advertising that the merchant has to consider. But the most important thing is
WHAT IT PAYS.
The merchant can get space in papers of small circulation and little influence for a little less money than the same size space would cost in the DAILY LEDGER and the QUINCY PATRIOT.
DOES IT PAY
to throw away the certainty of the profitable returns which are sure to LEDGER and PATRIOT advertisers, because it costs less to advertise in a cheaper paper?

IMPRESSIONS OF "PARSIFAL"

Wagner's Opera as Viewed by a Musician and a Dramatist.

WALTER DAMROSCH DISAPPOINTED

He Misses Impressiveness of Baireuth Production and Regrets Performance Here—Belasco Says Baireuth Is Outdone—Declares Mystic Play Is Not Sacrilegious—"Audacious? Yes"—Second Act Marvelous.

The following article in the New York Herald contains two impressions of the New York production of Wagner's opera "Parsifal" from the viewpoint of a musician and a dramatist.

Walter Damrosch, the musician, records the production of "Parsifal" as a bold and brave effort on the part of Mr. Conried and his company to achieve the impossible.

"Wagner's 'last will and testament' bequeathing 'Parsifal' to Baireuth exclusively was no idle whim, but inspired by an absolute conviction, born of an intimate knowledge of operatic conditions, that this work was of a character so unique that a proper performance is almost impossible in a regular opera house and decidedly so during a regular opera season.

"It would, therefore, be folly to criticise this performance on the lines laid down by Wagner, for, though Mr. Conried had spent money lavishly and had given the work a fine cast of singers and more rehearsals than are usually vouchsafed a new production during an opera season, and though the performance moved briskly and almost glibly along, Wagner's good judgment was abundantly proved, and I cannot help but wish that Mr. Conried's fine energy and desire to prove his mettle had expended itself on some work less exalted in character and in which so many fine points of art and morals were not at stake.

"At Baireuth performances there were imperfections—artists even there have been known to sing out of tune—but the theater is ideally planned, and artists and audiences alike are enabled to concentrate themselves on the work, inspired by the unique conditions surrounding them and undisturbed by the trivialities of ordinary life.

"I cannot say that the performance reproduced on me the Baireuth impression of the beauty and solemnity of the various ceremonials of the Christian church which are enacted and symbolized before us in the first and third acts. These scenes, which were so deeply moving and impressive in Baireuth, became dull and almost irreverent. It was frankly 'operatic,' and the scenes might just as well have been taken from some Masonic ceremonial. In the main lines the 'stage business' was the same as in Baireuth, but the inner spirit was often wanting.

"Whether it was the trivial manner in which the Holy Grail was uncovered or the slouchy way in which the knights of the Grail walked or fussed with their cloaks or the garish lighting of the Hall of the Grail, there was but little illusion and none of the mysticism which should envelop these scenes as with a holy mantle. It was heavily borne in upon me that a performance of an art work dealing directly with things and symbols most sacred should either leave the whole stage paraphernalia to the imagination or by incessant rehearsals and discipline succeed in producing a perfect stage illusion. There should be no betwixt and between."

Mr. Damrosch heartily praises the musical performance, though he criticises the weakness of the chorus. Finally, he cannot see why "Parsifal" should not be given frankly as an opera at ordinary hours, without all this flummery and affectation of long intermissions and trumpet calls. These, he says, "are but externals and cannot reproduce the Baireuth spirit. These are but a mockery of that ideal which Wagner tried to rear in that faraway little country town and which we, who starve in great cities, can only long for as young Parsifal longed for a sight of the Holy Grail in his long wanderings."

David Belasco, the dramatist, says:

"I saw 'Parsifal' in Baireuth; I saw the Passion play in Oberammergau. Transplanting is a delicate undertaking, and 'Parsifal' is almost as difficult to transplant as the Passion play. Race, association, training—all these have fitted Mr. Conried for this remarkable task.

"There is only one great tragedy in the world, the divine tragedy. Wagner has been influenced by it, by the 'Man of Sorrows and acquainted with grief.' Stripped of its incidental adjuncts, 'Parsifal' deals with a young man who, in the hope that he may prove a redeemer remains insensible to his suffering until he becomes clairvoyant by the kiss of the temptress Kundry and thereby made to understand the meaning of pity. Wagner's this volcano of emotions, this creator of barbarians and lusty young lovers, has written a work immortalizing pity. But remember he wrote it at the end of his life. Already his blood ran cold. 'Parsifal' is predestined. Hence there is no complication, no great fall and no great story—that is from a dramatic standpoint. Wagner's earlier poems of men and women who lived to love and loved to live are far more dramatic because they are more human. After all, humanity is the playwright's keynote.

"The 'difficulties' of the book of 'Parsifal' are obvious. For instance, Kundry, who is what we must call the prima donna, has the only female role in the drama, and her singing is confined almost entirely to the second act. Here we find the 'woman' element lacking. No wonder such a strange story [illegible] a peculiar setting! Was it because he feared the theme of his drama that he first hedged it in at Baireuth? Sacrilegious? No. Audacious? Well, yes. And how much more daring out in the white light of Broadway! In Baireuth all things would have been possible, even the sermon on the mount as an epilogue. There, hedged with enemies on every side, like gnats, Wagner battled for the impossible and in spite of the gnats achieved it. 'Parsifal' is a monument to a daring deed. For today there is only one Wagner, although the many gnats still remain.

"To infuse the soul of a man—all the delicate shades of his meaning—into a work like 'Parsifal' would seem to be impossible. As the drama moved along I said almost unconsciously to a neighbor, 'Wagner is dead.' The best testimony to the excellence of Mr. Conried's undertaking throughout is that one does not miss Baireuth and Wagner still more. Even personal contact with genius, so to speak, at second hand is a priceless legacy.

"While I cannot but think the original scene of 'Parsifal' a more fitting place for its setting, Mr. Conried has far surpassed the Baireuth production. His enchanted garden of the second act, with its wonderfully charming flowers and beautiful coloring, was by far the better.

"In this scene Wagner brought a storm of criticism about his ears by the astonishing size—the exaggerated orientalism—of his flowers. He had his own purpose in mind, to emphasize the symbolism of his flower maidens. But Mr. Conried's conception was more artistic in that it left more to the imagination. It was a pleasing contrast to the garden in Baireuth, where many of the ladies, artists though they were, failed utterly to preserve the illusion of youth or the power to tempt. The transformation scene was magically effected. This second act was the scenic blemish at Baireuth.

"The lights, too, were better here, costumes, detail, accessories, better, better, better! Americans have a way of praising something that takes place at a distance. They may make many comparisons, but there can be no question as to the better presentation of the drama itself."

Deafness Cannot be Cured
by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.
We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that ca not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The fact that the whipping post has no reformatory influence on criminals in Delaware is no criterion for the rest of the country. Delaware criminals, like Delaware politicians, are a law unto themselves. For instance, any man in any other state in the Union would have given up a race for the United States senatorship after seventeen trials. But look at Addicks.—Baltimore American.

TO LET.
Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.
Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.
Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Burgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.
Two Offices in the Burgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.
A Store in Music Hall Block.
Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.
A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.
An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.
Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.
Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.
Fou dry or Shop—just put in good repair.
A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.
Quincy Real Estate Trust.
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

ADVERTISING
IN THE
QUINCY DAILY LEDGER
BRINGS BEST RESULTS.

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.
Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1371 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 36-3 Quincy. Nov. 8-tf

UNDER THE CAR OF JUGGERNAUT

(Copyright, 1903, by F. G. Ma[illegible]re.)

There was scarcely breeze enough to rustle the leaves of the vine which shaded the piazza where Jimmy Bennett was embroidering a possible strawberries on a doily. A small brown sparrow perched on the rail viewed the work critically for several moments and then fluttered noisily away. As her eyes followed the flight to a neighboring cherry tree, Jimmy heard the front gate bang and, turning, beheld coming up the path Mr. James Dent, better known to the summer colony, from the most staid matron to the smallest urchin, as Jimmy.

He came up to the veranda, etched himself comfortably in a steamer chair and mopped a perspiring brow.

"Sorter warm like, isn't it?" he said cheerfully.

Dorothy nodded.

"What variety of vegetable are you making now?" he inquired amiably, bending over her work. "Celery? I thought it was a tomato."

Dorothy made a feint at him with her needle, which he discreetly dodged.

"There's a polo game at the club tomorrow," he went on. "Want to come?"

"Indeed I do, if you'll take me," she said.

"I'm yours to command, as usual," he answered.

He lighted a cigarette and smoked for several moments in silence, his brows puckered in thought. Presently he straightened himself in his chair.

"Dorothy," he said gravely, "what have you been doing to young Ashford?"

"So after all it was partly curiosity that brought you here today," she said. But despite the nonchalance of her words she colored slightly. "What have I been doing to young Ashford? Why, I've been acting my prettiest for him, of course."

"Um-m," Dent mused. "So I feared," he said laconically. "Doll, it's too bad. Ashford is really a mighty nice kid, and he's taken it very much to heart too."

Dorothy laid down her work rather abruptly.

"Jimmy Dent," she exclaimed, "what is it young Ashford has taken so to heart, and, for heaven's sake, why is it too bad?"

"My Lady Innocence," he said, "I have seen all this many times before. History repeats itself, as it were. When I see a young man monopolizing the society of the most charming girl in Cedarville and when suddenly said young man quits her society, puts on a face like a graven image, stays much at the bar of the Country club and acts generally as if he wished the world would cave in on him, it's a pretty good indication that said young man has been proposing to said most charming girl and that she has—has t'run him down."

"I—I can't marry every man who proposes to me," she protested.

"Of course not," he admitted, "but you might shut them off a trifle sooner. It seems to me a girl with your intuition should be quick to discover matrimonial intention in its incipient stage and nip it in the bud. It's only when the disease is advanced that it is troublesome. Now, there's Ashford, poor chap. As I say, he's a really nice kid. He's running away with the idea that the light of his soul is gone out forever and all that sort of thing. Doll, it's too bad."

"It doesn't seem to me you're called upon to fight his battles," she said.

"Oh, I'm not fighting his battle. He did that himself and lost," he chuckled. "I'm merely urging a little clemency on the part of his captor. I'm really sorry for Ashford and the rest, for that matter."

"The rest?" she inquired.

"Yes. The field, we might call it, I suppose," he said. "There was—let's see—Stanley. He went to Cuba."

"And married a Spanish girl," she supplemented.

"And Crayton," he went on. "What became of him?"

"He married an actress," she said shortly.

"And numerous others," he said. "It's a regular juggernaut every season, Doll. The roadway is strewn with dead and dying when the car has passed."

"If they throw themselves beneath the wheels I can't help it," she said.

"My dear young woman," he expostulated, "not that. They try to climb aboard the car and slip off. Perhaps if the goddess were not so smiling and inviting many of the casualties might be averted."

"Indeed," she said mockingly. "This grows quite serious."

"I could give you quite a list of those who have fallen beneath the wheels and yet whose doleful groans you have never heard."

He sat twirling his cigarette thoughtfully for a moment.

"Suppose," he continued slowly, "that I should tell you I—even I—have been more or less demanded."

"I should say it was the choicest piece of fiction published this summer," she laughed.

"It's gospel truth," he said solemnly. "It will be my turn next to wear a mask of sorrow and drink too much at the Country club bar."

"Jimmy," she said gently, "I couldn't bear to see you going about with a long face. It would be awful."

"It would," he agreed.

"And I couldn't let you take to drink."

When the brown sparrow flitted back to the rail he saw an interested scene behind the [illegible]

"I did it to protect [illegible]," he was [illegible] others long [illegible] them ON.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.
Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:
Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents
Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.
LOST—Gold Stick Scarf Pin. Purple back ground and red cross on it. $1 00 reward. Address A. M. LEEK, 1318 Washington street, Boston. Jan. 1-1t

WANTED.
WANTED—By mother and daughter in Wollaston or Wollaston Park, two rooms (one or both unfurnished) with board. References exchanged. Address Lock Box No. 2, Wollaston, Mass. Dec. 29-3t

EXPERIENCED HOUSEKEEPER wishes position as housekeeper in widower's small family, or care of invalid, best of references. Address MRS. S. E. HALL, Post Office, Wollaston, Mass. Oct. 20-tf

FOR SALE.
FOR SALE—A Variety Store. Good Location. Apply 305 Water street, South Quincy. Dec. 31-1t

FOR SALE—A few more of those slightly damaged Stoves, at a reduced Price. Quincy Variety Store, WALTER P. PINEL, Manager, corner Water and Franklin streets, Quincy. Dec. 19-tf

TO LET.
TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Rent $15 per month. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31. tf

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent, $15 per month. Apply to F M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30. lp-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—48 Revere road, large front rooms, $3.00 per week; one medium size and one smaller room, $2.25 and $1.50 per week. Large bath room, all nicely furnished and heated. Quincy, Dec. 28 6t

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

FOR SALE
—OR—
TO LET.
HOUSE, Parker street, in good repair. Here is a good chance for some one to get rent free, and also good investment of money, as one flat is well rented.
HALL & BURGESS,
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 28. tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.
ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.
HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24. tf

GRANITE YARD FOR SALE.
WE will sell on favorable terms, or SHEDS, DERRICK and TOOLS including membership in Association. Sheds are on leased land. Will sell rough stock if wanted.
COOK & WATKINS,
Nov. 13, Sept. 1-tf Pope Building, Boston.

TO LET
IN QUINCY, MASS.,
By H. H. FAXON.
Houses, Stores, Hall, Rooms, Offices Stables, Land, Wharves, etc.
The Buildings are in Complete Repair.
HALL with ante-rooms and city water, No. 1355 Hancock street, opposite Post Office and on the public Square.
HALF OF SLATED ROOF HOUSE at No. 6 Chester street, Wollaston.
4 TENEMENTS, 3 to 4 rooms each, No. 5 East Howard street, $8 to $9 per month.
COTTAGE HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 9 Field street.
HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 17 Kidder street.
HALF HOUSE, corner Howard street and Howard avenue.
HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 19 Kidder street.
HALF HOUSE, 6 rooms, city water, hennery, good yard, No. 59 Pond street, now occupied by James F. Mullin.
HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 15 Bracket street.
For particulars, apply to
HENRY H. FAXON,
Quincy, Mass.
Quincy, Dec. 8, 1903. 1m

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

Vol. 16

The [illegible]

No.

Near Quin

For the past fi[illegible] repeated patronage

Our prices are

Call and see us

BERN[illegible]

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

Cler[illegible] Ran[illegible]

Every [illegible] money [illegible] range, and

Time [illegible]

Compl[illegible]

HEN[illegible]

New [illegible]

Hanco[illegible]

We [illegible]

$5.00 worth [illegible]

2 lbs. Best [illegible]

MEADOW[illegible]

Ca[illegible]

Box Cal[illegible]

Si[illegible]

Si[illegible]

The Ca[illegible] will g[illegible]

GE[illegible]

IED ADVERTISEMENTS.

ents in this column inserted at the es:

or less, one day, - - 25 cents
three days, - - - 50 cents
one week, - - - - 75 cents

lines will be charged for pro rata. equal a line. Long term rates fur. plication.

LOST.

old Stick Scarf Pin. Purple back d and red cross on it. $1 00 reward. M. LEEK, 1318 Washington n. Jan. 1-1t

WANTED.

ED—By mother and daughter in llaston or Wollaston Park, two or both unfurnished) with board. exchanged. Address Lock Box aston, Mass. Dec. 29-8t

ENCED HOUSEKEEPER wishes on as housekeeper in widower's , or care of invalid, best of refer. dress MRS. S. E. HALL, Post aston, Mass. Oct. 20-tf

FOR SALE.

LE—A Variety Store. Good Loca. Apply 305 Water street, South Dec. 31-4t

LE—A few more of those slightly ged Stoves, at a reduced Price. riety Store, WALTER P. PINEL, rner Water and Franklin streets, Dec. 19-tf

TO LET.

T—Nice tenement containing five and bath, furnace heat, situate No. k street, Quincy. Rent $15 per pply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real t, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. tf

T—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all ovements, at 22 Blake street. Rent, onth. Apply to F M. TORREY, Blake street, Wollaston. lp-tf

T—Tenements, all improvements. y to J. W. PRATT, 74 Indepen. ue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. tf

—48 Revere road, large front rooms, per week; one medium size and one om, $2.25 and $1.50 per week. th room, all nicely furnished and Quincy, Dec. 28 6t

T—Two Rooms, furnished or un. shed. Apply 26 School street. Nov. 23. tf

T—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, tly occupied by L. C. Embree & ly to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf Oct. 5-tf

FOR SALE —OR— TO LET.

SE, Parker street, in good repair. ere is a good chance for some one t free, and also good investment o one that is well rented. ALL & BURGESS, Room 13, Adams Building, Dec. 28. tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms d bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per Will be leased for one or two years. ces required. Apply at the office of F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

USE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable ncy Point. Within one minute of the cars and within ten minutes' walk of re River Ship and Engine Company. at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, ut street, Quincy, Mass. 24. tf

WHITE YARD FOR SALE.

will sell on favorable terms, on SHEDS, DERRICK and TOOLS ng membership in Association. Sheds leased land. Will sell rough stock ed.

COOK & WATKINS, 13, Sept. 1-tf Pope Building, Boston.

TO LET

IN QUINCY, MASS.,

y H. H. FAXON.

, Stores, Hall, Rooms, Offices Stables, Land, Wharves, etc.

Buildings are in Complete Repair

with ante-rooms and city water 5 Hancock street, opposite Post Office the public Square.
F OF SLATED ROOF HOUSE 5 Chester street, Wollaston.
NEMENTS, 3 to 4 rooms each, No. oward street. $8 to $9 per month.
TAGE HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. reet.
F HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 17 Kidder
F HOUSE, corner Howard street and avenue.
F HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 19 Kidder
F HOUSE, 6 rooms, city water, , good yard, No. 59 Pond tree, now d by James F. Mullin.
HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. tacket.

particulars, apply to HENRY H. FAXON, Quincy Mass. ec. 8, 1903. 1m

ERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

QUINCY LEDGER.

Vol. 16 No. 2. QUINCY, MASS., SATURDAY, JANUARY 2, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

The Program for Inauguration Day.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON

Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

Glenwood Ranges

The greatest baker on earth. Use less coal and do work quicker than any other range manufactured. Movable nickle rims, asbestos lined oven. Slide out grate, improved oven thermometer. Prices, $21.00 to $35 00.

Every range guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. A reasonable allowance for your old range, and a Glenwood on trial if you wish.

Time payments for those who wish.

Complete line of the famous Parlor Stoves.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.

New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store.

Hancock Street, Quincy.

We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

SPECIAL!

$5.00 worth Stamps with 1 lb Best Oolong Tea, 48c

DON'T PAY 60 CENTS.

OR

2 lbs. Best Mocha and Java Coffee at 28 Cents.

NONE BETTER GROWN.

DON'T PAY 35 CENTS.

MEADOWBROOK CREAMERY CO., Quincy.

— OUR —

Capitol Shoe

FOR BOYS.

Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.

Sizes 12 to 2 $1.75
Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2.00

The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.

Every Pair Warranted.

GEORGE W. JONES,

Adams Building, - QUINCY.

MAYOR BRYANT

Will Take Oath of Office for Third Time.

But Four New Men in the Council.

Summary Showing Years of Service, Age, Birthplace, etc.

The sixteenth year of the city government will be inaugurated at 12 o'clock noon on Monday. The exercise will not differ materially from other years. There is always however an interest in inauguration day and the exercises will be largely attended.

Shortly before the hour of noon City Messenger Tirrell will head the procession that will enter the chamber from the rear stairway. Following him will be City Clerk Harrison A. Keith, who will administer the oath of office to the Mayor and Councilmen; Mayor elect Charles M. Bryant, and Rev. Ellery C. Butler who will open the exercises with prayer.

This will be followed by administering the oath to the Mayor and Councilmen.

Mayor Bryant will then deliver his inaugural address which will be of the usual length.

City Clerk Keith will preside until the President of the Council is elected which will be by roll call and requires a majority vote.

Two candidates are mentioned for this office, Nathan G. Nickerson and Walter F. Nichols. Both gentlemen claim to have enough votes to elect.

Following the election of President will come the election of Clerk of Council, Clerk of Committees, City Auditor, City Messenger and two trustees of the City Hospital.

As far as known there is no opposition for any of these offices and the present efficient officials will be re-elected.

The only routine matter is the drawing of seats and as the old members are usually permitted to retain their old seats there will be but few to draw.

A loan order in anticipation of taxes is usually offered at this meeting and referred to a special committee, also an order for printing the City Book.

While Mayor Bryant has dropped no hint of his intentions, it would not be surprising if he announced the larger part of his appointments. He will also probably send in a list of constables appointed for confirmation.

A new City Council will be inaugurated next Monday at noon. Of the 23 members 20 have had experience in Councils of other years; 1 of the number enters on his sixth year; 2 for their fifth year: 6 for their fourth year; 3 for their third year; 8 for their second year, and 3 for their first year.

The ages of the Councilmen range from 26 years to 62 years. George E. Adams has the distinction of being the youngest in years and William T. Spargo the oldest.

Of the Council of 1904, six first saw the light of day in Quincy, while 13 were born in Massachusetts, Connecticut, and Ireland claim two each, while one each hailed from Vermont, New Hampshire, New York, Ohio, England and Sweden.

Sketches of the new Councilmen are given below:

ANDREW STEWART

Who enters the Council from Ward One, has had one year's experience, having served in the Council of 1902 as Councilman at large. During that year he served on the Committees of Sewers and Water Supply, and on Ordinances. He was born in Ireland about 41 years ago, and received his education there. He came to Quincy 16 years ago and has since made this city his home. His business is that of granite polisher, which he has followed for the greater part of his residence in Quincy. He is a member of the Loyal Orangemen and of the Royal Black Knights.

EUGENE R. STONE

Who will be one of the new representa-

(Continued on page 5.)

Only Three Against Purchase of School Lot.

The Social Realm.

Mark, there. We get no good
By being ungenerous, even to a book,
And calculating profits so much help
By so much reading. It is rather when
We gloriously forget ourselves and plunge
Soul forward, headlong, into a book's profound.
Impassioned for its beauty and salt of truth;
'Tis then we get the right good from a book.
Mrs. Browning.

* * *

Miss Patty Faxon of Adams street is spending a few weeks in Baltimore, at the home of her fiance, where she is being much entertained by his people, the Ogdens, who are prominent socially in the city.

* * *

The Smart Set whist club held its fourth meeting Monday evening with Miss May Melzard of Botolph street. Partners were chosen by bookmarks, the holly design upon which was suggestive of the holidays. First prizes were won by Miss Gertrude Hall and Miss Ruth Bassett; second prizes by Miss May Melzard and Mrs. Charles R. Hendrie; consolation prizes were given to Miss Emma Curtin and Miss Gertrude Warren. Refreshments and punch were served during the evening, followed by sherbet and cake at the close of the game.

* * *

The third in the series of six afternoon whist parties being given on alternate Tuesdays at the club house by the ladies of the Cochato club, Braintree, will be held next Tuesday afternoon at half-past two.

* * *

The hurdy gurdy party given by Miss Hayward yesterday afternoon from three to six in Cochato hall was very much enjoyed. Considering the short notice given the attendance was very good.

* * *

The patronesses for the Home Science association assembly at Quincy Music hall on Friday evening January twenty-second are: Mrs. Clarence Burgin, Mrs. George H. Brown, Mrs. Charles M. Bryant, Mrs. Walter E. Blanchard, Mrs. Edwin E. Davis, Mrs. Howard P. Elwell, Mrs. Thomas Fenno, Mrs. Henry I. Hall, Mrs. Nathaniel S. Hunting, Mrs. Henry L. Kincaide, Mrs. Charles H. Porter, Mrs. Charles A. Price, Mrs. Harry E. Russell, Mrs. Russell A. Sears, Mrs. Thomas L. Sturtevant, Mrs. Eugene H. Sprague, Mrs. Dexter E. Wadsworth, Mrs. Frank P. Waterhouse.

* * *

Mrs. E. C. Butler is spending a few days with friends in Beverly.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Emery of Adams street entertained the Wednesday night whist club this week.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. John Christiansen of Irving place, have been entertaing their daughter, Mrs. Bennett, of Connecticut, during the holidays.

* * *

The January meeting of Adams chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, will be held next Monday afternoon at half past two at the John Adams birthplace.

* * *

Mrs. William W. Hill of Woburn is to be a guest of the Mothers' meeting in Bethany chapel, on Wednesday afternoon, when she will read a paper on: "Some ideals in the training of our children."

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. Chandler M. Hayford of Portsmouth, N. H., are holiday guests of their son, Dr. Herbert S. Hayford.

* * *

The Century club of North Weymouth held its first meeting of the season New Year's night. Mrs. W. A. Drake, Mrs. H. A. Newton and B. F. Thomas had charge of the entertainment and an interesting and instructive program was given.

* * *

Ex-Mayor and Mrs. C. F. Adams will sail today on the Republic for the Mediterranean.

* * *

Mr. Ernest Everett Belcher of Weymouth and Miss Mae Marshall of Quincy were married on Christmas eve. A reception followed the ceremony attended by the friends f the young people.

The Tawasentha club always enjoys a debate and has one scheduled for their next meeting on Tuesday evening, January fifth, when the club meets with Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Crane of Revere road. Those participating are: Messrs. John F. Hunt, E. C. Sargent, Frank W. Crane and Dr. Abele.

* * *

At the next meeting of the Day Nursery association, in the council chamber, City Hall, on Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 5th at half-past two, the reports of the several special committees will be read and acted upon. An instructive talk on the need for and help from a knowledge of Parliamentary law will be given by Miss Elizabeth Merrill of Dorchester, a member of the Dorchester Woman's club.

* * *

The travel talks by Mrs. Marie Moore, of Newton discontinued during the holidays, are to be resumed next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. F. Welch, when Antwerp and Brussels will be the subject.

* * *

Miss Elizabeth Thayer has for her guest Miss Dickey, daughter of Mr. Charles Herman Dickey of Baltimore.

* * *

Miss Anna May Howe of Watertown has been for the past week the guest of Miss Helen Barnes of Pine street.

* * *

Miss Marion Lewis of Farrington street has for her guest Miss Elizabeth Stevens of Albany, New York.

* * *

On Friday evening Jan. eighth, the Unity club of Wollaston, will devote the evening to Japanese drama under the leadership of Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney.

* * *

The first art exhibition of the new year in Boston is that of the Boston Art Club which opened Friday, Jan. 1, to continue for one month. This will be the sixty-ninth exhibition of the club and will be confined to oil paintings and sculptures.

* * *

The engagement is announced of Mr. John Reardon of Quincy and Miss M. Nellie Hart of Weymouth.

* * *

Miss Bertha T. Richards, Miss Abbie G. Barnes, Miss Ethelin Powell, Miss Edith L. Brett and Miss Grace E. Batson, have issued invitations for a subscription dancing party to be held at Faxon hall, next Friday evening.

* * *

Mrs. Benjamin Johnson and Miss Marion Johnson, of Mill street sail next week for Europe, leaving Quincy on Monday.

* * *

The Chromatic club of Boston, gave a fine New Year's concert at Chipman hall, yesterday morning which drew out a large gathering of Quincy friends.

* * *

Miss Helen E. Bemis of Atlantic was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fenton, of North Easton, a few days last week.

* * *

Mr. John Herman Loud of Brookline, son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Loud of Weymouth, has been engaged to give the opening organ recital on the new organ of the Olivet Baptist church, Montreal, Canada, some time about the middle of the month.

* * *

The course of art and travel talks by Mrs. Marie A. Moore discontinued during the holidays will be resumed on Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock at the residence of Mrs. J. F. Welch; subject, Antwerp and Brussels. Mrs. Moore's well known reputation as a writer, lecturer and traveller and the interest with which she always invests her subjects should command for her here the success she notably obtains in other places. She has travelled extensively in the countries she describes and carries her audiences with her in such a delightful manner that they feel as if they had taken the journey with her to the wonders and treasures of the Old World.

(Continued on Page 5.)

CITY COUNCIL

Pass Order for Purchase of Wasson Lot.

Pay of Engineer is Advanced.

Veto of Mayor on Houghs Neck Appropriation Sustained.

The last meeting of the City Council of 1903 was held last evening. The meeting was well attended Councilman Adams being the only absent member.

LICENSE FOR ENGINEERS.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the local union of Steam Engineers, asking that the Council pass an ordinance giving any police officer authority to arrest any man who runs an engine more than a week without a license. To the next Council.

A VETO.

The Mayor returned without his approval the order for $500 for purchase of a horse and harness for the fire station at Houghs Neck. His reasons were that the order did not provide for any additional men and would therefore be useless. It would be better to provide a hook and ladder and three permanent men.

Councilman Whiton thought the Mayor was right in part. He did not believe, however that the City Council would pass an order for $6,000 for several years.

Councilman Meyer agreed with the Mayor. The idea of having a horse and harness without a man to care for them was ridiculous on its face, and reflects on the committee who reported such an order.

Councilmen Reardon did believe in expending $3,000 at Houghs Neck when the amount could be used better in other parts of the city.

Mayor Bryant, in reply to a question, stated that the order called for the immediate purchase of a horse and harness. No man could be put there until the Ordinance was changed.

The veto was sustained.

The auctioneer's bond of Fred E. Goss was approved.

PETITIONS.

The Telephone Co. petitioned for the removal of one pole on Temple street. To next Council.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Licenses reported leave to withdraw on some petitions for minor licenses, and reference to the next Council on others.

The Committee on Finance reported reference to next Council on order refunding tax title of $19.89 to John H. Dinegan.

The Committee on Finance reported favorable on the order transferring $510 to Poor Department to pay bills of 1902. Rules suspended and order passed.

The Committee on Finance reported reference to the next Council of the order refunding tax to the New York and Boston express.

The order authorizing the Treasurer to refund $127.52 to Tax Collector, paid by error, was passed.

The order granting the Telephone Co. a location for one pole on Howard avenue was passed.

SCHOOL LOT.

Upon motion of Councilman Gassett the order for the purchase of the Wasson lot for a school lot at Atlantic, was taken from the table.

Councilmen Bass moved reference to the the next City Council, arguing that city was within $21,000 of tax limit.

Councilman Langelier opposed, and favored passage of order. The argument relative to finances promised to remain uncharged for five or ten years. After passage of order the city would have a margin of $11,000. This would be increased when we enter on the new year, and big payments on the debt would be made early in the year. Further, the owner of the lot would give no guarantee relative to price in 1904. He has said, however, that if

(Continued on Page 4.)

Strenuous Times
AT THE
DERBY STORE.

The Bankrupt Sale
Continues with Unabated Vigor.
Good Merchandise at *Wonderfully Low Prices* is the attraction.

Come see our MEN'S SUITS at $4.49, $5.49, $6.50, $8 and $10
BOYS' SUITS, HALF PRICE.

Men's Stiff Hats, 98c., worth $2
Winter Caps, 35c., 42c., 79c

NOW IS THE TIME FOR
OVERSHOES and RUBBERS.
Keep out the snow for less money than it takes to buy a bottle of cough medicine.

4 BUCKLE ARTICS, $1.75 PER PAIR
MEN'S RUBBERS, 50 CENTS
BOYS' RUBBERS, 25 CENTS

Other goods for Men and Boys at ruinously low prices to close out the entire stock at

C. F. DERBY'S
OLD STAND,
Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

SKATES SHARPENED.
Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .
24 Granite Street,
NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.
Dec. 21. 1m

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER.
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

WOOD! WOOD! WOOD!
OF ALL KINDS.
DRY AND GREEN
At Lowest Possible Prices.
THOS. O'BRIEN & SONS.
Yard off Miller and West Streets, West Quincy.
Jan. 7. tf

MAIN SPRINGS
Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.
Work called for and delivered.
SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

TELEPHONES
—FOR—
Suburban Residents

The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company offers, for a limited period, trial telephones in suburban residences of those who have never had telephone service.

Contract Department,
101 Milk Street.
Telephone, Main 6028.
Boston, Oct. 21. tf

Dr. Emmons'
Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively saves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

RUSSIA IS WAITING

Has Not Yet Replied to the Japanese Proposals

A RUMOR MEANING WAR

Japanese Minister at Paris, From Whom It Was Credited With Having Emanated, Says There Is Nothing New In Situation

Paris, Jan. 2.—Absolutely nothing is known in official circles of the advices said to have been sent from Paris to the Japanese minister in London to the effect that Russia has decided not to grant the Japanese proposals. It is pointed out, moreover, that Foreign Minister Delcasse left Paris last night for Nice, which is thought he certainly would not have done if serious news had been received.

At the Japanese legation here Minister Montono authorized a categorical denial of a report that advices had been sent from the legation at Paris to the Japanese minister at London that Russia had decided not to grant the Japanese proposals. This report came to Paris from London and New York while officials generally were participating in a brilliant New Year's festivity centering at the Elysee palace.

The foreign office and other governmental establishments were closed and the ambassadors, ministers and distinguished personages were taking part in a series of official functions. The general tone of official comment during these informal exchanges was somewhat improved, President Loubet's address to the diplomatic corps taking international peace as a text. The new Russian ambassador, M. Nelidoff, and Minister Montono were among the attentive listeners to the president's remarks and consequently the report of Paris advices that Russia had decided not to grant Japan's proposals was somewhat inexplicable at the Japanese legation.

Minister Montono last night received a number of his countrymen and officials. The patriotic sentiment of the Japanese is shown in the decorating of the legation entrance with large Japanese flags. When asked regarding the utterances of Baron Hayashi, Minister Montono said that certainly no such report emanated from him, and that he was the usual medium for advices of that character to his colleagues in London. He remarked that, on the contrary, the day had passed without advices having been received, and that the status of the situation continued to be the awaiting of Russia's reply. When asked for his views on the outlook for the maintenance of peace, Minister Montono asked to be excused from replying, saying that the situation was too delicate to permit him to express his views on possible results. He said, however, that there were no advices to warrant a more serious view of the situation.

Watching War Preparations

St. Petersburg, Jan. 2.—The foreign office announces that nothing has been done in connection with a reply to Japan. The Japanese minister here is unable to confirm or deny the advices received from Paris by Baron Hayashi, Japanese minister to Great Britain, that Russia had decided not to grant the Japanese proposals. He says an answer to these proposals has not yet been made. It is generally accepted in diplomatic circles here as unlikely that an answer will soon be delivered, and attention is now mainly directed to the Japanese war preparations.

Silence Considered Ominous

London, Jan. 2.—The fact that not a single telegram from Japan has been received by any London newspaper since Thursday night creates alarm. The telegraph company is not aware of any delay in the transit of messages, and it is therefore supposed that the Japanese government is stopping dispatches. The feeling of apprehension was reflected at Lloyds yesterday, underwriters demanding additional premium to cover a war risk on all vessels, no matter of what nationality, proceeding east of Singapore. The London morning papers print alarmist statements.

Looking Toward United States

Paris, Jan. 2.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Paris edition of the New York Herald says that the active far eastern policy of the United States attracts much attention and causes distinct distrust. This feeling culminated, the correspondent says, in the announcement that an American fleet would sail for Asiatic waters and that the American minister at Seoul had been directed to obtain a definite answer regarding the opening of Wiju to foreign trade.

Muscovites Uneasy

Moscow, Jan. 2.—Nothing confirmatory of the advices from Paris to Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister at London, is known here. A high official says that he still believes the trouble will ultimately be arranged. An uneasy feeling prevails here, however.

Russia Buying Hay

Carson, Nev., Jan. 2.—A large amount of hay is being purchased in Nevada for immediate shipment to San Francisco. It is stated that the hay is being purchased for the Russian government.

RED MOUNTAIN NUPTIALS

By JOHN BARTON OXFORD

Copyright, 1903, by T. C. McClure

When the westbound stage drew up at Crawford's that April afternoon a solitary passenger alighted—a tall, strong featured young man who carried himself with an air of determination. Billy Crawford, lounging in the doorway of the barroom, languidly smoking a stubby clay pipe, looked at the arrival critically. He noted the man's face, of the chalky whiteness of unpolished marble, the dark rings under his eyes and the gaunt hollows in his cheeks, which made the cheek bones glaringly apparent.

Billy had seen many such arrivals before. Generally, though, they lacked the combativeness this man's bearing seemed to suggest. They were prone to wear a tired, hopeless, often frightened, look. Generally, too, they went back in a few months by the stage again—in a long box on the trunk rack behind.

Billy was mentally figuring how long it would be before this one went back in such fashion, when the young man strode briskly up the steps and accosted him.

"Are you the proprietor here?"

Billy "reckoned he was."

"Accommodate me here?" The young man shot out his questions with no waste of words.

"How long?" said Billy, removing his evil smelling pipe.

"As long as I like the place," said the other. "Maybe all summer, maybe a year, maybe longer."

Billy thought to himself, "Maybe four or five months at the most," but he said, "Guess so," replaced his pipe, and, picking up the bulging suitcase, led his guest within.

From behind the closed blinds in the second story of the little red shack—a stage station which Billy Crawford had christened the "Red Mountain inn"—some one else had watched the arrival of the stage, and that some one was Araminta Crawford, Billy's daughter. She saw the determined looking man, with his almost defiant air and his pale, sunken cheeks. As her father was showing the way upstairs she heard the man's spasmodic cough, and her heart was filled with sudden pity at the thought of his coming to that deserted corner of the world to die, for despite the reputation of the climate of the Red mountain district as a healer of damaged breathing apparatus Araminta had seen the long boxes on the trunk rack too often to put much faith in it.

At supper time the young man was the sole guest in the smoky dining room. Araminta was waitress as well as cook. When she came into the dining room the guest fixed his eyes upon her. She was good to look upon—dark, well formed, with a fullness of figure and an unstudied ease which youth and life in the open air had given her.

Crawford came into the dining room for a moment to inquire concerning his guest's comfort. He indicated his daughter with a wave of his hand.

"My daughter, Minta, Mr.—er—er—Mr."—

"Deming," the guest supplemented, turning to the girl. From that moment Jack Deming dated the beginning of his recovery.

In the days that followed Deming saw much of the girl. He found her frank, unaffected, good hearted, yet with a keenness of mind which accorded ill with the narrowness of her surroundings. Her father and the men who came to the inn were gross and coarse. Aside from the old negro woman who assisted about the place, there was not a woman within thirty miles. Yet the girl was womanly, quiet and possessed of a native refinement and a simple frankness which Deming found irresistibly charming.

The weeks flew past, and Deming improved. He was much in Minta's company, and the more he saw of the girl the deeper grew his interest in her. He showed her his diploma from Yale and told her of his life in the world outside, while she listened eagerly for every detail. They walked together, they fished in the stream at the back of the inn, they set up a target and tried his rifles, and the girl proved to be a far better shot than he. Meanwhile his lungs mended, and he developed a very common form of heart trouble, of which Minta was the cause.

There could be but one ending to it all. One October night Deming sought Crawford, who was smoking sleepily in the deserted barroom. Deming made known his intentions, and Crawford came suddenly from his somnolent mood and swore roundly.

"No," said Crawford. "Minta marry a consumptive—a tenderfoot consumptive? No, sir; she is going to marry the son of old Jones, who runs the stage route. That was arranged years ago. He's got money to burn and nothing the matter with his lungs."

Deming turned angrily on his heel and left the room. Outside in the moonlight he met Minta, who laughed when he told her of the interview, whispered a few words into his ear and then ran swiftly into the house.

Late next afternoon, when the stage drew up at Crawford's, Deming stood on the porch saying goodby to Billy.

"No hard feelin', I hope?" Billy was saying.

"None at all, I assure you," Deming replied, with a twinkle in his eye, for behind Crawford's back he saw Ed Dempsey, the stage driver, helping a woman into the coach.

Twenty minutes later, after the coach had rattled off toward Red Mountain, Billy called his daughter.

"Minta!" he bellowed through the house. "Minta! Where in tarnation is the girl?"

"I done seen her gittin' into de stage, suh," said the colored girl.

Far up on the stage road, which winds about Red mountain, you can look down a bluff and see the road twisting along below. Deming and Minta, looking down the bluff, caught sight of a solitary horseman riding madly along the rocky path. Deming leaned out the window.

"Crawford's coming up the trail," he shouted. "It's $50 in your pocket, Ed, if you land us at Madison Flats ahead of him."

Dempsey let out his team until the coach rocked and swayed, and the only other passenger, a thin, nervous man, clutched the seat and gasped.

Then they heard Ed shouting to the team. The pace slackened as he set brakes hard. Instinctively Deming opened the door and pushed Minta before him. At the same moment there was a crash, the coach toppled over, and he found himself pinned beneath the other passenger, who could not move.

Minta scrambled from the dirt by the roadside unhurt, and Dempsey cut loose and pacified the struggling team. Then together they ran to the coach. Neither man within was hurt, but both were pinned down in the coach.

An inspiration came to Ed Dempsey. He put his face close to the wrecked coach.

"Say, in thar!" he called. "Are you the new minister for Cedar Creek?"

"I am," was the response.

"Well," said Ed, "I reckon you've got your first job right here. You're layin' acrost the groom, an' the bride's here by me, an' daddy, madder 'n a wet hen, is comin' up the trail like thunder on a cyclone. Git together, everybody."

The imprisoned clergyman rose to the occasion.

"Can you manage to clasp each other's hands?" he asked simply.

Then with the bride on her knees in the dirt clasping the hand of the groom, across whom lay the officiating clergyman, the ceremony was performed.

As it finished Billy Crawford galloped up.

"What in thunder does this mean?" he gasped.

"It means," said Dempsey, "that you are just in time to help me git that dogoned coach off'n your son-in-law, John Deming, and the Rev. Mr. Whitten, who performed the ceremony somewhat informal-like about five minutes ago."

A Glimpse of Tennyson.

Wilfrid Ward in "Problems and Persons" tells this, illustrating Tennyson's mixture of bashfulness and dogmatism:

If a stranger had come to see him the shyness and abstraction might last longer. I remember once going to Farrington with a friend—a true worshiper of his genius—and after the first words of greeting he seemed to be entirely in the clouds until, after long waiting, we hit upon a device to arouse him. A picture by Edward Lear hung in the room, and under it were four lines from "The Palace of Art:"

One seemed all dark and red, a tract of sand,
And some one pacing there alone,
Who paced forever in a glimmering land,
Lit with a low, large moon.

We were looking at the picture, and I said to my companion, "Read the lines." She read them, giving them a kind of metrical jingle. In a moment Tennyson, who had been standing alone at the other side of the room, stepped rapidly across, seized her arm and said, "Don't read them like that," and went on with his deep, sonorous voice to read, or, rather, chant, them himself with the roll which was so well known to his friends.

Wonders of Wales.

The wonders of Wales are: (1) Snowdon, the highest peak of southern Britain; (2) Overton churchyard, Flintshire, with its yew trees of great antiquity; (3) the fine peal of bells of Gresford church, Denbighshire; (4) Llangollen bridge, in the beautiful vale, built by Bishop Trevor in 1345, a singular structure of four pointed arches, the two center spans being smaller than the two ends; (5) Wrexham church tower, a richly decorated structure of six stages, 135 feet high, on three sides of which are rows of saints in canopied niches; (6) Pystyl Rhaydr waterfall, Radnor, almost destroyed by alterations in the river bed in 1780; (7) St. Winifred's well, Holywell, around which cluster endless traditions.

St. Winifred was martyred by Caradoc in the seventh century, and a chapel was built to her memory by Margaret, queen of Henry VII., in 1490, whither pilgrims have resorted from the earliest times, even down to 1894, leaving behind them votive offerings in the shape of crutches and invalid chairs.

She Knew the Reason.

He was smoking and musing over the ways of the world. "Odd, isn't it," he said at last, "how few people attain their ideals in this world?"

"In what way?" inquired his wife suspiciously, for she was not a woman to be caught off her guard.

"Well," he replied slowly, "I was thinking of Wilmer when I spoke. He had an ideal woman that he was always talking about when he was in college. She was tall and stately in his dreams, and he seemed to have no place in his heart for a small woman, and yet—and yet"—

"Well?"

"Why, he finally married a little thing who hardly comes to his shoulder. I wonder why it was?"

"Perhaps, Fred," she said very slowly and distinctly, "he is like the majority of other men and was afraid to take any one of his size."

He changed the subject.—New York Times.

THE DARKY'S NEW YEAR SONG

MISTER NEW YEAR, come erlong;
Make a mighty show!
Singin' er de same ole song
Ever'body know:

"Howdy, howdy do, suh;
Happy days ter you, suh!
Lots er money,
Weather sunny,
En de whole sky blue, suh!"

Mister New Year comin' 'long,
Trompin' crost de snow;
Say he gwine ter right de wrong;
Make de roses grow!

"I TOO WISE FER YOU, SUH!"

"Howdy, howdy do, suh;
Heah's my love ter you, suh!
Give you money,
Milk en honey,
Make dat ole coat new, suh!"

Mister New Year, go yo' ways!
I done had my schoolin';
Seen a lot er New Year days;
I too old fer foolin'!

I too wise fer you, suh,
Wid yo' "Howdy do, suh!"
Talk too cheap;
Go sew en reap
En bring dem skies er blue, suh!
—Atlanta Constitution.

THE NEW YEAR'S TABLE.

Dishes Hot and Cold Suitable For the Day.

Following is a list of hot and cold dishes suitable to be served informally on New Year's day:

Hot—Chicken consomme, beef tea, clear green turtle soup, chicken okra in cups oyster poulette, chicken, lobster and sweetbread, croquettes and patties, lobster Newburg.

Cold—Pickled oysters, roast turkey, partridge, quail, boiled ham, tongue.

Salads—Chicken, lobster, potato, crab.

Sandwiches—Ham, chicken, tongue, sardine, cheese, nut, beef, turkey.

Sweet Dishes—Ice cream, biscuit, Tortoni, biscuit glace, cafe parfait, strawberry parfait, charlotte russe, meringue glace, meringue a la creme, New Year's cookies, chocolate, lemon, orange and jelly layer cakes, fruit cake, mince, apple and pumpkin pies, fruit tarts, all varieties of fresh fruits, varieties of cheeses, crackers, biscuits, wafers.

Beverages—Lemonade, tea, coffee, chocolate.

New Year's Cookies.

Beat to a cream three-quarters of a pound of butter and a pound of sugar. Add three eggs and beat them through the butter and sugar till thoroughly mingled. Then add half a pint of sour milk and a level teaspoonful of saleratus dissolved in a tablespoonful of hot water. Next put in a gill of caraway seeds and a level teaspoonful of mace. Stir in flour till the dough is stiff enough to roll out thin. After it is rolled as thin as pie crust cut the cookies out with a scalloped round cutter, lift them with a pancake knife from the pastry board, put them in a dripping pan, sprinkle over each cooky a little sugar and bake them in a moderate oven.

The New Year's Wassail Cup.

Throughout all Europe the wassail cup in one form or another is a feature of the day. In old times one cup of gigantic size served the entire company, and when a man arose and took the huge vessel in both hands to drink to the guests a trusted friend rose with him and with drawn sword stood by his side lest he should be traitorously stabbed in the breast while drinking.—Selected.

A Year and a Day.

"I always feel a pity for the poor young men of Greenland, those Eskimo chaps, you know," said Clarence. "No matter if those poor fellows keep their New Year's resolutions a whole year people would throw it up to them that they could hardly stand by their principles for two days. Sad, isn't it? Very."—Chicago Tribune.

Years and Men.

The year is dying; soon 'twill lie
Behind us in the fading past.
We watch it going, and we sigh
To think it couldn't always last.
All pensive for a little while
We count the vanished years and fret,
Then greet the new one with a smile
And hurry onward and forget.

The passing years are like the men
We have to serve—they pass away.
We mourn the master dead, and then
The new one welcome and obey.
We soon forget, if he is kind,
The virtues of the kindly dead;
We do not mourn the years behind
If hope lies in the one ahead.
—S. E. Kiser in Chicago Record-Herald.

Karo
CORN SYRUP
the new table delicacy pleases the palate and satisfies the stomach. Delicious and nutritious. At all grocers, 10c, 25c and 50c.
CORN PRODUCTS CO., New York and Chicago.

HALL and BURGESS,
Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, De . 30. 1y

Hardware Supply Co.,
1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES
Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.
Dec. 29. tf

CARD.
Mrs. F. H. Hewins,
—: Formerly in the :—
Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.
Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Failing Hair and all Scalp Irritations
METHOD OF THE SHOENSTROM INSTITUTE PARIS.
Offices:
128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.
Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903. tf

PICTURES
FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

Insured for $2,000 000
L. Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, the eminent merchant of New York and Philadelphia, has taken out a policy in
The Prudential Insurance Co.
for $1,000,000 paying an annual premium of over $30,000. This makes him the most heavily insured man in the world, with the single exception of King Edward VII.
Mr Wanamaker's total insurance is now $2,000,000
Ask yourself WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed one-half this great amount with The Prudential.
Your business judgment will at once reply: "Because after full investigation and comparison, Mr. Wanamaker found that the company which could give him the best insurance for a given amount of money was The Prudential."
Undoubtedly you will agree that Mr. Wanamaker does not pay over $30,000 per year except for most excellent reasons.
These reasons apply to YOU precisely as well as they do to HIM.
Better apply TODAY for information regarding Prudential policies to
FRANK CHESTER MANN,
General Agent for Eastern Massachusetts
209 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.
HENRY O FAIRBANKS,
Aug. 27-eod-1y Special Agent.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO all persons interested in the estate of
JOSEPH F BERRY,
late of Quincy, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, George H. Brown, the trustee under the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the fourth account of his trust under said will.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said County, on the sixth day of January, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said trustee is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

JOHN D. COBB, Assist. Register.
Dec. 19. 3t—19-26-2

Karo
CORN SYRUP
new table delicacy
ses the palate and
ies the stomach.
ous and nutri-
At all grocers,
25c and 50c.
PRODUCTS CO.,
rk and Chicago.

and BURGESS,
Mortgages, Insurance.
ERS and APPRAISERS.
eace. Notary Public
ills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
30. 1y

re Supply Co.,
neock St., Quincy.
KATES
Sharpeners.
DS,
LEDS,
W SHOVELS,
IDEWALK CLEANERS.
ERN', 50 cts.
SHOVELS,
SIEVES,
HODS,
and
ORSES.
tf

ARD.
F. H. Hewins,
Formerly in the :—
k Building, Quincy, Mass.
like to inform her
s that she is now
a specialty of treat-
Scalp for Dandruff
lling Hair and all
ritations
F THE SHCENSTROM IN-
STITUTE PARIS.
Offices:
ONT St., BOSTON, MASS.
29, 1904. tf

CTURES
AT VERY LOW PRICES.
them in and see for yourself.
d from Photographs. Good
ed.
ITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
. Aug 20. tf

for $2,000 000
Wanamaker, son of John Wana-
ent merchant of New York and
s taken out a policy in
dential Insurance Co.
paying an annual premium of
This makes him the most heavily
the world, with the single
g Edward VII.
aker's total insurance is now
WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed
eat amount with The Prudential.
s judgment will at once reply:
r full investigation and com-
a moment found that the com-
uld give him the best insurance
mount of money was The Pru-
you will agree that Mr. Wana-
ot pay over $30,000 per year
excellent reasons.
s apply to YOU precisely as
to HIM.
TODAY for information re-
tial policies to
CHESTER MANN,
for Eastern Massachusetts
gton Street, Boston, Mass.
FAIRBANKS,
y Special Agent.

alth of Massachusetts.
PROBATE COURT.
s interested in the estate of
OSEPH F BERRY,
In said county, deceased.
eorge H. Brown, the trustee
of said deceased, has presented
the fourth account of his
d will.
eby cited to appear at a Probate
eld at Dedham, in said County,
day of January, A. D. 1904, at
the forenoon, to show cause, if
, why the same should not be
rustee is ordered to serve this
delivering a copy thereof to all
ested in the estate fourteen days
e said Court, or by publishing
in each week for three successive
Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper
Quincy, the last publication to be
t before said Court, and by mail-
a copy of this citation to all
s interested in the estate seven
fore said Court.
ES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of
s sixteenth day of December, in
ousand nine hundred and three.
HN D. COBB, Assist. Register.
3t—19-26-2

AMARYLLIS

By MARTHA McCULLOCH-WILLIAMS

Copyright, 1903, by T. C. McClure

Outside it was raw and gusty, with white, high lying clouds scudding so thickly across a pale sky that only wan and watery sunshine strained through the breaks between. Inside there was the balm of May, especially in the south parlor, where I knew I should find Myrtilla.

Myrtilla is tall and twenty, with a child's foot and a turn of the head and neck that would become an empress. She has coral red lips, a fine, straight nose, olive skin, dark almond eyes, heavily lashed and lidded, and a low, straight brow, deeply shadowed by dusky floss silk hair. In virtue of all this she reigns as a queen over most men. We had been engaged until two weeks ago—to be exact, until the date of the Verinews' ball and the episode of the Grantley girl.

The ball is ancient history now; besides, it has really nothing to do with the case. I left off dancing—with the Grantley girl at 4 a. m.—to fling myself into tweeds and set forth upon a week's journey. Coming home from it, I found my table cumbered with my letters to Myrtilla down to the most fragmentary note—those of the last week unopened—my ring, my books, a bracelet or two, the locket with my picture and a litter of those idiotic things one sends at Christmas and Easter and on birthdays. It was this litter that saved me from utter despair. I reasoned that if Myrtilla had cared enough for me to keep it all this time she could not give up caring for me in a moment.

Still, I knew there was a tough job ahead. But I did not dream she would go to the length of refusing to see or hear me or even to listen to my side of the case through Aunt Bab, most tactful of intermediaries. Her people backed her, too—all but Dicky. Dicky is fifteen and owns the distinction of being the only thing in trousers Myrtilla has found herself unable to subjugate. I cannot flatter myself that Dicky's advocacy of my cause was wholly disinterested. Dicky has a fine taste in terrier pups and a relish for stolen gallops on my hunters. At home he is allowed nothing more hazardous than a steady going cob. However that may be, it meant a lot to have any sort of friend at court. Otherwise, how should the hall door have swung open at my approach? The servants had strict orders to shut it civilly in my face.

"She's in there. It beats me why you want her why you want any girl, when you've got heaps of dogs and horses," Dicky said, grinning, as I shot past him. "She's been real hateful polite; no good for even a fight this whole week." Dicky's voice pursued me down the hall.

The south parlor is a square jut, open upon three sides to the sun, with walls more than half windows, iron barred outside and full of green growing things within. There is a big fireplace. Myrtilla stood in front of it, her eyes intently fixed upon the smoldering logs. At my entrance she started ever so little, turned her head the least bit and kept on staring in the fire.

"Myrtilla," I ventured irresolutely, my hand still on the doorknob.

She sat down and took up her embroidery, her face still further averted. Then I knew I had won half a point. If she had been as angry as she believed herself to be she would have marched away with her nose in the air.

I began again formally, "Miss Grey," but stopped short. She had begun to whistle over her work softly, meditatively, as though she knew herself to be alone.

Something happened then. I am neither poet nor romancer, but my ranging eye saw in the south window a creature of tropic charm, slim and tall, green gowned as a wood nymph, with wonderful golden tawny eyes and a crown still more wonderfully red. As I went to her she shivered and set all her green gown fluttering defensively, but I paid no heed to it, only said joyously, baring my head:

"Amaryllis! You are a real godsend! I was never so glad to see any one in all my life."

Myrtilla's head came around so that I saw her profile out of the tail of my eye. I fancied she stared, but dared not make sure of it. My wood nymph barely nodded; her tremors were all at rest. I bent toward her low enough to look into her golden tawny eyes and ran on:

"What have you done to yourself? You are so beautiful, so strangely, so rarely beautiful, it makes me desperate that I did not keep my heart for you, or, rather, it would make me desperate if hearts were things that could be given or kept at will."

Certainly the wood nymph stared; the golden tawny eyes looked at me unwinking. Myrtilla's head had turned a little more. Her lips were the least bit parted, as though her breath came hard. I straightened and stuck a hand in my pocket as I added:

"The pity of it! There's a true heart gone to waste! True hearts are none so plenty, Amaryllis."

"Certainly they are not," came scornfully from the fireside. I affected not to hear and went on manfully:

"I've played and lost—lost so miserably. Listen—then tell me if you think I quite deserve what I am getting?"

"I am going away," came faintly from Myrtilla's chair, but Myrtilla herself sat still and even made a pretense of putting stitches into her work. Finding me silent through a long minute, she sat very straight and added:

"Naturally one is nervous at finding oneself alone with a lunatic. Only lunatics talk to things as though they were people."

"Don't mind her, Amaryllis," I said softly. "Poor creature, she is jealous. She thinks you are no more than a lily blooming in a pot. We know better, of course."

"Really I did not dream you had so much imagination," Myrtilla said outright, snipping her thread as she spoke.

I stared harder than ever at Amaryllis, saying: "Imagination is a fearful thing sometimes. I am glad, Amaryllis, you altogether lack it. You would never see in ordinary civilities to a pretty girl anything to turn your lovely golden tawny eyes green."

"Dancing or sitting out every other number, I suppose, comes under the head of 'ordinary civilities,'" Myrtilla said, her lip curling.

I kept on quietly: "And even if you felt hurt you would let me explain. The Verinews have hearts as big as their fortune. Thus it happens I owe them what money can never pay. Not so many years back there was a big flurry in the street that put my governor in the worst sort of hole. It needed a cool million to get him out, and a Verinew million did it. Yet the governor was hardly an acquaintance. Verinew learned his extremity by chance and came to his help because, as he phrased it, he didn't think the other side was putting up a square deal. It does not lessen the obligation that he got his million back, plus a good profit. Eventually the Grantley girl will have it, with several millions more. She is a granddaughter—unacknowledged because Mme. Verinew wishes to seem as young as their fortune—but the very apple of the Verinew eye. They wanted her to be the belle of the ball—she was shy and sensitive and frightened half out of her wits. Somehow she trusted me"—

"I don't at all wonder at that," said a voice from the fireplace.

I bowed gravely and resumed: "When she is not frightened she is pretty, Amaryllis. Her head is splendidly red—not quite so red as yours. She is light on her feet, too, and loves to dance as well as the flowers do. The trouble is she has not yet quite caught the rhythms she must move to, so needs must lean heavily upon her partner. I understood; some of the others did not. Occasionally one was flurried, still more occasionally one impertinent. And a single cad let her see he was ashamed of dancing with her in spite of the millions. At her first ball! Think of it! I had to take away the sting of it somehow. Perhaps I did seem devoted, but she didn't misunderstand. I told her about Myrtilla in our very first waltz."

A little inarticulate cry from the fireplace here. Covertly I saw tears on Myrtilla's cheeks. She made as though to rise, but sank back, turned away her head and resumed the furious stabbing with her needle. I gathered the greenery of Amaryllis in my hands, laid my cheek against it and said dreamily:

"Amaryllis, tell me why I am fated to love dusky hair. All the painters and poets agree that red is ever so much more beautiful."

"Are you sure, quite sure, you do love it?" Myrtilla asked tremulously. She was not answered in words.

Five minutes later Dicky, bursting in upon us, found us side by side, looking down at Amaryllis through sunshine grown suddenly and magically warm and golden. After a long look Dicky whistled, turned on his heel and said from the door over his shoulder: "So you two have made it up. McSnifters said you would, 'cause that red lily bloomed so far ahead of time. But I don't care about that. All I want is to know what you're goin' to give me when you get married."

What Constitutes Death.

Is the cessation of the heart's action an invariable sign of death? There is on record the case of a woman whose heart was revived by artificial respiration some time after she was supposed to have died, but the heart stopped again when the artificial respiration was given up. There is on record also the case of a decapitated murderer whose heart continued to beat for an hour after the execution. Was the man dead?

Obviously the cessation of the brain's activities is no criterion. A medical authority who has lately considered this absorbing and important question offers the following definition of what we call "death:" "Death," it is suggested, is the name given to the inability of the organs of the body to act together with that harmony which is characteristic of "life," although the derangement of this vital harmony does not preclude a possible activity of the individual organs, which recalls Herbert Spencer's well known definition of life as a continued adjustment of internal relations to external relations.—Harper's Weekly.

A Bargain.

"I have something for you here, my love," said Mr. Darley as he proceeded to open a large, round box.

"What is it, precious?"

"Wait and see."

Darley carefully unwrapped the article and disclosed a lady's hat.

"Isn't it a beauty?" he asked. "I bought it myself as a surprise to you. Don't you think it is a perfect dream?"

Mrs. Darley gazed at the hat and burst into tears.

"I can't wear it!" she cried. "It doesn't suit me at all. You meant to please me, I know, but it isn't my style at all."

"Don't cry, dear. The milliner said you could exchange it, and if you'll agree not to buy any ties for me hereafter I'll let you select your own hats and bonnets."

An agreement was concluded on that basis.

FOR A GIFT.

OFFERED FOR SALE FOR THE FIRST TIME.

Complete for **50 cts.** Rules with Game.

EVERYTHING LOCAL.

"REGDEL."

— IS A —

QUINCY GAME

HISTORIC. INSTRUCTIVE.

ENTERTAINING. ORIGINAL.

Here are the Cards which make up each Series.

OUR CITY.

Settled in 1625.
Incorporated as Braintree, 1640.
Quincy Set Off, 1792.
Quincy a City, 1888.
Daily Ledger Established, 1889.

OUR BENEFACTORS.

John Adams.
Dr. Ebenezer Woodward.
Thomas Crane.
William Coddington.
Willliam B. Rice.

OUR MAYORS.

Hon. C. H. Porter.
Hon. H. O. Fairbanks.
Hon. C. F. Adams, 2d.
Hon. W. A. Hodges.
Hon. R. A. Sears.

THIS PIG WENT TO MARKET.

OUR SUPERINTENDENTS.

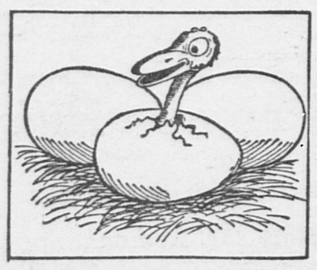
Francis W. Parker.
Sylvester Brown.
George I. Aldrich.
Herbert W. Lull.
Frank E. Parlin.

OUR HISTORIANS.

William S. Pattee.
Rev. George Whitney.
Charles F. Adams.
Rev. D. M. Wilson
Edwin W. Marsh.

OUR DAILY PAPER.

Newsy.
Up to Date.
Wide Awake.
Big Circulation.
Good Advertising Medium.



HIS HEAD THRUST THROUGH THE SHELL.

OUR WARSHIPS.

The Rhode Island.
The New Jersey.
The Vermont.
The Des Moines.
Lawrence and Macdonough.

OUR GRANITE.

First Church, Quincy.
Bunker Hill Monument.
King's Chapel, Boston.
Quincy City Hall.
Custom House, Boston.

DOWN THE THROAT OF A TURKEY GOBBLER.

OUR NOTED MEN.

President John Adams.
President J. Q. Adams.
John Hancock.
Col. John Quincy.
Henry H. Faxon.

"OH, MY! OH, MY! OH, ME!"

OUR SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

Quincy High.
Adams Academy.
Woodward Institute.
Thayer Academy.
Quincy Mansion School.

OUR INDUSTRIES.

Granite Quarrying.
Shipbuilding.
Tubular Rivet Works.
Translucent Works.
Daily Newspaper.

OUR POINTS OF INTEREST.

Birthplaces of Presidents.
Burial place of Presidents.
Dorothy Q. House.
Myles Standish Cairn.
Abigail Adams Cairn.

The illustrations are cards which play an important and an unique part, which is fully explained in the rules which accompany the game.

"REGDEL"

Quincy Daily Ledger Game,

Only 50 Cents.

Sale at Daily Ledger Office.

FOR DOMESTIC SCIENCE

Chicago Women Interested In Project of National Scope.

COLLEGES TO TEACH HOME WORK.

How Group of Women Would Train Girls For Management of Homes. Mrs. Henrotin Declares That Present Methods Are Educating Young Women Away From Their True Sphere.

Domestic science taught in all schools and universities attended by women, with college degrees for managers of households and general recognition of the art of providing comforts and luxuries for the home, is the dream of a group of Chicago women, says a Chicago dispatch.

These ladies say they do not wish to be looked upon as extreme propagandists who would found conservatories of cookery where professors of pastry and doctors of doughnuts would expound theories, but they do desire to spread the doctrine that women in all grades of life ought to be learned in economics of the home—in the laws of hygiene as in the languages.

The foundation of national life, the home, is declared to be in need of fostering care. The danger is said to be greatest in the so called educated classes "and among those who are striving to attain a false education which they consider higher."

It is proposed to form an association of expert housekeepers who will take up the question of domestic science with public educators and enlarge the scope of the School of Domestic Arts and Sciences established in Chicago three years ago. The promoters of the association hope then to go beyond the confines of the city and state and induce the great institutions where feminine students go to add to their curricula studies in chemistry of foods, bacteriology and sanitation.

Particularly is it designed to save from a life of tea drinking and scandal mongering the girl who comes out of school, in which home management and home occupations have found little place. Such a girl, while taught to demand a reason for everything, is in many cases intrusted with the conduct of a household where she is given no reason for anything except usage. To the mind trained in the average university such an occupation is not worth while. It is too confining, and the possessor of it too often turns to frivolities when she is not abusing her servants to her neighbors.

The Chicago Woman's club as a body is championing the movement, and its president, Mrs. Charles Henrotin, is outspoken in her advocacy. The club devoted an afternoon recently to discussion of the subject after listening to a paper by Mrs. Lynden Evans, who is the head of the School of Domestic Arts and Sciences. The fact that within the last few years the universities of Chicago, Wisconsin and Michigan had begun the teaching of chemistry of foods, bacteriology and kindred branches was hailed as a most encouraging sign.

"I think domestic science should be taught in public and private schools," said Mrs. Henrotin. "This idea, which was frowned upon by most educators at first, has been gaining ground in the last two years. An active educational movement along these lines has been going on in a quiet way, and now it has reached such proportions in Chicago that it is planned to take up the proposition with the board of education. This is not a fad, but a serious work along right lines."

"We have in the United States 15,000,000 private homes," said Mrs. Evans. "It is a safe conclusion that every home must have some kind of a housekeeper. Add to these 15,000,000 housekeepers 2,000,000 domestic workers, and we have at least 17,000,000 women engaged in homemaking as against 3,000,000 in outside occupations. Homemaking, occupying as it does 17,000,000 women, who hold in their hands the comfort of and health of so many other millions, has no place in our census, and the future student of these records may well suppose that only 5,000,000 out of the 24,000,000 the sex were doing nothing. This labor of maintaining a household, rearing children and struggling with the servant problem is considered worthy of no record. Why? Because the women who pursue it have belittled it, have failed to organize, classify, uplift.

"Our present educational system unfits the woman for her home life by lowering her ideal of the home, while it does not as a rule fit her for anything else that is useful. The absolute incompetency of the average girl when she first comes from school is only fully realized by the parent who tries to fit her into usefulness in the home or the friend who seeks to find her employment elsewhere."

Herbert Spencer's Ear Clips.

The late Herbert Spencer used in his later years to pay visits to Mr. Grant Allen, between whom and himself there existed a great friendship, says the London correspondent of the New York Post. On one occasion he came provided with two curious objects tied behind his ears. These excited the curiosity of the company. Their purpose was soon disclosed, for whenever the conversation took a turn which did not interest him he pulled the things over his ears and so obtained silence within himself. He called them ear clips.

Russian Army Equipment.

In the matter of equipment the Russian army is up to date in every particular. It has a special balloon department, cyclist corps—even dogs are pressed into the service of the great white czar.

RUNNING THE GANTLET

[Copyright, 1903, by C. B. Lewis.]

Joe Hall, one of the ablest government scouts that ever worked with the army against the Indians, had been captured by the Cheyennes between Forts Wallace and Lyon as he carried dispatches.

The tribe then had its headquarters on the Smoky hill fork of the Republican river. It was after dark when they reached the town, and Hall was tied hand and foot and placed in a tepee and four guards stationed around it. A small raiding party had that day captured a man belonging to the Seventh cavalry wagon train. The Cheyennes had determined not to spare man, woman or child who fell into their hands, but after a powwow lasting an hour the teamster was brought out, and Roman Nose said to him:

"We have captured the Flying Horse (Hall), and we want all white men to know it. They will not believe us, but they will believe you. Come and see him."

He was led to the tepee, and Hall admitted his identity and charged him with some farewell messages to friends. He also gave him the dispatches he was to deliver, or rather asked Roman Nose to do so, and the chief then said:

"That your white brothers may know you have been a captive in our hands we will send them our mark."

The chief thereupon sliced off both of the teamster's ears and handed them to him to put in his pocket. The direction of Fort Wallace was pointed out, and he was given one of the stage horses and started off, reaching the post next forenoon.

There did not appear to be one chance in a hundred for Hall to escape, but the village had no sooner become quiet than he began to plan. He was so triced up that it was impossible to free himself. He worked at his lashings for an hour or so and then gave up the attempt.

He knew the situation of the village and the country around it, and he finally decided that his opportunity would come next day when taken out to run the gantlet. No matter what the rest of the programme was, this portion or preface was never omitted. The Indians seemed to get more amusement out of it than any other part.

When morning came Hall's arms were cast loose, and he was provided with a hearty breakfast. The Indians knew he was game, and they wanted him to keep his full strength and last as long as possible. He had also an object in view and ate all they brought him.

It was about 9 o'clock when he was taken out to run the gantlet. All his lashings were cast off, a rope tied around his waist, and he was exercised for fifteen minutes to limber him up.

There were about 400 bucks in the lines as they were presently formed. In most instances the warriors are allowed to strike with clubs, the handles of tomahawks or hickory bows, but in this case only switches were used.

Hall was a swift runner, and his plan was to make a bolt as soon as he reached the west end of the line. To his chagrin he found a dozen mounted warriors placed to head off any such attempt. He made it, however. Running down the lines at the top of his speed and receiving a cut from almost every warrior as he passed, he broke out on the prairie and ran for his life.

The pursuing Indians could have killed him, but the idea was recapture. He got two full miles from camp and dodged them for an hour before this was accomplished. He was then made to pass up and down the lines four times, after which he was returned to the tepee for an hour's rest. Being stark naked, every blow of the switches had raised a welt, and he was scarred from head to heel.

The next move on the programme was to bind him to a tree and throw knives and tomahawks at him. The idea was to torture his mind, but some of the weapons slightly wounded him, and those who threw them were laughed at as bunglers. Hall won the admiration of all the warriors by his display of nerve during the trying ordeal.

At noon he was taken back to the lodge and given another hearty meal and an hour later was brought out to be tied to the stake. Before this had been accomplished an old buffalo bull pursued by wolves dashed into the herd of ponies about half a mile away and started a panic and a stampede. There were 600 ponies in the herd, and they made straight for the village, and so sudden was the alarm that for the moment everybody was upset.

The general idea was that an attack was being made by the soldiers, and there was a rush in every direction for weapons.

Hall and his guards were knocked down like tenpins, but the instant he was free he rose up among the horses and ran with them, yelling to keep them going. He was carried along for a mile or more and then suddenly caught sight of his own mule.

She was as obedient to his whistle as a dog, and he was soon on her back. It was not until the herd had covered a distance of five miles that the panic subsided, and this gave Hall a long start. He was riding without saddle or bridle, but that was no trick for a scout. He headed for Fort Wallace, and, though pursued to within a mile of the post, he got in safely. His pursuers numbered fifty, and some of them urged their ponies to such speed that the animals dropped exhausted and were abandoned within sight of the fort.

M. QUAD.

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee in ertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1902.	In 1901.	In 1900.
Sunday,	10	43	32	38	32
Monday,	18	41	26	38	35
Tuesday,	23	43	32	44	32
Wednesday,	35	35	40	42	39
Thursday,	32	46	33	38	45
			1903.	1902.	1901.
Friday,	36	44	37	14	42
Saturday,	31	32	42	31	29

New Advertisements Today.

Miss Spear's Classes.

THE THIRD N GHT.

Another Large House Witness Opera of Egypta.

The reduced prices for the opera of Egypta were appreciated by the public, and the audience of last night was nearly as large as on the preceding nights.

Again the talent was without the manager and musical director, but the production was very successfully presented. Baby Lee as Moses in the first act was cute as on Wednesday night.

The soloists were even better than on other occasions, and the grand chorus of children was truly grand.

Some people attended the opera every night while several others attended it twice. It certainly was one of the grandest productions ever given in Quincy.

—Good citizens must needs feel satisfied with a judge who imposes a sufficiently heavy sentence upon those whose being at large is a menace to public safety. During the past week Judge Hardy has shown himself worthy to be trusted with the meting out of justice by his treatment of men guilty of burglary and the assaulting of women. The severe penalties inflicted upon these men must go a great way toward the suppression of such crimes, which are altogher too prevalent in this country. An attempt at burglary almost invariably involves premeditated assault, often with intent to kill, for the burglar, having proceeded thus far in violation of the laws of society, will at all times be ready to defend himself, at whatever cost. It would seem that a man once guilty of assault or robbery should forever be denied the privilege of personal freedom. Such a sentence as punishment for such crimes is but a just protection for the great body of peaceful and law-abiding citizens.—Boston Home Journal.

—Dr. H. K. Pancoast of the University of Pennsylvania has discovered that it is possible, by means of the X-ray, to so bleach the skin of a negro that to all intents and purposes the subject becomes a white person. The condition of the person so treated is permanent. The discovery was made incidentally while negroes were being treated at the university for cancer and lupus, and, while no attempt so far has been made to experiment with the skin of a healthy negro, Dr. Pancoast himself believes it is possible to change the color.

—It is unofficially stated that Maine will close the present year with a round half million dollars in the treasury, the largest cash balance at the end of a year in the history of the state. Moreover, the state has no temporary loans to meet, and is steadily reducing the bonded debt caused by the Civil war.—Farmington Chronicle.

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you, in 6 to 14 days. 50 cents.

You can't buy it anywhere else.

LUCK

AT

PRATT'S,

10 cts. package.

Every Wednesday, 2 for 15 cts.

AT ALL HOURS.

Police Will be on Duty in City Square.

An Extra Officer at Night.

Prompt Response to Wish of Business Men.

Mayor Bryant held a conference with Chief of Police Hayden last night, and as a result an additional officer will be on duty in City Square at night. The new officer will go on duty at 11 o'clock at night, and remain on duty until 9 o'clock the next morning. By this arrangement there will be two officers on duty between the hours of 11 P. M. and 4 A. M. This is the time that they are most needed.

The officer selected for this position by Mayor Bryant is special policeman Charles T. Crooker. The new order will go into effect tonight.

CITY BREVITIES.

A newsy paper today.

Saturdays seem to be stormy.

How many times have you written it 1903?

These moonlight evenings are delightful.

The snow storm today will serve to improve the sleighing.

Snow has fallen all the morning, and promises to continue all day.

The street railway has its big snow plows out trying to keep the tracks clear.

The Christmas music will be repeated at Bethany Congregational church Sunday evening.

A heavy explosion was heard in the city about 12.50 this afternoon followed by others.

The Young People's union of First church will hold a meeting in the chapel tomorrow evening.

The Guild of St. Perpetua of Wollaston will meet on Thursday at 7.30 P. M., with Mrs. Herbert Albee.

It has been a busy week at Quincy Music hall, with Egypta three nights and the Scotch ball New Year's eve.

Will the person who picked up a dog collar with large red ribbon bow, kindly return it to address engraved on plate of collar.

Chief Engineer Williams is under a physician's care having contracted a severe cold at the fire last Monday evening.

Mayor Bryant has been at City Hall all day at work on his inaugural address which he will deliver at 12 o'clock noon Monday.

The hustle and enterprise of the Ledger reporters in gathering news is quite a saving in the expenses of other local papers.

Holy Communion and reception of members on Sunday morning at Wollaston M. E. church. Subject for evening, "The one thing to do."

Although a specially large edition of the Ledger is printed on Saturdays' it is hard to keep up with the demands of an ever increasing circulation.

Mr. Hannibal Folsom of Stoughton died on Dec. 24th aged nearly seventy-six years. Fifty-four years ago he married Miss Clara M. Hayden of Quincy.

TODAY'S COURT.

Joseph McCarthy was sent to the State farm for drunkenness at Quincy.

The continued cases of Alex. Stewart and Bartholemew Craig for creating a disturbance on a street car at Milton, and for assault on the conductor were heard. Stewart was fined $10 and Craig $5 for the assault, and discharged on the other complaint.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

—A Vermont man left $500 to his church in his will with the stipulation that the income be devoted to having the snow removed from the sidewalk in front of the church and having ashes put on slippery places.

MISS SPEAR'S CLASSES,

148 Goffe Street.

Kindergarten and Day pupils received.

Music, Art, Sloyd, Basketry, Gymnastics, Shorthand and Tutoring taught by experts.

C. FOLLETT SPEAR, Directress.

Voice, Piano and Harmony. Oct. 15-3m

CITY COUNCIL

(Continued from Page 1.)

this Council acts favorable on the order that he would wait until February or March for his money. Councilman saw no benefit in delay, but a risk of paying more per foot.

Councilman Bass had personally investigated the lot. Found the owner anxious to sell, and did not believe he would advance price. In the past $45,000 had been considered near enough the debt limit of city. Now, in case of emergency it would be necessary to go to the Legislature for permission to borrow. At proper time I may vote for purchase of lot.

Councilman Gassett asked City Auditor what the borrowing capacity of the city was.

Auditor Sidelinger—As a new year starts today, the limit is $43,000.

Councilman Nickerson favored passage of order tonight.

Councilman Whiton was called to the chair.

President Alden favored the order. The Council has had a year to consider it. It had done an unprecedented thing in going to Atlantic to hold a Council meeting. The unanimity of the people of Atlantic in favor of the lot was almost unprecedented. There was absolutely no reason for delay of few months. It would be foolish to refer to next Council.

Councilman Nichols favored the order, as the lot was what the people wanted and the price was right.

The motion to refer was lost.

Councilman Bass then moved to change the date of the bonds from Dec. 1. 1903, to March 1, 1904.

Councilman Nickerson asked if Councilman would guarantee sale of lot on new date.

Councilman Bass said he would not make any personal guarantee.

Councilman Reardon favored amendment.

Amendment passed.

Mayor Bryant queried what was to be gained.

Councilman Bass would save interest.

Mayor Bryant did not see it in that light. Further, thought it would be illegal to borrow under date of March 1 next as the last payment would not be within the ten year limit.

Councilman Myer queried if Mr. Wasson would waive interest.

Councilman Bass—As the lot is assessed for $7,000, and the offer was $10,500, he did not anticipate any trouble from that score. Has the Mayor any objection to Jan. 1 as a date, with proviso that bonds should not be negotiable before March 1?

Councilman Nickerson asked for opinion of City Solicitor on dating ahead.

Solicitor Blackmur gave his opinion that it would not be legal.

Councilman Nichols thought obligation did not begin until loan order was negotiated.

The vote by which the amendment was passed was declared null and void.

Councilman Hardwick thought there was some way that it could be done legally under date of March 1.

The City Solicitor did not see how.

Councilman Alden—No interest would be saved because of date of bonds. Interest begins at date bonds are sold. Would save in long run by dating back, as bonds would mature quicker.

After more discussion all amendments were declared out of order, and the order appropriating $10,500 under date of Dec. 1 was passed 19 to 3 as follows:

YEAS,—Alden, Bass, Cleverly, Gassett, Hadlock, Hardwick, Hughes, Langelier, Loud, McFarland, Meyer, Nichols, Nickerson, Polk, Reardon, Smith, Thompson, Welsh and Whiton, —19.

NAYS,—Diack, Johnson and Piper, —3.

ABSENT,—Adams.

A petition for sidewalk apportionment received at the last meeting was referred to the next Council.

An order crediting the school appropriation with $162.25 received from tuitions was passed.

The order for transfer of $400 in Fire department accounts was passed, also the order to amend the Fire Department ordiance increasing the pay of the engineer of the steamer from $17 to $19 per week. There was some opposition to the latter, the vote being 19 to 2, viz:

YEAS,—Bass, Cleverly, Diack, Gassett, Hadlock, Hardwick, Johnson, Langelier, Loud, Meyer, Nichols, Nickerson, Piper, Polk, Reardon, Smith, Thompson, Walsh and Whiton —19.

NAYS,—Hughes and McFarland.

Councilman Meyer moved that a mock session be held after adjournment.

Ruled out of order.

BOUQUETS.

Upon motion of Councilman Nichols, who spoke in eulogistic terms, votes of thanks were extended to President Alden, Clerk Spear, Messenger Tirrell and Auditor Sidelinger.

Adjourned sine die at 9.10.

MOCK SESSION.

Councilman Whiton then organized a mock session with ex-Councilman Meyer as President.

After the members had heaped all the abuse on him that he could stand Councilman Langelier was called to the chair and he kept things humming. Several good natured orders were introduced but most of them were declared out of order, and goodbyes were said.

President Alden who retires from the City Council after a long service was personally congratulated by many Councilmen.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

2d SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Merrill C. Ward pastor. Residence, 20 Mellen street, Dorchester. Service of divine worship at 2.30 P. M. Preaching by Rev. A. J. Torskff. Sunday School at 3.45 P. M.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Leon H. Austin, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Celebration of the Lord's Supper and reception of members. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7.30. Christmas concert. Y. P. S C. E. Tuesday evening at 7.30. Prayer meeting Friday vening at 7.30. All are cordially invited.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue—Rev. W. E. Gardner, rector. Holy communion and sermon at 10.30. Sunday School at 12 05 Evening prayer and address at 7 o'clock.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Fort Square—Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor. Service at 10.30 A. M., preaching by pastor. Sabbath School at 11.45 Y. P S. C. E. meeting at 6 P. M. Subject: "The kind of growth I need in 1904." Sermon at 7 P. M. Subject: "The New Year and its possibilities." Children's rally at 7 30. A service with illustrated sermon for all children. The Junior choir of twenty-five voices will open the song service at 7 30. The week of prayer will be observed with special services each evening except Saturday. Evangelist E. W. Kenyon of Lynn, Mass., will assist the pastor the following week. All are invited to these services.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S CHURCH—Rev. Carlton P. Mills, rector. 10.45 A. M., holy communion and sermon. 12.20 P. M., Sunday School. 4 30 P. M., evening prayer and address.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "Our Resources." Reception of new members. The ordinance of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the close of morning service. Sunday School at 12 10. Junior Endeavor meeting at 3 30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 15 o'clock. Missionary meeting at 7.30 P. M. Rev. William Ashmore, D. D., will speak on "Some Experiences of fifty years in China."

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Frank Wright Pratt, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12. Evening service at 7. Subject: "Michael Angelo and his work." Illustrated by stereopticon. All are cordially invited.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Christian Purpose." Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. You are cordially invited.

ATLANTIC METHODIST CHURCH, corner Newbury avenue and Squantum street. Rev B. D. Beck, pastor. Morning service at 10.45 o'clock. Sermon by Rev. C. C. Smith of Taunton, Mass. Sunday School at 12 M. Junior League at 3.30. Epworth League at 6 P. M. Revival service at 7 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor. All seats free. Every one invited. Revival services all the week.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue.—Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Life." Golden Text: "In Him was life and the life was the light of men." John 1:4. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings. All are welcome.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. The Christmas music will be repeated and there will be a short address by the pastor. Free seats and every one invited to the services.

—A New York lady has just received from the United States Government a sum of money that was claimed by her ancestors 105 years ago.

Peptiron Pills

(Chocolate-coated)

Strengthen the Nerves

Tone the Stomach

Feed the Brain

And cure nervousness, neuralgia, sleeplessness, dyspepsia, anemia, and that long train of aches and pains attending an overworked and underfed brain.

They are a happy combination of the best nerve tonics, digestives and brain and blood nutrients; are pleasant to take and readily assimilated.

Peptiron Pills, (chocolate-coated.) 50c. or $1—the latter a full month's treatment. Prepared by C. I. HOOD CO., Lowell. Mass.

Selling Agent in Quincy:

E. J. Murphy, 1657 Hancock St.

DANIEL DONOVAN.

INFORMATION WANTED of relatives of Daniel Donovan, who served in the civil war as a member of the 9th Regt. Mass. Vol., was a quarryman or stonecutter Supposed to have lived and worked in Quincy at some time since the war; was killed in an accident at Vigus, Mo., Dec. 21st, 1903. Any information concerning the said Donovan will be thankfully received by

J. W. HAYDEN, Chief of Police.

Quincy, Dec. 31. 3t

van Houten's Cocoa

A perfect beverage—rich in nitrogenous elements.

Best & Goes Farthest

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,

DRUGGIST,

1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

Bad Dreams

Too often seemingly trifling complaints of children are put off as things of no consequence. Every unnatural action is a symptom of disorder and deserving of careful investigation. Worms more than anything else are the cause of childhood sickness. Attacking, as they do, the stomach and bowels, the effect of their presence is felt throughout the whole system and made known by nervousness, peevishness, disturbed sleep, erratic appetite, weak stomach and general lassitude.

Dr. True's Elixir

is the surest and safest worm remedy ever compounded—*but it is more than that.* As a tonic and general corrective it is unexcelled. It tones stomach and bowels, cleanses and enriches the blood and sends renewed health tingling through the veins. For over 50 years the most popular home remedy. Sold at all druggists, 35c. Write for free booklet on "Children and Their Diseases."

DR. J. F. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Me.

THE

AMERICAN MONTHLY REVIEW OF REVIEWS

THE NECESSARY MAGAZINE IN THE PRESIDENTIAL YEAR

The Review of Reviews is often called a necessity, in recognition of its usefulness in keeping readers "up with the times."

In Presidential election years the REVIEW OF REVIEWS is more than ever "the necessary magazine." Everybody wants to be truly and quickly informed about this or that public question that has forged to the front; to know about the new candidates and personal factors in politics, to have a complete picture at hand of the current movement of history.

☞ **In Dr. Shaw's editorials,** in its authentic and timely contributed articles, in its brilliant character sketches, in its condensations and reviews of all the important articles of other magazines, and in its hundred a month of valuable portraits, witty cartoons, and interesting views, the REVIEW OF REVIEWS gives the much desired news of the world's and our own progress. "The World under a Field-glass" is the way one subscriber describes it.

Men in public life, like President Theodore Roosevelt, the members of Congress, and the great captains of industry, who must keep "up with the times," intelligent men and women all over America, have decided it is "indispensable."

25c. a copy, $2.50 a year

THE REVIEW OF REVIEWS CO.

13 Astor Place, New York

If You Have a House to Let

Advertise It in the Ledger.

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE

25 years in Quincy.

Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.

Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.

Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marien's store.

Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.

Telephone at office and residence in Medford.

The Wollaston Bakery

Will be opened Jan. 4, 1904, with a full line of Bread, Cake and Pastry. Fancy Cake to order. Soliciting a share of your patronage.

I am Respectfully,

J. L. MORRISON.

Jan. 1. 2t

IF U WANT

BARGAINS IN

COTTON and WOOLEN REMNANTS,

Call at the new store,

47 Franklin Street, South Quincy, Mass.

Dec 3. 1m

FULL BASKET

$1.00

FULL BASKET.

$2 00

Worth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.

9 DAYS' SALE

JANUARY 1--9.

4 Quarts Potatoes,	.01
2 lbs. Sugar,	.01
Can Tomatoes,	.01
500 Parlor Matches,	.01
12 Clothes Pins,	.01
Pkg. Ginger,	.01
6 Nutmegs,	.10
Bt. Ammonia,	.05
1 Soap,	.15
1-2 lb. Mocha and Java Coffee,	.10
Pkg. Pop Corn,	.11
Pkg. Gelatine, Homestead,	.15
1-4 lb. Tea,	.07
Pkg. Cocoa Shells,	.05
Bag Salt,	.05
1 Scouring Soap,	.04
Box Blue, Sawyer's,	.06
1 Basket in which to carry all,	

$1.00

Each article shall be fresh and good and exactly as advertised.

Full Weight and Full Measure,

$2 00

Worth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.

V. E. MILLER,

CASH GROCER,

Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass.

W. G. CHUBBUCK,

Furniture and Piano Mover

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.

JOBBING.

Orders left at Legge's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.

1p-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

Don't Wait for it any Longer.

10 cents buys a package of

LUCK

AT

PRATT'S.

Every Wednesday, 2 Packages 15 cts.

DANCING.

COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.

BASKET BALL

AND DANCING

THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.

Assemblies every Saturday night.

Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $6, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all former pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For further particulars apply to ELMER W BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

LEDGER ADS.

PAY BEST

INAUGURATION DAY.

(Continued from page 1.)

tives from Ward Two in the City Council of 1904, was born in Boston in 1871, and educated in the public schools of that city. In 1890 he accepted a position in the public building department of a well known New York business house and remained with them until 1898, at that time having advanced to the position of superintendent of construction.

In 1898 he accepted a position in the public building department of the Magee Furnace Co. of Boston, where he now is. He has been a resident of Quincy Point for several years, and is interested in public affairs.

MELVILLE C. HOLMES

Is well known in Quincy Point which ward he will represent in the new Council. He was born in Charlestown July 3, 1870. He came to Quincy when a young man and was educated in the Quincy schools. He has resided at Quincy Point for ten years. His business is that of a printer, and he is at present foreman for J. C. Clark & Co. of Boston.

He has been a faithful worker for the Republican party. For two years he was treasurer of the Ward Two Committee and during the past year has acted as secretary and treasurer of the city committee. He has served as commander of Francis L. Souther Camp, Sons of Veterans, is a member of the Good Templars and New England Order of Protection, also a member of the Young Men's club of Quincy Point, the Improvement Committee, and People's Union.

In 1900 he acted as one of the government census enumerators. His familiarity with Ward Two should make him a valued representative.

WILLIAM T. SPARGO.

Who served in the Council of 1901, but was defeated the following year for reelection, owing to a factional fight, is returned to the Council of 1904. He was born in Cornwall, England, Nov. 18, 1841. He learned the granite business from his father. In March, 1871, he came to America, and to Quincy in 1884.

In 1888 he purchased a granite business of a stock company, and has since conducted it. The business has grown under his skilful management, so that today it is one of the largest in Quincy. He has been a member of the Ward Three Republican Committee, and has served as its chairman.

During the past two years he has served as one of the Boards of Managers of Public Burial Places. In the Council of 1901 he served on Fire Department and Police, Health, Poor, etc.

HERBERT D. GEARWAR.

The new member from Ward Six is a mechanical engineer, and is employed by J. Joyce Co. of Boston.

He was born in Johnson, Vt., Nov. 7, 1867. There he received his early education. From Vermont he came to Littleton, Mass., thence to Lynnfield Centre, and from there to Atlantic in 1894.

The office of Councilman is his first public office. He is a member of the Merrymount club.

The accompanying summary will be of interest:

Name and District.	Year.	Birthplace.	Age.	Business.
George E. Adams, Ward One	Fourth	Quincy	26	Lawyer
Lewis Bass, Jr., At Large	Fourth	Quincy	33	Lawyer
William G. Gassett, At Large	Fifth	Hartford, Conn.	34	Tailor
Herbert D. Gearwar, Ward Six	First	Johnson, Vt.,	36	Mechanical Engineer
Charles A. Hadlock, Ward Six	Fourth	Charlestown	41	Builder
Charles H. Hardwick, Ward One	Second	Quincy	28	Student
Melville C. Holmes, Ward Two	First	Charlestown	34	Printer
William P. Hughes, Ward Four	Fourth	Hartford, Conn.,	36	Granite Polisher
Julius Johnson, Ward Three	Second	Sweden	43	Builder
Louis F. R. Langelier, Ward Six	Fourth	Boston	27	Publisher
Arthur W. Loud, At Large	Second	Quincy	27	Contractor
Charles A. McFarland, Ward Five	Second	Watertown	44	Builder
Walter F. Nichols, At Large	Fifth	Boston	46	Merchant
Nathan G. Nickerson, Ward Five	Sixth	South Dennis	51	Real Estate
Walter E. Piper, Ward Three	Third	Tuftonboro, N.H.,	46	Manufacturer
Herbert J. Polk, Ward Five	Third	New Vienna, O.	42	Banker
John J. Reardon, Ward Four	Second	Quincy	30	Salesman
William T. Spargo, Ward Three	Second	England	62	Granite Manufacturer
Andrew Stewart, Ward One	Second	Ireland	42	Granite Polisher
Eugene R. Stone, Ward Two	First	Boston	32	Manager
Alex. W. Thompson, Ward Two	Fourth	New York	54	Leather
Richard H. Walsh, Ward Four	Second	Ireland	40	Granite Cutter
Joseph L. Whiton, Jr., At Large	Third	Quincy	30	Salesman

GET YOUR

Job Printing

AT THE PATRIOT OFFICE

Where it will be done Pr and

At Reasonable Pric

SOCIAL REALM.

(Continued from page 1.)

The production of the opera Egypta at Quincy Music hall this week in aid of the Y. M. C. A., goes to show that no matter what Quincy may have been musically in the past, it now has considerable talent. Among the soloists were: Mrs. E. E. Morgan of Alleyne Terrace; Miss Sarah Belle Huff, who has a deep, rich contralto voice and was until recently a singer in a Wollaston church; Miss Alice Celeste Foley of West Quincy, who is still studying and has a voice of much promise; Miss Fanny Ellsworth of Russell Park; Miss Mary Heath; J. Edward Greene; Albert L. Hayden; William J. Biganess; Walter G. Holmes; Thomas B. Pollard; Joseph Mischler, and the boys, Carl and Victor Fowler.

* * *

Walter S. Hawkins, at one time tenor at First church, and a great favorite in the Cadet theatrical, was married on Sunday to Miss Grace Kimball. Both are members of the "Red Slipper" company now playing in New York and will continue with the company, making their home at 144 East 27th street.

* * *

The Cadet theatricals this year promise to be more like those of former years, and the production is eagerly awaited by the friends of "1492." They will come off at the Tremont theatre as usual, sometime in February.

* * *

At the next meeting of the Monday club of Weymouth there will be a monologue recital by Miss Adeline T. Joyce, followed by a club social.

* * *

New Year's eve parties were quite general this year throughout the city and a good time generally was had; the happy voices of the participants being heard in the we sma' hours. As they wended their way homewards.

* * *

Mrs. John O. Hall, Jr. of Merrymount road entertained the Friday club yesterday afternoon.

* * *

Owing to the Social club entertainments and dances coming on the same nights as the Germans held Friday evenings in Colonial hall, the young people have decided to change the Germans to alternate with the Social club, and the next one will be on Friday night of next week.

* * *

Mrs. M. L. Wrann has returned to her home at North Easton. Her mother who has been dangerously ill is slowly recovering.

* * *

Miss Alice Choate of East Milton, has been the guest this week of Mrs. George Payne of West Hanover.

* * *

George Kingsbury of Braintree has gone to Montreal to spend a few days with his sister Grace, who has been spending her vacation in Canada. Miss Grace has recovered from her recent severe illness and Monday will resume her duties in Chicago as president director of the Business Women's club.

A large party gathered at the Cochato club, Braintree, New Year's eve, to enjoy the sixth entertainment in the club's series. Whist was enjoyed from eight until ten; over a hundred participating. Souvenirs were awarded to Mrss Charles O. Miller of East Braintree, Miss Sophie Thayer of Braintree, Mr. Porter Pratt of Weymouth, and Mr. Elbridge Damm of Braintree. Dancing followed until midnight when New Year's greetings were exchanged and good cheer reigned. The Quincy people attending were: Mr. Fred Howe, Miss Florence Howe, Miss Annie L. Prescott, Miss Beatrice Tesdale, Mr. Gordon Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Kincaide, Mr. and Mr. John A. Barbour of Wollaston, and Mr. Cook of Atlantic. The next in the series will be Harvard night with a Pierian Sodality, followed by dancing.

* * *

Mr. William Gram, Jr. and family of Buffalo, N. Y., have been for the past two weeks guests of Mr. Theodore Gram of Wollaston Park.

* * *

The annual gentlemen's night of the Old Colony club of Weymouth was observed Thursday evening, New Year's eve, and was a great success.

* * *

Miss Eva Carter of East Braintree has been a guest of Quincy relatives during the holidays.

* * *

Mr. Harry W. Caldwell and Miss Augusta W. Bullerwell, were married on Christmas eve at the parsonage of the Pilgrim church, North Weymouth. They have a pretty new home at Quincy Point.

* * *

The First Church Social club series of entertainments and dances opened most auspiciously last evening with a dance at Faxon hall. Good music, pretty gowns, and sociability combined to make it one of the prettiest dancing parties held in Quincy for some time. The interest, shown by the large attendance, must be most gratifying to the committee.

* * *

Miss Elizabeth Weisel and Mr. Geo. Weisel of New York City are spending the holidays with Mrs. Theodore Gram at Wollaston.

* * *

Miss Emily Baxter of East Milton has been the guest during the holidays of friends at Littleton, Mass.

A BOER'S LOVE STORY.

General Ben Viljoen Engaged to an English Singer.

A new alliance between Boer and Briton will shortly be made, says the London Express. The famous Boer general, Ben Viljoen, who fought so bravely against us and was finally captured and sent as a prisoner of war to St. Helena, has made another and more complete surrender to British power. He is engaged to be married to Miss May Belfort, the English music hall singer.

"Yes, it is quite true," smiled Miss Belfort when questioned on the subject, "though we had no intention of making the news public just yet. I wish you could have asked General Viljoen about it, but he has gone to America to arrange for the Boer exhibit at the St. Louis exhibition, so I suppose I must tell you.

"We first met in London about five years ago. That was only a casual acquaintance, but afterward I always looked in the papers for his name when the fighting was on. I don't quite know why. I think because he seemed to me such a fine, manly man, so brave and kind. And he tried to communicate with me, but he could not find where I was.

"We met again when he came to England after the war, and then, when I was going out to South Africa for my last tour, he traveled by the same boat. I think it was really settled on that trip. Those sea voyages, you know, have many such affairs to answer for."

But the actual engagement did not take place until some months later. General Viljoen saw much of the fair singer during her tour. He taught her to sing "Maid of Athens" in the Boer "taal," and her rendering of it was highly popular in Johannesburg. Then they came back from the Cape together, and when they landed at Southampton a few days ago it was as an engaged couple.

"We hope to be married toward the end of next February," said Miss Belfort, "but much depends on business arrangements."

☞ Miss Young's classes in Basketry at Miss Spear's will be resumed Monday January 11, at 2 P. M. and 4 P. M. New pupils received at any time. Visitors are welcomed.

—As an example of how estates sometimes shrink in settlement, the late Austin Corbin is a striking one. From $5,000,000 to 250,000, is considerable of a slump. These rich estates rarely turn out to be as large as common report would indicate, doubtless due to the fact that the owner's personality adds considerable to their intrinsic value. —Old Colony Memorial.

GOING BACK TO THE FARM.

The Agricultural College as a Factor In Upbuilding of Country Life.

One of the most serious problems that confronts the economic world today is to keep the young men on the farms, says the Lewiston (Me.) Journal. For many years there has been a tendency to congregate in the cities, and to such an extent has this been carried that all the vocations of city life have been so overcrowded that today it is well nigh impossible for a stranger to get a foothold. For every situation there are a score of applicants, and the young man who has no influential friends to render him aid is indeed unfortunate. We have long believed that this condition of affairs would correct itself. One of the reasons that our young men have been so willing to leave the old country home has been the lack of country attractions. This can hardly be said to hold good today. The trolley car, telephone and free rural delivery have well nigh wiped out the distinctions between city and suburban life. Another powerful factor now working for the pubuilding of the country life is the agricultural college. Our young men are fast learning that farming is no longer the haphazard business of a former day, but is one of the most exacting and scientific of pursuits. With this knowledge come a higher respect for the vocation and a stronger desire to enter the industry. The tide is thus gradually but surely turning, and the time is near at hand when farming will be held in the same high regard here that it has long been in England. In that country when a man achieves financial success he at once seeks a country estate for a home.

Here the reverse has long held true, and the city home has been held up as the ideal. This false system of ethics is rapidly going to the wall, and a more exalted idea of country life is taking its place. Rich and poor alike are beginning to take to the farm. It is the ideal spot for a home.

A NOVEL PHENOMENON.

Dr. W. J. Hammer Has an X Ray Tube That Sings.

Dr. W. J. Hammer, an electrical engineer of New York city, whose studies of the phenomena exhibited by vacuum tubes have attracted attention on both sides of the Atlantic and who is the author of a book on radium, recently made a novel observation which may possibly prove significant, says the New York Tribune. He noticed that one of these tubes after being excited and then being removed from the influence of any recognized force emitted a faint, continuous musical sound for several minutes. It might be suggested that the effect was purely thermal and came from two tiny disks of metal close to each other and constituting one of the terminals inside the tube. This terminal, the "anticathode," had been slightly damaged by overheating, and a small hole had been burned through it.

Text books on physics describe a phenomenon similar to that here mentioned. It is observed with apparatus known as "the Trevelyan rocker." Dr. Hammer is convinced, however, that the sound from his tube is not produced in this manner. His own theory is that the tube is acted upon by a class of ether waves emitted from some distant source akin to those which have been suggested as a possible cause of the radiations of radium. Whatever Dr. Hammer's riper judgment in the matter or the opinions of other experts, the incident is noteworthy.

NEW CORN AND COB RECORD

Missouri Farmers Who Will Shell Their Corn Before Selling It.

According to good authorities, the highest average amount of corn to the cob that can be raised is about 88 per cent corn and 12 per cent cob. But the high authorities had not heard from Missouri when they figured up their average, and two Cooper county farmers have recently made it look like 30 cents, says the Kansas City Journal.

W. J. McFarland of near Boonville recently weighed seventy pounds of corn in the ear. He then shelled the corn and weighed corn and cobs separately. The corn weighed sixty-four and one-half pounds and the cobs five and one-half pounds, making 92 1-7 per cent corn and 7 6-7 per cent cob. The corn was exhibited at the Boonville corn show. R. B. Johnston of Clark's Fork, who made a display at the Boonville show of thirty-nine pounds of corn, found after shelling it that his corn weighed thirty-four and one-half pounds and his cobs four and one-half pounds—that is, he raised 88 6-13 per cent corn to 11 7-13 per cent cob.

In almost all the states of the Union seventy pounds of corn on the cob is considered a bushel and fifty-six pounds off the cob. It would pay men who raise such corn as do Messrs. McFarland and Johnston to shell their corn before selling it.

Motor Building In France.

Probably few foreigners have any idea of the extent to which the motor car industry has been developing in France, says the Autocar. Last year there were seventy makers of complete chassis, turning out 15,000 vehicles. During the present year this number has been enormously increased. It is clear that if all these makers are to do a profitable business there must be a rapid increase of demand. But as long as prices are so high this desired increase is not likely to be required. Makers have been giving special attention to the export trade, which has grown at a phenomenal rate during the past two years, and as the value of auto cars sent abroad during the first ten months of the year totaled nearly 44,000,000 francs it is certain that the exports for 1903 will exceed £2,000,000.

LARGELY ATTENDED

Last Honors to a Former Resident—Burial at Mt. Wollaston.

Quincy has had many largely attended funerals in the past; but few, if any, had such a large number of friends and associates follow the remains to the grave as was seen when the remains of the late Michael T. Philps were escorted to the receiving tomb of Mt. Wollaston cemetery yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Philps was a former resident of this city and was well known; he was a man of sterling worth and respected by the entire community. He had resided in Hardwick, Vt., during the past five years; following his occupation, which was that of granite cutting; and met his death in a sudden manner, being crushed to death by a huge block of granite which fell from the chain, and in falling, struck and killed him.

As proof of the esteem which was felt for the deceased in Hardwick, it is to be noted that all places of business closed their works, stores drew their curtains, banks closed, as did the post office, while the funeral services were being held in that town. Hardwick Lodge, No 68 I. O. O. F., sent two delegates to Quincy with the body: and Hardwick Branch, G. C. N. U., also sent two representatives. The representatives of the Granite Cutters were Mr. Henry Moyse and Mr. William T. Philips: while Mr. W. H. Clark and Mr. C. D. Brown were the delegates from the Odd Fellows.

The body was met at North station in Boston by President A. C. Smith: Vice President A. D. Booth: Financial Secretary, George Imlay; Corresponding Secretary Jas. Watson and J. Bisset of the Quincy Branch, G. C. N. U., also by Chief Ranger Alfred Spargo and Sub Chief C. Driscoll of Court John Adams, 144 also by President William C. Warmington and P. G. Halvosa, Granite lodge 193, O. S. S. G.

The funeral services were held in Doble's hall, which was filled to its utmost capacity. Rev. N. J. Sproul made a touching address and there were several selections rendered by a quartet composed of W. C. Warmington, Henry Rendle, Archie Parsons and Alfred Spargo.

At the conclusion of the services the body was taken to Mt. Wollaston cemetery, the procession forming in the following order: Granite lodge, No. 193, with 124 members; Court John Adams, No. 144, with 86 members; hearse with remains escorted by eight bearers, and finally carriages containing mourners.

The bearers were W. H. Clark and C. H. Brown of Hardwick, Vt., I. O. O. F.: Henry Moyse and W. T. Philips of Hardwick from G. C. N. U.: James Milne and Charles Porter from Foresters and Arthur Collins and H. J. Rundell from Granite lodge, O. S. S. G.

Granite Lodge and Court John Adams held services in the cemetery: President W. C. Warmington and Chaplain P. S. Halvosa acted for O. S. S. G., and Chief Ranger A. Spargo for the Foresters. The whole concluding with the singing of the touching selection, "Farewell," by the quartet.

Mr. Philps is survived by a widow but no children, she was accompanied by her sister Mrs. Thomas Halvosa, by Mr. Thomas Halvosa, Masters William and George Halvosa of Barre, Vt., and her father Mr. Philip H. Opie of Westerly, R. I.

The funeral as a whole was a remarkable demonstration, of which the various societies mentioned must feel proud, and proves that workingmen are at all times eager and willing to honor one of their number and tender sympathy to the survivors.

The floral offerings were numerous and were very beautiful, including: from wife, pillow of roses and lilies; from Hardwick Branch, G. C. N. U., wreath of yellow roses; from Hardwick Quarry Workers, I. U., wreath of pinks, roses and carnations; from Hardwick I. O. O. F., pillow of yellow pinks and lilies; from G. C. N. U., wreath of pinks and roses; from Foresters, pillow of roses, lilies and pinks; from O. S. S. G., wreath of pinks and white roses, with lilies and carnations; from Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Bickford of Hardwick, pillow of white roses and white pinks; from Mr. and Mrs. T. Halvosa, cluster of pink and variegated carnations with roses and maiden hair fern; from Masters William and George Halvosa, cluster of pink and white carnations; from Frank D. Melville, pillow of pinks and carnations.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Nov. 2. 6mos.

MARRIED.

TOCCI—MARINI—In Clinton, Dec. 31, by Rev John J Mullen, Mr Gerardo Tocci of Quincy, to Miss Antonia Marini of Clinton.

DIED.

RAFTERY—In Milton, Jan. 1, Margaret Raftery, of Highland street, aged 82 years.

SHAW—In North Weymouth, Jan. 1, Mr. James Shaw.

DRUSILLA'S GARDEN

By TEMPLE BAILEY

Copyright, 1903, by T. C. McClure

The garden was really only a box on the fire escape, but there were pansies in it in the spring, and later a tiny rosebush bloomed. Then geraniums held full sway until winter, when Drusilla took the box into the house and raised a few pale violets.

Every morning Drusilla picked off the withered blossoms, and in the evening she watered her plants, for Drusilla was busy all day, polishing and filing the nails of the patrons of the manicure establishment in which she worked.

When a typewriter was first placed at the window of the big office opposite the fifth floor of the tenement in which Drusilla lived and a dark young man seated himself in front of it the young girl watched the installation over the heads of her purple pansies.

But when the young man looked across and smiled Drusilla stepped over her threshold and shut the door with a slam.

"Impertinence!" she ejaculated in the dimness of her room, but her lips smiled in answer to the look that the young man had given her.

But the blossoms cried out for water, and presently Drusilla's fair head, adorned with a perky black velvet bow, bent over the pansies. The hands of the young man remained suspended over the keys. Then he rose and walked to the window, but Drusilla picked off some dried leaves and brought out an infinitesimal watering pot. She made a cool picture in her white shirt waist. A little whiff of damp earth blew across, cooling the heated atmosphere.

The evening hour grew to be an important one to Drusilla, for she arrived home at 6, and the dark young man did not leave until 7. She sat up late nights to finish a certain blue lawn that had a train that trailed over the iron steps of the fire escape, to the further undoing of the infatuated young man over the way. She hummed little tunes that caused the complete cessation of the "clickety-click-click" of the machine opposite.

But still she kept her eyes to herself, for Drusilla had a full sense of her dignity as a workingwoman. There were certain conventions that could not be dispensed with in her circle, and one of these was the formal introduction.

"He's a dear," she confided to Mazie Dunn as the two girls arranged their little trays and got out their shining instruments and the pink powder and creams. "But I'm not going to let him think I'm easy."

With which rather inelegant summing up of the case Drusilla showed that she was a true conqueror of men.

So for many weeks Juliet on her balcony remained cold, while Romeo at the typewriter sighed in vain. He threw small balls of paper in among the pansies, and Drusilla brushed them calmly into a neat little dustpan, but when the dark young man had gone she picked them out carefully and read the fervid messages:

"You are my pansy blossom."

"There's only one girl in the world for me."

Only once, however, did she condescend to an exchange of civilities.

On a certain damp morning the young man coughed. That night he coughed again. Drusilla was worried. Finally she retired into the obscure recesses of her room. When she reappeared she had a bottle in her hand. She set it on the fire escape shelf. In huge letters on the label was the admonition:

"For Coughs Take Spear's Specific."

Then before the young man could nod enthusiastic response she whisked back into her room, leaving him alone with her suggested remedy.

The next morning a similar bottle adorned the young man's desk, and he took a dose conspicuously, standing close to the window while he measured it into a spoon.

But the cough continued, and the next day Drusilla wrote on a slip of paper:

"Shut your window."

The young man clicked off something rapidly on his machine and planned his reply carefully on the ledge:

"I would rather die."

"Well, he is devoted," said Mazie Dunn, "if he won't shut a window between you. But maybe if you talked to him you might get him to be careful of himself."

"I guess I am not responsible if he is a fool," was Drusilla's sharp comment as she soaked her finger tips in warm water preparatory to giving them a treatment.

But that day the sun came out, the dry, soft air of the spring was like balsam, and the cough stopped. So stopped also the exchange of courtesies, and the young man sighed for illness or worse if it would only bring a look of warmth to his lady's eyes.

And worse came.

It happened one day at half past 6. Drusilla's shade was down, but the dark young man knew that she was in her room, for once her pink tipped fingers had adjusted the curtain and a savory odor told of her supper cooking.

"Clickety-click-click," went the typewriter, and then suddenly "Clang-clang," deadened by its distance to the fifth floor, came the ring of the fire engine bells.

The dark young man leaned out. Far below him he saw great crowds gathering. The smoke floated up from the puffing engines. Then all at once he caught his breath sharply. The windows of the third floor of the tenement were lighted with a golden glow, growing redder as he looked.

The smoke poured out and joined the smoke of the engines, while the black masses drifted up the fire escape and over the blooming little garden.

The young man shouted hoarsely.

"You," he began. What should he call her? He had never heard her name. "Young lady, little girl!" he shrieked. But there was utter silence across the way.

Then he began to cough. "Help!" he gurgled. "Help!" This brought Drusilla, in a pink wrapper, with a little frying pan in her hand. She opened the door and looked out anxiously.

"What is it?" she demanded, coming to the railing.

"Look!" shouted the young man.

Already the flames were working up. Firemen were crawling up ladders like flies, and shrieks came from the people within.

"Run down; run down," ordered the young man. "It's the only way to save your life. Down the fire escape. Go at once," he continued peremptorily as Drusilla wavered.

So down she fluttered, frying pan and all, looking like a pink blossom as she grew smaller in the distance.

Then the young man, watching her, saw her turn and come back. As she reached the floor where the flames were raging she swerved aside and ran desperately up the steps.

"My garden, my garden!" she gasped as she saw the terror in his face. "I couldn't leave it to burn."

But the young man did not stop to hear the end. Like a madman he ran to the elevator. Then he sped to the street and began the climb toward Drusilla. Far above him she was staggering with her heavy burden, half blinded by the smoke.

At the fatal third floor she stopped. Across the iron fire escape swept waves of flame. Two firemen just below, unconscious of the girl above them, were trying to turn a stream of water on a window. The noise was deafening. The dark young man shouted frantically, and at last his voice reached them.

"Turn it this way; turn it this way!" But they saw the motion of his hand and the pink gowned girl above them and comprehended. As the water played for a moment over the blistering iron the dark young man plunged through and dragged Drusilla to safety.

They were all drenched—Drusilla and her rescuer and the little garden. When they reached the street the dark young man led Drusilla to a secluded niche in the doorway of the big office building. All about them raged the excitement of a terrible catastrophe, and Drusilla, safe in the little haven, quietly proceeded to faint away. The dark young man caught her in his arms and mopped her face with his wet handkerchief. Then she opened her eyes and saw the informality of his attitude and blushed.

"We haven't been introduced," she reproached faintly, but she did not draw away from him.

"As if that mattered," said the blissful dark young man.

Elastic Marble.

In one account of Rome the author mentions five or six slabs of elastic marble as being in the possession of the Prince Borghese. Being set on end they bend backward and forward. When laid horizontally and raised at end they form a curve. If placed on a table and a piece of wood or any other substance is laid under them they fall into a kind of curve, each end touching the table. The Abbe Fortis was told that they were dug up near the town of Mondragon, in the kingdom of Naples. The grain is like that of fine Carrara marble or perhaps of the finest Greek. They seem to have suffered some attack of fire. A slab of marble similar in every respect to those described and highly polished has been exhibited for years at the British museum. M. Fleuvian de Belvae succeeded in making common granular limestone, a granular quartz, completely flexible by exposing it to a certain degree of heat. In Lincoln cathedral, England, there is an arch built of white marble which is quite elastic, yielding to a heavy tread and returning or rebounding to its original position on true elastic principles.

Two Convincing Reasons.

Lord Peterborough, who lived in the reign of Queen Anne, was very frolicsome, and one day, seeing from his carriage a dancing master with pearl colored stockings lightly stepping over the broad stones and picking his way in extremely dirty weather, he alighted and ran after him with drawn sword in order to drive him into the mud, but into which he of course followed himself.

This nobleman was once taken for the Duke of Marlborough and was mobbed in consequence. The duke was then in disgrace with the people, and Lord Peterborough was about to be roughly handled. Turning to them, he said:

"Gentlemen, I can convince you by two reasons that I am not the Duke of Marlborough. In the first place, I have only 5 guineas in my pocket, and in the second they are heartily at your service."

Preferred Arrest.

A thief broke into a large mansion early in the morning and found himself in the music room. Hearing footsteps approaching, he hid behind a screen.

From 7 to 8 o'clock the eldest daughter had a lesson on the piano.

From 8 to 9 o'clock the second daughter took a singing lesson.

From 9 to 10 o'clock the eldest son had a violin lesson.

From 10 to 11 o'clock the other son took a lesson on the flute.

At 11 o'clock all the brothers and sisters assembled and studied an ear splitting piece for piano, violin, flute and voice.

The thief staggered out from behind the screen at half past 11 and, falling at their feet, cried, "For mercy's sake have me arrested, but stop!"

WHITE HOUSE FROLIC.

President Played With Six Hundred Little Xmas Guests.

ROMPED WITH THEM FOR AN HOUR

Played "Crack the Whip" at a Children's Party—Archie Roosevelt Danced an Old Fashioned Breakdown on Historic Dining Table—A Boys' Concert a Feature of the Function.

"Nursie, rub my tummie!" wailed a five-year-old who had eaten everything from ice cream Santa Clauses and steamed oysters to red holly berries at the recent White House Christmas party, says a Washington dispatch to the New York World.

Six hundred children, sons and daughters of government officials, army and navy officers and friends of President Roosevelt's family, were there. The invitations read, "From 4 o'clock until 6:30." None was late. Some came in carriages, accompanied by nurses and maids. Mrs. Roosevelt had maids to straighten out girls' curls and rearrange girls' clothing, while Steward Pinckney performed a similar service for the boys.

Some of the children shyly wandered about until spied by the Roosevelt children, who quickly made them feel at home. Archie Roosevelt sought his old friends among the boys and said to them, "Now, you fellers must help me entertain." The shy and nervous quickly were put at their ease and taken upstairs, where the Marine band was playing. The music stimulated the children, and soon all were playing and romping about.

Everywhere were lights, Christmas greens, flowers and music. Mrs. Roosevelt greeted her little guests in the green room, wishing them all a merry Christmas and a happy New Year. Mrs. Roosevelt was surrounded by the wives of cabinet officers. Major McCauley, in the gorgeous uniform of the United States marine corps, introduced each of the little guests.

After meeting Mrs. Roosevelt the children went to the historic east room and at the door were given a souvenir—a bit of cerise ribbon with a white button inscribed "A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year." In the east room the youngsters for an hour listened to music by a boys' concert company from Chicago. There were eleven numbers, and some of the younger children began to show signs of impatience.

"Refreshments will be served in the state dining room," an usher announced, but few of the children knew where the state dining room was. Led by Archie Roosevelt and his chums, however, they quickly found their way. The big mahogany table, at which have been dined famous personages for a hundred years, was decorated with candelabra, holly and ferns. In silver dishes were bonbons, fancy cakes and other good things to eat. Four big Santa Clauses stood guard at each corner of the table, and at the end of the room was the Christmas tree, which had been dressed and kept as a surprise by Archie Roosevelt.

The children were soon enjoying themselves, eating of everything offered. After the table had been cleared Archie Roosevelt hopped up on the table and danced an old fashioned breakdown, while his boon companions looked on and cheered. After leaving the dining room the children formed little parties and scattered all over the mansion. Youngsters with candy gummed fingers made impressions on the walls, but nobody cared. Mrs. Roosevelt had medicines at hand, and whenever a cry of pain was heard the youngster was taken in hand by Surgeon General Rixey, who administered to the overworked stomach.

The older children began dancing in the east room while the younger ones had a romp, playing games and "exploring." At the height of the fun President Roosevelt joined the youngsters at play and romped with them for an hour.

"Why, he's just like any other man, ain't he?" said one delighted child when the president was playing "crack the whip" with them.

During the dancing in the east room many of the children fell because of the exceeding slipperiness of the floor. President Roosevelt tried to pick them up as fast as they fell, but they fell too fast. He had to call for aid, and Major McCauley, with his clanking sword, and many of the ushers assisted him. Absolutely no restraint was put on the children. They had a thoroughly enjoyable afternoon.

This was the first children's party of any magnitude since the days of President Tyler. Fathers and grandfathers of many of the children present today attended the fancy dress ball given in honor of President Tyler's granddaughter, Mary Fairlie Tyler. Little Miss Tyler was dressed as Titania, and 300 children were her guests. Mrs. Cleveland gave children's parties, but the guests included only the children of intimate friends. Mrs. Roosevelt has given two previous children's parties, but the guests on neither occasion numbered more than thirty or forty.

Some Youthful Ideas.

One of the graduates of the State Normal school, who is teaching in southern Maryland, has started a collection of "remarks" of her scholars, says the Baltimore Sun. A composition by a bright twelve-year-old chap on "Buttermaking" began with the logical remark that "it is necessary to save up your money and buy a cow to make butter."

"Sarcasm is something that comes in cans" is, the teacher vows, a definition given her recently.

IS $10,000 POORER

Faro Banker From Chicago Runs Against Hub Experts

Boston, Jan. 2.—"Gentlemen, the bank is without funds," was the announcement of a prominent Chicago "banker" to the patrons of his faro establishment at one of the big hotels last night.

The bank had been conducted for four days. Although mere details, such as charter, incorporation, directorate or note issue were omitted for excellent reasons, there was an abundance of working capital looking for other capital from persons workabie.

The cash in the treasury Monday was $10,000; last night, the founder of the institution was forced to solicit a loan, but could offer no security.

The cashier, who also acted as president, janitor and office boy, personally manipulated the highly colendared foretellers of fortune and prided himself upon his skill and honesty.

Unfortunately, however, four gentlemen who had acquired a reputation for faultless financing and unerring judgment in forecasting the exact personality of the card to be dealt, were introduced to the banker, now without funds to continue his monetary plans.

Monday cost the bank $2200; on Tuesday $1600 melted, while on Wednesday the treasury suffered a further depletion of $2500. The grand finale came yesterday, when $4700, including the last penny of the banker, was paid over to the four gentlemen with accurate judgment.

The unfortunate banker remarked at midnight that he regretted his absence from Chicago.

Resignation of Health Board

Melrose, Mass., Jan. 2.—Messrs. Provandie, Tinlin and Robinson, who comprise the entire membership of the local board of health, have resigned. It is stated that all three resigned for business reasons, but this is not thought to be the case by many of the citizens, as the board of health has been under fire by the aldermen. They spent several thousand dollars in excess of the amount appropriated and were severely criticised.

Municipal Court's Busy Year

Boston, Jan. 2.—Fred Ingalls, clerk of the municipal court, announces that in the year 1903 26,802 cases were handled in this court alone, a very heavy record. Much of the increase in the number of arrests made was due to the policy of Judge Emmons of the board of police, who decreed that all intoxicated persons who made themselves obnoxious in public places should be locked up.

A $443,000 Failure

Boston, Jan. 2.—The first petition in bankruptcy recorded this year in the United States district court in this city was filed by Mark Lewis, a builder and contractor, and the amount of the figures involved ranks it as one of the heaviest in the records of the local court. The total liabilities are scheduled at $443,020, with nominal assets of but $100, represented in furniture and clothing.

Express Companies In Combine

Boston, Jan. 2.—Plans have been perfected for a consolidation of 23 of the large local express companies within a radius of 10 miles of Boston. The combination is known as the Boston Suburban Express and Parcel company. The organizers intend gradually to take in every city and large town of Massachusetts. The new corporation will be capitalized at $1,000,000.

Liquor Men's Word Disbelieved

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 2.—Former License Commissioners Murphy and Lodge of Chicopee were found not guilty of conspiring to solicit bribes from liquor dealers and others. Three Chicopee liquor dealers testified that they paid bribes to the commissioners. The commissioners denied the charge completely. The jury was out on the case for four hours.

Passed Worthless Drafts

Boston, Jan. 2.—Police Inspector Wolf left last night for Detroit to bring back Joseph Rheinstrom, who is under arrest there for the local police, charged with passing numerous worthless drafts in this city. Two large hotels are said to have been victimized by Rheinstrom and there are other charges against him.

Rejected Lover Kills Himself

Providence, Jan. 2.—Francisco Adrizone, aged 27, was found dead in his room at 58 Spruce street. The police found among his effects a letter in which he stated that because a girl refused to return his love he intended to take his life. The man had taken poison.

Six Men Charged With Burglary

Montpelier, Vt., Jan. 2.—Charged with burglary at the freight depot in Northfield, six men, ranging in age from 16 to 20 years, were arraigned here and held for trial, bail of $1000 being required in each case.

Jealousy Caused Double Crime

Huntsville, N. J., Jan. 2.—Oscar Dormidy, a young farmer, shot his wife dead in their home near this village and fired a bullet into his own heart. The motive for the crime is said to have been jealousy.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Sunday, Jan. 3.
Sun rises—7:14; sets—4:23.
Full moon—12:47 a. m.
High water—11 a. m.; 11:30 p. m.

It is much colder in the Missouri valley and over the eastern slope and somewhat higher temperatures prevail in the southeast districts. The weather will be fair in New England.

Women are Peculiar

They have ailments and weaknesses peculiar to their sex causing them distress and anxiety. Thousands are carried to the grave by Decline, Consumption and other diseases of a fatal character by not correcting the evil in time. Time and trial have proved that no medicine will equal Beecham's Pills to combat these ailments and give happiness and health. Millions of women in every part of the world take no other medicine to keep them in perfect health but

Beecham's Pills

Women of middle age will find that Beecham's Pills strengthen and invigorate the nervous system, purify the blood and lay the foundation of health and strength.

Full directions will be found in the pamphlet wrapped around each box of pills.

Sold Everywhere in Boxes. 10c. and 25c.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in all parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

A 20 per cent. Reduction.

For dates in January and February the experiment will be tried of giving a special discount of 20 per cent. in the prices of Quincy Music Hall. The price scale as it is, though doubtless seeming high to some, is not really so when a fair account is taken of the many, many expenses of running a large hall and keeping it in first class condition, as well as the fact that at best such a hall can be rented only a small part of the time. The prices of Music Hall are not now changed, merely the experiment is to be made of giving this special discount to engagements coming in these two special months.

The Location is the best of any hall in the city. The street cars pass the door with a turn out right in front of the Hall.

The Floor is of selected maple laid with the greatest care, and is kept in perfect condition being covered with canvas when not used for dancing.

The Ventilation—a most important consideration—is such as to keep the air pure with even a crowded hall and without causing any drafts.

The Hall is Lighted by electricity, brilliantly and pleasantly, and with a switchboard arranged so that all desired effects can be obtained in the Hall proper or on the stage. Gas is used as an auxiliary light.

The Heating is direct—indirect, ample, and giving the most healthful results.

The Stage has been designed with care, and is furnished with a particularly generous supply of attractive and appropriate scenery.

For Advertising, the Music Hall Billboards throughout the City are of very great value.

To Darken the Hall, there are special window fittings so that at noonday the Hall can be made as dark as at midnight.

In case of fire there are pails of water and chemical fire extinguishers throughout the Hall. There is an asbestos fire curtain by which the Stage can be instantly cut off from the Hall proper. There are nine (9) doors opening from the Hall and five (5) separate exits.

As a whole, Quincy Music Hall has been carefully planned to meet the requirements of those who wish a *large and really first class Hall.*

QUINCY MUSIC HALL

Dec. 26. tf

BACK TO THE OLD STAND.

W. A. BRADFORD,

Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting.

JOBBING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

Shop and Office, under the Savings Bank Building, CITY SQUARE.

TELEPHONE 111-3.

☞ Open Monday and Saturday Evenings.

Quincy, Dec. 22. tf

Dining Room Rugs

Made up Rugs ready to lay on your floor in sizes varying from 6 feet x 9 feet to 12 feet x 14 feet.

Pretty soft colors in Reds, Greens and Browns, in sizes to fit any room.

After once enjoying the comfort of a Dining Room Rug you will never use a carpet again.

Our prices are extremely low in weaves consisting of Oriental, Velvet, Moquette, Brussels, Tapestry, Woolen or Jute; over one hundred different patterns ranging in price from $5.00 to $35.00.

Tim payments for those who wish.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.

New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store,

Hancock Street, Quincy.

We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

F. S. BUXT
TEACHER OF
WOULD like a few more pupils; ners preferred. Resid
BURY AVE.
Atlantic, Dec. 21.

THE SHIRT WAIST

Speci
Sale
All Goods soiled a
during the
Christmas
And all Christmas Goo
sold before NEW
Very Low Pri
D.E. Wadsworth
THE SHIRT WAIST

Washington Street H
and Boarding S
JOHNSON & E
PROPRIETO
HENRY T. BROWN,
QUINCY, MA
Tel. 81-3. 80 Wash
Aug. 11.

MISS SPEAR'S
—SLOYD.
Evening Class opens Mond
Taught by Mr. Charles S
Saturday mornings, 9 to 11.
C. FOLLETT SPEAR
Piano, Voice
Quincy, Oct. 15.

DR. CLAYTON R. B
DENTIS
Opposite Post
1355 Hancock St.,
OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12
Evening 7 to 8, except Wednes
Jan. 31.

Eyes Exam
Glasses Fitted
Tuesday and Thursda
L. J. LINC
The Reliable O
1260 Hancock St.,
(Next to Shaw's new furn
Quincy, Dec. 28.

JOHN STREIFERD
FLORIST
Telephone 13-7 B
Cut flowers, Bedding and fol
eral orders. Weymouth La
greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenu
street, East Braintree.
Orders taken by Charles C.
ciet, Quincy Square.

ANNOUNCE
EBEN HA
Manufactu
OPTICIAN
of 31 Bromfield street, Bosto
Jewelry and Optical store at 30
one, Wollaston, opposite the de
Jewelry, Watches, C
Ware, Opera, Fiel
Marine Glasse
Eyes examined and Glasses
Lenses matched and replaced
tory.
Watches, Clocks and Jewe
first-class workmen. All work
French Clocks called for
Send postal and we will call.
EBEN HA
OPTICIA
370 Newport Ave.,
Dec.25—1m

Peculiar

eculiar to their sex causing
s are carried to the grave
seases of a fatal character
ime and trial have proved
Pills to combat these ail-
Millions of women in every
ine to keep them in per-

's Pills

Beecham's Pills strengthen
rify the blood and lay the

pamphlet wrapped around

s. 10c. and 25c.

TATE.

the best part of life is gone.
gradually, this would not be
ending. Consult me. I have
House Lots for sale in al.

N, Builder,
Quincy, Mass

Sods for sale.

tf

Reduction.

y the experiment will be tried of
f Quincy Music Hall. The price
e. is not really so when a fair
running a large hall and keeping
at best such a hall can be rented
sic Hall are not now changed,
special discount to engagements

ity. The street cars pass the door

reatest care, and is kept in perfect
for dancing.
ation—is such as to keep the air
ny drafts.
antly and pleasantly, and with a
e obtained in the Hall proper or

iving the most healthful results.
is furnished with a particularly

roughout the City are of very great

ow fittings so that at noonday the

hemical fire extinguishers through-
hich the Stage can be instantly
doors opening from the Hall and

carefully planned to meet the
ally first class Hall.

IC HALL

tf

LD STAND.
FORD,
d Gas Fitting.
TTENDED TO.
ings Bank Building,
RE.
11-3.

tf

lay on your floor in
9 feet to 12 feet x

, Greens and Browns,

comfort of a Dining
se a carpet again.
low in weaves consist-
Moquette, Brussels,
; over one hundred
n price from $5.00 to

who wish.

DE & CO.
Furniture Store,
Quincy.
Saturday Evenings.

F. S. BUXTON,
TEACHER OF VIOLIN

WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE
Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

Special Sale.

All Goods soiled and handled during the

Christmas Rush

And all Christmas Goods must be sold before NEW YEARS.

Very Low Prices.

D.E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.

JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.

HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
Te. B-3. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

MISS SPEAR'S CLASSES
—SLOYD.—

Evening Class opens Mondays and Fridays. Taught by Mr. Charles Sampson, 7 to 9. Saturday mornings, 9 to 11.

C. FOLLETT SPEAR, Directress.
Piano, Voice and Harmony.
Quincy, Oct. 15. 3m

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.

OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
Jan. 31. tf

Eyes Examined
Glasses Fitted Correctly
Tuesday and Thursday Evenings.

L. J. LINCOLN,
The Reliable Optician,
1260 Hancock St., Quincy.
(Next to Shaw's new furniture store.)
Quincy, Dec. 28. tf

JOHN STREIFERD & SON,
FLORISTS.
Telephone 13-7 Braintree.

Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.

Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

ANNOUNCEMENT.

EBEN HARDY,
Manufacturing
OPTICIAN . .

of 21 Bromfield street, Boston, has opened a Jewelry and Optical store at 307 Newport avenue, Wollaston, opposite the depot.

Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silver Ware, Opera, Field and Marine Glasses.

Eyes examined and Glasses fitted. Broken lenses matched and replaced in our own factory.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired by first-class workmen. All work guaranteed.

French Clocks called for and delivered. Send postal and we will call.

EBEN HARDY,
OPTICIAN,
370 Newport Ave., Wollaston.
Dec.15—1m

THEATRES CLOSED

Nineteen In Chicago Found to Be Violating Ordinances

CROWDS VISIT MORGUES

Bodies of Unfortunates Remaining In Them In Such Condition as to Make Identification Difficult--Theatre Employe Who Operated Light Which Started Fire Is Placed Under Arrest and Tells His Story--Fifteen Singers Held as Witnesses--Damask Curtains Covered Theatre Doors and There Were No Signs to Indicate Exits

Chicago, Jan. 2.—Mayor Harrison has taken steps to provide as far as possible against a repetition of Wednesday's horror at the Iroquois theatre. As a result of an investigation made at his orders and lasting but a few hours, 19 theatres and museums were ordered closed. some of them being among the leading and most popular playhouses of the city. The act of the mayor was based on one single violation of the ordinances which are intended to protect the patrons of theatres from just such an occurrence as that which cost so many lives on Wednesday. This was that every one of these places had omitted to supply an asbestos curtain.

The inspection ordered by the mayor was carried out by Building Commissioner Williams and Chief of Police O'Neill. The scope of the investigation included no other feature than asbestos curtains. The mayor instructed Commissioner Williams to report to him promptly at the conclusion of his investigation, declaring that it was his intention that no theatre should be allowed to open its doors in Chicago hereafter unless it was provided with an asbestos curtain of standard quality that would work at all times and under all conditions.

The report of Building Commissioner Williams showed that the Academy of Music, with a seating capacity of 2000, had a curtain of burlap. The Alhambra with a capacity of 2300, the Avenue 600, the Bijou 1300, Clark street museum 270, Criterion 1400, Piegenbaum's 400, Howard's 900, Marlowe 1300, New American 1400, all had curtains of linen, covered with fire-proof paint. In the Columbus Stock theatre, with a seating capacity of about 1600, and in Sam T. Jack's it was of canvas. The Olympic theatre, with a seating capacity of about 1600 people, has a curtain of canvas.

"There were other glaring defects," said Commissioner Williams, "which were noticed in some of the houses, but we were not paying particular attention to them, although I noted them and the theatrical managers will be compelled to remedy them as soon as possible."

Funerals Throughout the City

Such a day of mourning Chicago never witnessed as that which ushered in the new year. In every portion of the city almost it seemed as though there were funerals going, or an undertaker's wagon arriving with dead who were being brought to their homes for the last time.

While the funeral processions were moving through the snow covered streets to the various cemeteries, the throng about the various morgues and undertaking establishments, seeking missing relatives, seemed as large as ever. Hundreds hoped against hope that they might have overlooked their dead in the great number that had crowded the tables and floors on Thursday morning. In some cases they were successful, in many others they were not. Practically all of the bodies which admit of careful identification have been carried away, and of those which remain the majority are in such a condition that only the most minute and careful inspection will be able to reveal their identity to those who knew them best.

It was absolutely impossible for the bereaved relatives to secure all the carriages they wished to convey their friends and relatives to the cemeteries. In many cases it was not possible for all members of the immediate family to ride in the funeral cortege because no carriages could be procured for them. The liverymen were simply overwhelmed by the demands made upon them.

The coroner's office yesterday issued nearly 300 burial certificates for people killed in the fire. Some of these were people residing in other cities, but they were comparatively few.

Story of Light Operator

The police have vigorously pushed their inquiry into the causes of the fire and made several other arrests of stage hands, among them William McMullen, the operator of the light which started the fire. He was locked up at the central station and Wilson Kerr, a fly man at the theatre, was also placed in a cell.

Fifteen members of the double octette which takes part in the song "In the Pale Moonlight" have been placed under arrest by the police. Miss Romaine has so far eluded the detectives. They are wanted as witnesses and there is no charge against any of them.

Orders were issued by Chief of Police O'Neill last night that none of the 15 would be released unless a bond of $5000 was furnished. McMullen, the light operator, underwent a searching examination by Assistant Chief of Police Scheuttler. McMullen's story was as follows:

"I was standing on the iron bridge at the right side of the stage from which the 'spot light' is operated. The lamp seemed in good condition, but in the middle of the second act, just as I changed from a white light to a blue one, the arc between the carbons spluttered and jumped. A spark struck the frayed edge on the inside of the border of the curtain drapery. A flame which I should say was about 12 inches long shot up. I abandoned the lamp and clapped my hand upon the flames, but they spread in spite of me. I called to have the fire curtain lowered and yelled to the house fireman to help me. He came with a patent fire extinguisher, which had no effect on the flames. Finally I jumped from the bridge to the stage. A little child in one of the front boxes had already been badly burned. I seized her and carried her out and then returned to the theatre. Here I worked, pulling people out of the choked exits until it was useless to stay any longer."

With the arrest of McMullen the police believe they have the last important witness among the theatre employes who are essential to a complete inquiry at the coroner's inquest.

Superintendent of Schools Cooley announces that the Iroquois theatre fire killed 24 teachers in the Chicago public schools and six teachers are still reported missing.

Mayor Visits the Iroquois

Mayor Harrison, in company with Building Commissioner Williams, Alderman Mayor and several architects, visited the Iroquois theatre building and went over it thoroughly. The mayor went out on the fire escapes, tried the exits and finally mounted into the rigging loft above the stage. The dressing rooms were visited and the whole interior explored. B. H. Marshall, the architect of the building, accompanied the mayor throughout the trip. When in the gallery the mayor paid particular attention to the exits and tried all the handles by which the doors are opened.

The failure to comply with the ordinance requiring that exits shall be indicated by printed signs struck the mayor and when he noted that heavy damask curtains hung before some of these doors, he inquired of Architect Marshall why they had been placed there. Marshall replied that it was done to improve the appearance of the house.

It was also noted by the mayor that the ordinance requirement which insists that galleries above the ground floor must each have a separate stairway leading to the street had been disregarded. This circumstance excited the indignation of Alderman Mayor.

Mayor Harrison commented again on the fact that damask curtains had covered the doors and that there were no signs indicating the exits. "The signs were being made ready," Marshall said, "but temporary signs were not being used because it was not desired to mar the beauty of the interior with them."

To this Alderman Mayor rejoined: "This theatre was opened on Nov. 23. It has been running fully five weeks. In Heaven's name how long does it take to make a few signs?" To this Marshall offered no reply.

Returning to his office the mayor said: "I think exactly as I thought yesterday of the theatre. I could not see any explanation for the disaster except the failure of the curtain to come down. I tried a lot of the doors and they seemed to open and shut readily. I got into the rigging loft, which is of solid metal, without a trace of combustible material about it. I think it would have been wise, however, if the management had not placed heavy curtains in front of the exits. I gained a better idea of the horror of things than I had possessed before. Just think of stepping upon a wisp of human hair while walking about in the theatre."

Carried Corpse In Car

The Cottage Grove avenue cable line passes within a half a square of Rolston's morgue. Late yesterday afternoon a man, haggard and worn, walked up to a Cottage Grove avenue car and climbed aboard, carrying in his arms the body of a little golden-haired girl. The form was partially wrapped in a canvas cloth, but not sufficiently to conceal it. As the father took his seat with the child in his arms, the conductor eyed him doubtfully and then approaching him, touched him on the shoulder, saying: "I am sorry, but the rules of the company do not permit the carrying of bodies in this manner. I must ask you to leave the car."

Without changing his expression in the slightest, without showing a trace of excitement or irritation, the man rose to his feet, still holding on one arm the body of his child. With his free hand he thrust into the face of the conductor a large revolver, and said in a tone which betokened utter weariness and almost lack of interest in the proceedings:

"This is my daughter. I have looked for her all of last night and all of the day. I have tried in vain to obtain a cab or a carriage. I am taking my baby home to her mother and I intend to take her on this car. Now go on."

Other men on the car interceded with the conductor and the latter, realizing the situation, gave way and in the crowded car the father sat and carried the corpse of the child to his home.

Ushers Criticised

"Hundreds of lives might have been saved but for the stupidity, or worse, of the theatre ushers. I was sitting in the first balcony when I saw the people jump to their feet and heard the awful cry of 'Fire!' With others I rushed to the side doors, intending to escape by the exits provided for just such an emergency," said Mrs. Jennie Blackman, a survivor of the fire.

"As we tried to get out the ushers shouted for us to go back and use the ordinary exits. The doors were locked. We tried to open them, but the ushers pushed us back savagely. Finally, when I and some others broke through the door, we were met in the passage by other ushers, who again tried to shop the onrush of the frightened women. Here, however, the crowd behind pushed so hard that the ushers were swept away and I found myself thrown down and dragged along until I reached the outside. My clothes were torn from my body and I was badly bruised. The corridors were ample to have afforded escape for hundreds if the doors had not been locked."

Quarrel Results In Two Deaths

New York, Jan. 2.—Henry McKeon and his 4-year-old grandson, Matthew Dempsey, are dead, and Mrs. Ella Brennan is in a serious condition suffering from gas poisoning. Mrs. Brennan admitted that after she had quarreled with her husband, John Brennan, and the latter had left the apartment, she turned on the gas in the kitchen where McKeon, a visitor, with his grandson, was. She is a prisoner at a hospital, charged with homicide and attempted suicide.

Three Killed In Hotel Fire

Chicago, Jan. 2.—Three persons were killed and four others injured in a fire that destroyed the Louvre hotel last night. Nearly 100 guests were in the hotel at the time the fire broke out, several of whom had retired for the night. With the remembrance of the Iroquois theatre horror fresh in their minds, everyone in the place became panic-stricken and rushed madly for the streets as soon as it became known that the hotel was on fire.

Wanted to Marry Again

Philadelphia, Jan. 2.—Andrew Friel, aged 45, a widower, and father of 11 children, shot Kate Gallagher, aged 30, and then sent two bullets into his own head. Friel will die but the physicians think the woman has a chance of recovery. The shooting took place on the sidewalk in front of Friel's home. The couple had been acquainted for two years and the refusal of the girl to marry Friel led to the tragedy.

Three Young Murderers

Denver, Jan. 2.—Fred Arnold, 18 years old, has confessed to complicity in the murder of Mrs. Youngblood and the probable fatal shooting of her son, Robert, while attempting to rob the little grocery store kept by Mrs. Youngblood and her husband in a suburb of Denver. Arnold's confession implicated Newton Andrews, aged 20, and Charles Peters, 24 years old. Both are under arrest.

Artist's Queer Suicide

Salt Lake City, Jan. 2.—T. R. Griffith, a portrait artist, committed suicide in the county jail. He first tried to sever the arteries in his wrists and throat with a key. Failing in this, he picked a quantity of wool from his blankets with which he plugged up his nostrils and then he stuffed his handkerchief down his throat and slowly strangled.

Insanity Charge This Time

Pueblo, Col., Jan. 2.—Dr. C. O. Rice, who was acquitted of murder after a sensational trial, has been rearrested on a charge of insanity. An inquest into his mental condition will be held. Rice, while intoxicated, killed Policeman Martz. Rice and his wife were preparing to leave the city when he was arrested last evening.

Nozaleda Dislikes America

Rome, Jan. 2.—The appointment of Mgr. Nozaleda, former archbishop of Manila, as archbishop of Valencia, is widely commented on. The new position by tradition entitles Nozaleda to the red hat, and if this honor is bestowed upon him the sacred college will have a member of strong anti-American sentiment.

Nearly Seven Thousand Visitors

Washington, Jan. 2.—During the three hours and 11 minutes' New Year's reception at the White House the president received 6711 people. He had given orders that the reception should continue until all who were in line had been received, refusing to permit a time limit to be placed on the function.

Nebraska Democrats "Make Up"

Omaha, Jan. 2.—Nearly 500 Democrats of Nebraska last night celebrated the 99th anniversary of Andrew Jackson's victory over the British at New Orleans. The affair was in the nature of a love feast and reunion of the "gold" and "silver" Democrats.

Sailors Clung to Rigging

St. Johns, Jan. 2.—Schooner Clara Mason, laden with codfish, was driven ashore at Bonavista during a gale and became a total wreck. The crew took to the rigging and remained there for several hours before they were rescued. They were severely frostbitten.

"A New Year's Resolution"

New York, Jan. 2.—Edward Keresy drank carbolic acid on a street corner here. When asked why he had taken the acid he merely said: "This is a new year's resolution." He died in an ambulance on the way to a hospital.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Two business blocks in the centre of Ansonia, Conn., were destroyed by fire, involving a loss estimated at $75,000.

Daniel E. Fiske, author and newspaper writer, died at his home at Upton, Mass., aged 81. Fiske was best known as "Pratt Pond, Jr."

Captain Frederick Pabst, president of the Pabst Brewing company, died at his home at Milwaukee. Although he had been suffering from an incurable disease, his death came suddenly and unexpectedly. He was 67 years old.

CANAL COMES FIRST

Negotiations With Colombia a Secondary Consideration

WAR RUMOR FROM COLON

Reported Sinking of Colombian Gunboat by Our Warships Finds No Confirmation--All Quiet on the Pacific Side

Washington, Jan. 2.—The report that the president will take occasion to stir up the Panama situation afresh with a message to the senate urging prompt action on the canal treaty must not be interpreted as evidence that he has determined to close negotiations finally with Colombia. On the contrary, the first link in any chain of negotiations with the former mother country must be, according to the administration program, a ratified and proclaimed canal treaty with Panama, unless Panama herself mkes some other suggestion. No plan will be considered which contemplates any desertion of Panama.

If an arrangement should be made later for submitting Colombia's grievance to The Hague tribunal it will be with the understanding that no interference with the right of the United States to go on and construct the canal shall be considered. That much of the question shall be regarded as settled and out of the way.

It is because he wants the ground cleared of possible disturbing factors that the president is so anxious to hasten the ratification of the Panama treaty, whether his demonstration of urgency takes the form of a message or only of special consultations with senators of influence, as in the case of the convention of Great Britain superseding the Clayton-Bulwer treaty.

RUMORS UNCONFIRMED

Colon Hears Reports of Sinking of Colombian Gunboat

Colon, Jan. 2.—There are persistent rumors here that the Colombian gunboat General Pinzon has been sunk by American warships. There is no confirmation of the report at this time.

The Mayflower, to which Admiral Coghlan transferred his flag, has steamed out of the harbor. There are now no ships of war here.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Assistant Secretary Darling of the navy department said last night that he had received no news whatever with reference to the rumored sinking of a Colombian vessel by an American warship and that he believed the rumor was without foundation in fact.

Panama Reports All Quiet

Panama, Jan. 2.—The situation on this side of the isthmus is quiet and satisfactory to the naval authorities. Reports from Darien do not give any evidence of Colombian activity or the presence of Colombians in Panamaian territory. Darien miners who came here a fortnight ago have returned there to resume work.

The 30 American marines and bluejackets who remain at Yaviza have artillery and two armed launches with which they are patrolling the rivers. Panamaian soldiers continue scouting from Yaviza through the Darien district. The United States cruiser Boston is in San Miguel bay supporting the Yaviza outpost. The Wyoming is indulging in target practice and the Marblehead and Concord are both at Panama.

The disturbed internal conditions of Colombia are thought to give a sufficient reason for the concentration of Colombian troops but the naval authorities are in no wise remitting their activity or preparedness.

President Zelaya of Nicaragua has cabled the junta saying that it gave him pleasure to recognize Panama upon the new year's day. The recognition by Nicaragua has caused much satisfaction.

Inanaquina's Departure

Colon, Jan. 2.—It is not known here whether the Indian Chief Inanaquina left his territory of his own accord or was forced to do so by the Colombians. Much importance seems to be attached to that point. The cruiser Olympia and the gunboat Castine have not returned from the direction of Corti, where they went to investigate the situation.

Passenger Train Wrecked

Carlisle, Pa., Jan. 2.—A passenger train ran into an open switch near Newville last evening. The coaches left the rails, tearing up the track for 400 feet and the rear coach rolled over an embankment. Fourteen passengers were injured and one of these died shortly afterwards. Four others are believed to be fatally injured.

Robber Commits Murder

Baltimore, Jan. 2.—Hugh McAvoy, aged 65, was shot and killed while temporarily attending to the store of his brother at Clarkson. The murder is supposed to have been committed by a negro, who afterwards robbed the money drawer and escaped. A posse is on his trail.

Butcher a Murderer

Newark, N. J., Jan. 2.—In a quarrel at 201 Broome street Charles Mason, a butcher, stabbed and instantly killed Charles Schaub. The murderer was arrested.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Oct. 18, 1903, trains will run as follows:

(Subject to change without notice.)

TO BOSTON				FROM BOSTON			
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.		Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.	
r *5 19	abcdefghi	5 47		*5 50	ihgfedcba	19	r
r 6 12	abc	6 32		6 28	cba	6 49	r
r 6 42	abc	7 02		6 58	cba	7 19	r
r 7 12	abc	7 32		7 28	cba	7 49	r
r 7 23	ad	7 42		8 28	cba	8 49	r
7 29	Exp.	7 45		8 58	cba	9 19	r
r 7 42	abcde	8 02		9 28	cba	9 49	r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15		10 28	cba	10 49	r
r 8 12	abc	8 32		11 28	cba	11 49	r
r 8 26	abd	8 45		12 28	cba	12 49	r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05		12 45	Exp.	1 02	
r 9 12	abc	9 32		12 58	cba	1 19	r
r 9 42	abc	10 02		1 28	cba	1 49	r
r 10 12	abc	10 32		1 58	cba	2 19	r
r 10 42	abc	11 02		2 28	cba	2 49	r
r 11 12	abcde	11 32		2 45	cba	3 06	r
r 12 12	abc	12 32		3 28	cba	3 49	r
r 1 12	abc	1 32		3 45	cba	4 06	r
r 1 42	abc	2 02		4 28	cba	4 49	r
r 2 12	abc	2 32		4 50	edcba	5 16	r
r 3 12	abc	3 32		[illegible]	dba	5 36	r
r 3 42	abc	4 02		5 26	a	5 48	r
r 4 12	abc	4 32		5 28	cba	5 49	r
4 59	Exp.	5 15		5 45	dba	6 06	r
r [illegible]	abc	[illegible]		5 46	ihgfdcba	6 45	
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57		5 58	cba	6 19	r
r 6 12	abc	6 32		6 15	da	6 36	r
r 6 42	abc	7 02		6 28	cba	6 49	r
6 59	Exp.	7 15		6 58	cba	7 19	r
r [illegible]	abc	[illegible]		7 28	cba	7 49	r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07		8 28	fedcba	8 53	r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32		9 28	cba	9 49	r
r 9 12	abc	9 32		10 28	tedcba	10 53	r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02		10 50	ihgtedcba	11 19	r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32		11 28	cba	11 49	r
r 11 12	abc	11 [illegible]					

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02		6 28	cba	6 49	
r 8 42	abc	9 02		8 58	cba	9 19	r
r 9 12	abc	9 32		10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45	r
9 33	a	9 51		12 28	cba	12 49	r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44		2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45	r
r 1 12	abc	1 32		3 16	ihgtedcba	3 45	r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44		4 28	cba	4 49	r
r 5 12	abc	5 32		5 28	cba	5 49	r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44		6 58	cba	7 19	r
r 7 12	abc	7 32		8 28	fedcba	8 53	r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32		8 43	Exp.	9 00	
9 00	Exp.	9 15		9 28	ihgfedcba	9 37	r
10 18	Exp.	10 33		10 28	teucba	10 53	r
r 10 22	abcdefghi	10 40					

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.46 6.16 6.46 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—6.16 8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 7.21 9.21 P. M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A. M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P. M.

Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE.

Corrected to Nov. 20th, 1903.

(Subject to change without notice.)

LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brockville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 1 .00 A M. 12.00 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 810 A.M then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M. then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON 7.15, 7.45 A M. then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M. Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

J. T. CONWAY, Division Supt
H. E. REYNOLDS, Asst Gen. Supt.
Quincy, Mass., Nov. 20, 1903.

Hote Greenleaf

Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

ADVERTISING
IN THE
QUINCY DAILY LEDGER
BRINGS BEST RESULTS.

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.

Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS

and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St.
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. J. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BEAVER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

1904 JANUARY 1904						
Su.	Mo.	Tu.	We.	Th.	Fr.	Sa.
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24 31	25	26	27	28	29	30

MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon	3	0:47 a. m.	New Moon	17	10:46 a. m
Third Quarter	9	4:10 p. m.	First Quarter	25	3:41 p. m

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Rev. Edward Anderson addresses the men's meeting of the Weymouth Y. M. C. A., on Sunday afternoon.

The annual meeting of the School Committee will be held in their rooms Tuesday evening next at eight o'clock.

The ringing of bells, siren whistles, and the boom of cannon ushed in the New Year, the sounds coming distinctly on the clear midnight air.

The tickets are out for the turkey dinner and men's banquet at the Universalist vestry, Jan 27. The number of tickets is limited and intending purchasers should secure them at once.

The first of the monthly suppers of First church is to be on Wednesday evening, Jan. 13th, in the chapel. The supper committee met on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. E. C. Butler, of Russell park.

At the Wollaston Baptist church Sunday evening, January 3, at 7.30 Dr. William Ashmore will speak on "Some experiences of fifty years in China." It is always a pleasure to hear Dr. Ashmore and on this topic he will be especially interesting.

The canvassers for births for the year 1903 started on their rounds this week. Henry W. French will canvass Wards 1 and 2, W. J. Parker will canvass Wards 3 and 4, and George S. Baker will canvass Wards 5 and 6. In 1902 there were 788 arrivals and in 1901 there were 750, over two per day.

WONDER FROM UGANDA.

Baroness von Schellendorf Brings Odd Animal That Dances to Music.

Among the passengers who recently arrived at New York on the steamship Bluecher was the Baroness Isabella von Schellendorf, formerly Miss Buntz of Cleveland, says the New York Times.

"For the past three and one-half years," the baroness said, "I have been in Uganda with my husband, who is a naturalist. I have returned to spend the holidays with my family in Cleveland. Since I went to Uganda I have been busily engaged in collecting odd things, of which I now have a great number. In my trunks are human teeth, war drums which are rubbed instead of beaten, war spears, bows and poisoned arrows and innumerable other things. My husband and I have also been engaged in catching zebras and breaking them to harness. We have a herd of 400 of them in Uganda, and the baron is now preparing to bring about 150 of them here for exhibition at the St. Louis eposition."

The baroness drew from her wrist bag a bundle wrapped up in fleece, which she unrolled, showing an animal about the size of a gray squirrel and which had the head of a squirrel, the legs of a kangaroo and the tail of a monkey.

"I don't know what his name is," said the baroness, "so I call him a night squirrel, because he cannot see by day." The ship's band started to play, and the baroness placed the animal on the floor of the pier, where he rose on his hind legs and began to dance about.

—The Chicago Tribune has begun printing the leading news of the day in verse. It looks as if this might well be called "deformed journalism."

Installation.

Last night in G. A. R. hall, South Braintree, the new officers of Gen. Sylvanus Thayer post 87, G. A. R., and Woman's Relief corps 94, were installed in a joint installation.

Past commander Henry A. Monk, assisted by Edwin R. Gustin as officer of the day, installed the following officers:

COMMANDER C. M. MARSTIN.

Commander, Dr. Chauncey M. Marstin; senior vice-commander, William H. Cuff; junior vice-commander, Lawrence A. Dyer; quartermaster, Charles G. Anderson; surgeon, E. R. Gustin; chaplain, Henry B. Whitman; officer of day, Joseph M. Foster; officer of guard, Walter Holbrook; adjutant, Edwin L. Curtis; sergeant-major, Peter B. Moore; quartermaster sergeant, Thomas B. Stoddard.

Past Commander Carrie E. Fisher, assisted by Mrs. Daggett, installed the following officers of the Woman's Relief corps:

President, Mrs. Sarah J. Crosby; senior vice president, Mrs. Mina E. Woodsum; junior vice president, Mrs. Sarah A. Vining; chaplain, Mrs. Alice S. Kane; treasurer, Mrs. Sarah J. Anderson; secretary, Mrs. Jennie McGibbon; conductor, Mrs. Carrie M. Downey; assistant conductor, Mrs. Mary E. Bangs; guard, Mrs. Annie F. Chandler; assistant guard, Mrs. Ida M. Dyer; color bearers, Mrs. Alice Bestick, Mrs. Mary Brett, Mrs. Carrie B. Allen and Mrs. Sarah J. Brown.

After the installation ceremonies an oyster supper was served. At the close of the post-prandial exercises, Commander Marstin made a brief address, being followed by Aide-de-Camp John N. Fox of Department Commander D. O. Judd's staff, Past Commander Henry A. Monk, Capt. Nelson Hayden of Antietam camp, Sons of Veterans; Mrs. Mary E. Bangs and Mrs. Sarah J. Crosby.

Members of Antietam camp S. of V. and the Ladies' Aid and invited guests were present making a large attendance.

A SUBMARINE BOAT ESCAPE

Two Dogs Stood the Test—They Were Sent Through the Torpedo Tube.

For some time there has been a feeling among naval men that if any accident should happen to a submarine torpedo boat while in a submerged condition the crew would be buried alive, says a Newport special to the New York Tribune. The builders of the boats have felt that there was an escape through the torpedo tube at the bow, but to naval officers this did not seem feasible.

A test was made recently in the waters of Narragansett bay, and it proved very satisfactory. In place of a man two large dogs were used for the test, and they came out of the ordeal in as good condition as before it began. The submarine Stark, under the command of Lieutenant Nelson, was sent in the bay and submerged, and the test was held. One at a time the dogs were placed in the torpedo firing tube and, with a wooden wad behind them, were shot into the water. Each arose to the surface and swam around as if nothing out of the ordinary had happened, satisfying all who witnessed the test that the crew could escape in a similar manner.

An Arc Light College Yell.

At a lecture at Missouri university an arc light suddenly said "Hello!" and then talked rapidly for several moments, interrupting the lecturer, says a Columbia dispatch. It was found that the sound was due to the fact that a telephone wire had crossed the electric light wire, so that the sound was transmitted into the arc light, the flame acting as a receiver and reproducing the voice with startling distinctness. The students have perfected a contrivance by which an arc light may be made to produce any sound desired. At a party given the co-eds. to exhibit the invention the arc light laughed, sang and finally gave the varsity yell.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

BRAINTREE.

Mr. Hutchins an employe of Closson's shoe shop, residing on Franklin street is recovering from his recent illness.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church met with Mrs. Royal Belcher Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Albert E. Legg entertained on Monday, Mr. Legg's mother, Walter, Earl and Miss Florence Legg of Roslindale.

At the meeting of Blue Hill lodge 208, A. O. U. W. at G. A. R. hall next Wednesday evening, officers will be installed for the coming year.

Mrs. C. W. Clapp and daughter, of Hyannis, were very pleasantly surprised by a large number of their former friends of Braintree, Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. George Day of Franklin street. The time was delightfully spent in social chat and whist. A dainty lunch, brought by the friends, was served.

Puritan lodge, I. O. O. F. held its regular meeting Tuesday evening. Election of officers was the work of the evening.

Carbery McKaig, a citizen of this town for the past three years, died at his home on Washington street, Friday morning of consumption, aged 29 years. The deceased leaves a widow.

Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Vining of Central street, entertained on New Year's day, Mrs. Henry Woodbury and Mrs. Cora Roy of East Boston, Mrs. William McNeil of Winthrop, Mrs. E. R. Stone and children of Quincy, Mrs. George Chinman and children of Dorchester, Mrs. Bertha Broughton of Marblehead, Mrs. Orrin Belcher and Mrs. Fred Smith of South Braintree.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moore of Cleveland avenue are spending the holidays with Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Drollett.

Thank Offering Meeting of the Storrs Ladies Foreign Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Henry Strong Thayer Monday, Jan. 4, at 3 o'clock.

The Philergians will meet at the home of Mrs. C. S. Bates, River street, Tuesday, Jan. 5.

The First church clock refuses to strike and therefore is not popular with the laborers.

The Washington Whist club met at Mr. E. G. McGill's Washington street, New Year's eve and contested for prizes. After three hours play the following were awarded the prizes of the evening. The first ladies' prize was won by Mrs. J. S. Hill, second by Mrs. E. W. Clark. The first men's prize was won by Mr. S. P. Pratt, second by J. S. Hill. As the hour of twelve was struck, the guests were presented New Year's surprise gifts by the hosts. Refreshments of punch and fancy crackers were served.

It is rumored that a new ship building plant is to be established at East Braintree on the site formerly occupied by the Fore River Company.

The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be observed at the Union church on Sunday Jan. 3d, immediately after the preaching service. One new member is to be admitted at that time.

Doric White, a resident of the Landing for scores of years and well known as one of the pioneer hotel keepers, passed away at his home on Commercial street, after several years' illness, early Monday morning at the advanced age of 77 years, 6 months and 2 days. He was proprietor of the Wessagusset hotel and leaves a widow, three daughters and five sons. The funeral services were held from his late home Thursday morning at 9.30. Requiem mass at the Church of the Sacred Heart at 10 o'clock.

Col. Edward Anderson gave an address at the Christmas vesper service at the Union church, at East Braintree, last Sunday. Mrs. Helen Allen Hunt contralto soloist assisted in the musical program.

The New Year's party and reception to all the Congregationalists of the South Parish was a very successful social affair. About two hundred responded to the invitation of the pastor and spent a most delightful evening. The guests were met at the vestibule by a committee of twenty-five ladies and everything was done to make the evening one of social intercourse and pleasure.

Pres. Marion Holbrook of L. A. S., 16, installed the officers of the Whitman society Friday evening.

Aide-de-camp Irving Holbrook will install the officers of Camp 11, Abington, the 12th.

Antietam L. A. S. 16 held a successful whist party in G. A. R. hall Wednesday evening souvenirs were given Messrs. McNamee and Kelly and Miss Maria Nason and Mrs. Alfred Holbrook.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

The Only Place in QUINCY
Where you can buy the Famous
WINGOLD FLOUR
Harbor Light Coffee
--AND--
Star Brand Coffee
IS AT THE
CONSOLIDATED
ADAMS BUILDING.
Headquarters for High Grade MEATS and GROCERIES.

MILTON.

The Sunday school of the East Congregational church held a New Year's party in the new vestry Friday afternoon. Ice cream, cake and fruit were served and numerous games played by the children.

Miss Helen Duncan of Otis street, East Milton, entertained a number of her friends Thursday evening in honor of her birthday anniversary.

Eel spearing has become quite a pastime.

Rev. W. E. Gardner of Quincy preached at the Mission church last Sunday evening.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE

The management of the Castle Square Theatre announces as the attraction at this theatre next week the romantic Irish comedy, by Augustus Pitou, "Garrett O'Magh." This play was written a few seasons ago for Chauncey Olcott and made the remarkable record of over one thousand performances throughout the country. The principal scenes are in and about Dublin, Ireland, in the year 1812 and the skill of the author in dramatic construction is clearly shown in the facinating way the love story of the young Irishman is treated. The comedy element is one of the chief charms of the play and the costumes of the period give a picturesque touch to the groupings and tableaux. The leading characters have been cast as follows: Garrett O'Magh, Howell Hansel; Mrs. Mary Devlin Gertrude Berkeley; Roger Nagle, Esq., John F. Webber; Eileen Nagle, Lillian Lawrence; Sir Horace Wilton, Lindsay Morrison; Louise Wilton, Isabelle Fletcher; Alfred Spencer, John Sainpolis; Rufus Hardy, Thomas MacLarnie; Josephine, Mary Sanders; Jerry Quigley, William J Hasson; Darby Lynch, John T. Craven; Maggie Lynch, Kate Ryan; Old Mrs. Lynch, Mabel Colcord; Dennis, Louis Thiel. The usual distribution of souvenir boxes of choice chocolate bonbons will be made at the Monday matinee.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

The spectacular feature of the Keith Boston show for the week of January 4, the first in the new year, will be the novel act of the Avolos, who claim to be the only performers in the world who throw double somersaults from perpendicular poles. Frank Keenan, "the Sol Smith Russell of the varieties" will appear in "The Actor and the Count," a cleverly constructed sketch, in which he scored quite a hit during a previous engagement. Among the other noted entertainers are, Mayme Remington and her pickanninies, in "coon" songs; Theo. Smith, novelty intrumentalist, and Miss S. George, harpist and vocalist, in a delightful musical act; George Wilson, blackface humorist and philosopher; the three Keatons, including "Buster," the most precocious lilliputian comedian on any stage, and the Katamura troupe of Japanese acrobats and wonder workers. There will be several other specialists contribute pleasing amusement to the program and an entire change in the biograph list of motion pictures will be made as usual.

COLUMBIA THEATRE.

Monday evening, Jan. 4, Boston theatregoers will have an opportunity of seeing a young woman who is said to actually rival Anna Held in both physical beauty and magnetic stage presence—La Belle Guerrero, "the woman with the wonderful eyes," whom Manager Charles P. Salisbury will introduce at the popular Columbia theatre in conjunction with the sparkling farce, "There and Back," in which the comedians, Evans and Hopper have distinguished themselves the past fortnight. Mlle. Guerrero will supplant Miss Vesta Tilley as the main vaudeville feature of the irresistible farce, and she comes to America direct from a sensational engagement at the Folis Berrage in Paris. For Guerrero's first appearance Manager Salisbury has arraigned a program that will show the new beauty in all four of her specialties, those embracing polite pantomime, eccentric dancing, character singing and graceful posing. The coming week will see the last Boston performances of "There and Back" for the present season.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate transfers in Braintree:

John O. Hall et al, to Helena A. Collins.
James Malcolm to John Ross.
Harlow H Rogers to Forrest N. Adams.
Elmer B. Silliman to Clara B. Bradford.
William R. Thomas to Charles F. Adams et al, trs.
Annibale Ferrari et al, to Annie F. Hallisey.
Annie F. Hallisey to Annibale Ferrari et al.
Jeremiah B Sylvester to Jessie L. Webb.
Jessie L. Webb to Sedora E. Sylvester.
Harlow H. Rogers to Margaret W. Nairn.

—The old Sherman mansion of Fairfield, Conn., has enough closet room to to satisfy any housekeeper. There are said to be no less than sixty closets in the house—closets within closets.

FOR SALE
—OR—
TO LET.

HOUSE, Parker street, in good repair. Here is a good chance for some one to get rent free, and also good investment on money, as one flat is well rented.
HALL & BURGESS,
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 28. tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Appiy at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

GRANITE YARD FOR SALE.

WE will sell on favorable terms, our SHEDS, DERRICK and TOOLS, including membership in Association. Sheds are on leased land. Will sell rough stock if wanted.
COOK & WATKINS,
Nov. 13, Sept. 1-tf Pope Building, Boston.

TO LET
IN QUINCY, MASS.,
By H. H. FAXON.
Houses, Stores, Hall, Rooms, Offices, Stables, Land, Wharves, etc.

The Buildings are in Complete Repair.

HALL with ante-rooms and city water, No. 1355 Hancock street, opposite Post Office, and on the public Square.
HALF OF SLATED ROOF HOUSE at No. 6 Chester street, Wollaston.
4 TENEMENTS, 3 to 4 rooms each, No. 18 East Howard street, $8 to $9 per month.
COTTAGE HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 63 Field street.
HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 17 Kidder street.
HALF HOUSE, corner Howard street and Howard avenue.
HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 19 Kidder street.
HALF HOUSE, 6 rooms, city water, hennery, good yard, No. 59 Pond street, now occupied by James F. Mullin.
HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 15 Brackett street.
For particulars, apply to
HENRY H. FAXON,
Quincy, Mass.
Quincy, Dec. 8, 1903. 1m

10 cents.
LUCK
AT
PRATT'S,
Every Wednesday, 2 Packages 15 cts.

What It Costs
... AND ...
What It Pays

are two values of newspaper advertising that the merchant has to consider. But the most important thing is

WHAT IT PAYS.

The merchant can get space in papers of small circulation and little influence for a little less money than the same size space would cost in the DAILY LEDGER and the QUINCY PATRIOT.

DOES IT PAY

to throw away the certainty of the profitable returns which are sure to LEDGER and PATRIOT advertisers, because it costs less to advertise in a cheaper paper?

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:
Four lines, or less, one day, - - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents
Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—Manager for Branch office we wish to locate here in Quincy. Address, with references, MORRIS WHOLESALE HOUSE, Care This Paper. Jan 2-it

WANTED—TWO SPECIAL MECHANICS $3.76 per diem. An examination will be held at the Office of the U. S. Inspector of Machinery, Fore River Ship and Engine Co., Quincy, Mass., January 6, 1904, to fill the above positions. For application and further information address, U. S. INSPECTOR OF MACHINERY, FORE RIVER SHIP AND ENGINE CO., QUINCY, MASS. Dec. 26. 2t- 26-2

WANTED—By mother and daughter in Wollaston or Wollaston Park, two rooms (one or both unfurnished) with board. References exchanged. Address Lock Box No. 2, Wollaston, Mass. Dec. 29-8t

EXPERIENCED HOUSEKEEPER wishes position as housekeeper in widower's small family, or care of invalid, best of references. Address MRS. S. E. HALL, Post Office, Wollaston, Mass. Oct. 20-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A Variety Store. Good Location. Apply 305 Water street, Squantum, Quincy. Dec. 31-6t

TO LET.

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements. at 22 Blake street. Rent $15 per month. Apply to F M. TORREY, Agent. 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30. 1p-tf

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Rent $15 per month. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31. tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—48 Revere road, large front room, $3.00 per week; one medium size and one smaller room, $2.25 and $1.50 per week. Large bath room, all nicely furnished and heated. Quincy, Dec. 28 6t

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24. tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 3. QUINCY, MASS., MONDAY, JANUARY 4, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

Inaugural Address of Mayor Bryant.

TO MAKE CAREFUL STUDY

Of the City Finances This Year, and Bring Quincy Up to Date.

A Clear Statement of the Debt and Loans, Showing Amounts Paid and New Debt.

A Review of Other Departments of the City with Some Recommendations.

The message of Mayor Bryant to the City Council today should meet with hearty approval from top to bottom. It is as follows:

Gentlemen of the City Council:

Inasmuch as you meet regularly throughout the year and in special session whenever the executive has occasion to call you together. I do not believe in an extended inaugural address at this time.

I should much prefer to close these proceedings, after submitting to you a statement of our financial condition, with a few words of greeting: and later send to you for your consideration, recommendations and reports bearing upon such subject matters as then needed your immediate attention. But custom has decreed that the Mayor in an inaugural address on this day, shall at least outline something of his policy for the ensuing year, therefore I will at this time touch on certain matters which in my opinion you can consider with profit to the city and I will also give you information on certain other matters which may be of interest to you.

FINANCIAL SITUATION.

I fully realize that our financial condition is the subject uppermost in your mind as well as the minds of all our citizens and I regret very much that inauguration day coming so soon after the first of the year does not enable me to submit to you such a detailed report of our financial situation as I should like to give to this Council. The Treasurer's and Auditor's reports will, however, give you additional information later, and I will now read to you the statement usually furnished at this time.

DEBT STATEMENT.

Municipal Debt Jan. 1, 1903,	$477,740.35
Paid during the year,	70,540.35
Leaving,	407,200.00
Added during the year,	109,628.00
Debt Dec. 31, 1903,	516,828.00
Water Debt January 1, 1903,	720,500.00
Paid during the year,	34,500.00
Leaving,	686,000.00
Added during the year,	30,000.00
Debt Dec. 31, 1903,	716,000.00
Sewer Debt January 1, 1903,	411,600.00
Paid during the year,	12,800.00
Leaving,	398,800.00
Added during the year,	70,000.00
Debt December 31, 1903,	468,800.00
Park Debt Jan. 1, 1903,	41,000.00
Paid during the year,	1,000.00
Debt December 31, 1903,	$40,000.00
Total Debt January 1, 1904,	$1,650,840.35
Paid during the year,	118,840.35
Leaving,	1,532,000.00
Added during the year,	199,128.00
Total Debt,	$1,731,128.09

DIVIDED AS FOLLOWS.

Municipal,	$516,828.00
Water,	716,000.00
Sewer,	468,800.00
Playground,	40,000.00
Total debt Dec. 31, 1903,	$1,741,628.09
Increase for the year,	90,787.55

MAYOR BRYANT.

The Municipal debt falling due in 1904 is as follows:

January,	$1,950.00
February,	30,000.00
March,	31,000.00
April,	2,900.00
May,	4,000.00
June	26,500.00
July,	29,500.00
August,	7,150.00
September,	4,000.00
October,	3,000.00
November,	5,600.00
December,	1,828.00
	$148,078.00

The amount of money expended in 1902 is as follows:

Budget,	$433,709.84
Water Dept. paid from Receipts,	39,811.13
Sewer Dept. paid from Assessments,	26,632.75
	$499,453.72

For the year 1903:

Budget,	$433,251.99
Water Dept. paid from Receipts,	39,037.70
Sewer Dept. paid from Assessments,	30,744.75
	$503,087.35
Increase for the year,	$3,633.63

LOANS ISSUED IN 1903.

Water Extension,	$30,000.00
Sewer Extension,	70,0000.00
Rock Island Road,	700.00
Chubbuck Street Drain,	500.00
Sewer House Connections,	6,000.00
Independence Avenue,	200.00
Repairing Willard School,	1,500.00
Plans and Surveys of City,	1,000.00
Squantum Street Drain,	1,400.00
Paving Willard Street,	6,000.00
Federal Avenue,	1,000.00
Municipal Loan,	50,000.00
" "	30,000.00
Poor Debt, 1903,	828.00
Atlantic Schoolhouse Lot,	10,500.00
	$209,628.00

LOANS ISSUED IN 1902.

Water Debt,	$34,000.00
Sewer Debt,	60,000.00
Municipal Debt,	101,690.35
	$195,690.35
	$13,937.65

You will observe that the total increase for current expenses during the past year over those of preceding years was but $8,633.63. This includes the sewer and water departments, as well as all other departments of the city.

The increase in the total amount of loans issued of every character was $13,937.65 and this includes the last loan made by the Council of 1903 of $10,500 for the Atlantic school-house lot, which was really made the first day of this year, though dated December 1st of last year. Were it not for the two loans aggregating $80,000 which we were obliged to negotiate to provide ready money to meet expenses, there would have been for this city an almost unprecedented net reduction of the city debt on the first day of January.

In view of all that has been said and published on this subject, it seems almost unnecessary for me to go into any extended explanation of why we had to borrow money to the extent we did for current expenses. Perhaps it is sufficient to say that the principal reasons were that we couldn't collect in our back taxes soon enough and that we didn't borrow enough money and for a long enough time in anticipation of the taxes for the year just passed. These are the principal reasons, undoubtedly, but added to these were other conditions which brought about a combination of circumstances which no other administration has been obliged to face. This year we were obliged to make good all balances in the treasury for construction accounts and no new construction loans of any importance were made to take their place. Heretofore it has been the custom for the City Treasurer to use whatever balances there were in the bank not immediately needed for the purpose for which the appropriations were made, to make up the amount needed for current expenses, and would then replace the amounts used upon receipt of back taxes. The contention has been that it was not wise to borrow money for current expenses as many cities do when there was cash in the bank not immediately required for other purposes. This method has worked all right in other years, and I believe, has resulted in a saving of interest to the city. I am free to confess, however, that I do not altogether like it and should prefer to see the city carry a larger cash balance on hand if there is a legal way of doing it. I trust, however, that you will not conclude, either from what you have heard or from what I have said, that we have not ample cash assets with which to pay all debts incurred for running expenses.

There was due us January 1st from taxes of the last four years only, together with cash in the treasury and receipts available over $280,000, the notes and loans referred to amount to $260,000. The leeway being more than sufficient to make good all balances for construction appropriations and such bills as were not presented January first. This does not not take into account as assets any of the taxes due the city for the years between 1894 and 1900. There are enough of these taxes which will be collected, eventually, to offset at least abatements and uncollectible taxes of the four years just passed.

It is perfectly obvious to you, however, that we cannot hope even with more strenuous efforts on the part of the Tax Collector to get in all of these back taxes this year so that probably it will be necessary to either carry over one of these municipal loans into next year, or make a new one. It is my present intent to push the collection of taxes this year to an extent never before attempted, and I expect the balance uncollected for the years previous to 1904 will on December 31st next be the smallest in the history of the city.

Personally, I am much pleased that this question has come to a head during my term of office. If strenuous methods are necessary to put the city in a better financial condition I am ready to undertake them. The discussion which we have had on this subject will strengthen the hands of this administration to compel the payment of taxes at an earlier date than heretofore. I am in favor of abating all those taxes not collectible of the early years of the city government and which in my opinion should have been abated by the assessors or collected by the Collectors long before my administration came into office.

I promise you that I will make a most careful study of the city finances this year, and I expect to receive your co-operation and assistance to the end

(Continued on Page 4.)

Organization of New City Council.

NEW PRESIDENT

Walter F. Nichols by Good Majority.

Other Officers Are Re-elected.

But Three Councilmen Without Experience.

Although the weather was rather inclement for a large attendance at the inauguration of the city government this noon, there were many citizens present, but not as many as usual.

The desk of the Mayor and President was adorned with two handsome bouquets, one of roses and the other pinks.

Promptly at the hour of 12, City Messenger Tirrell entered the City Council chamber followed by City Clerk Keith, Mayor Bryant and Rev. Ellery C. Butler, pastor of the First church.

Rev. Mr. Butler offered prayer, which was followed by the administering of the oath to Mayor Bryant and the members of the City Council of 1904.

At the roll call the following were absent: Adams, Gearwar, Hadlock, Holmes, Hughes, Langelier, McFarland, Polk, Spargo, Stone, Thompson, Walsh, Whiton. All of these, however, were delayed by lateness of the trains and came in before the Mayor finished reading his inaugural, except W. T. Spargo.

Mayor Bryant was then introduced and delivered his inaugural address, which required twenty-two minutes. He omitted the reading of the financial statement.

Applause followed the reading of the address.

The roll call of the City Council was then made and the City Council proceeded to organization, which was effected as follows:

VOTE FOR PRESIDENT.

Number votes cast	22
Necessary for choice,	12
N G Nickerson had	6
Walter F. Nichols had	14

The Councilmen voted as follows:

Adams, George E,	Nickerson.
Bass Lewis, Jr.,	Nichols.
Gassett, William G.,	Nichols.
Gearwar, Herbert D.,	Nickerson.
Hadlock, Charles A.,	Nickerson.
Hardwick, Charles H.,	Nichols.
Holmes, Melville C.,	Nichols.
Hughes, William P.,	Nickerson.
Johnson, Julius,	Nichols.
Langelier, Louis F. R.,	Nichols.
Loud, Arthur W.,	Nickerson.
MacFarland, Charlec A.,	Nichols.
Nichols, Walter F,	Gassett.
Nickerson, Nathan G.,	Adams.
Piper, Walter E.,	Nichols.
Polk, Herbert J.,	Nichols.
Reardon, John J.,	Nichols.
Spargo, William T,	Absent.
Stewart, Andrew,	Nichols.
Stone, Eugene R,	Nichols.
Thompson, Alexander W.,	Nickerson.
Walsh, Richard H. Walsh,	Nichols.
Whiton, Joseph L. Jr.,	Nichols.

The organization of the City Council was as follows:

Clerk of Council, Christopher A. Spear.

City Auditor, George A. Sidelinger.

City Messenger, Harry W. Tirrell.

Clerk of Committees, Christopher A. Spear.

Upon motion of Councilman Adams the rules of the Council of last year were adopted as the rules of this year.

CONSTABLES.

The Mayor forwarded the following appointments of constables which were confirmed: Charles H. Burgess, Vincint C. Saunders, Walter H. Cobb, Stephen E. Wilson, Frederick E. Goss, Amos L. Litchfield and John T. Hunt.

Councilman Bass offered an order for printing the calendar. To Special committee.

Councilman Nickerson offered an order to borrow $400,000 in anticipation of taxes. To Special committee.

Councilmrn Whiton offered an order removing the two incandescent lights on Whitney road and putting in an arc light in its place. To Committee on Streets when appointed.

Councilman Bass offered an order for printing 200 copies of the Inaugural Address. To Special committee.

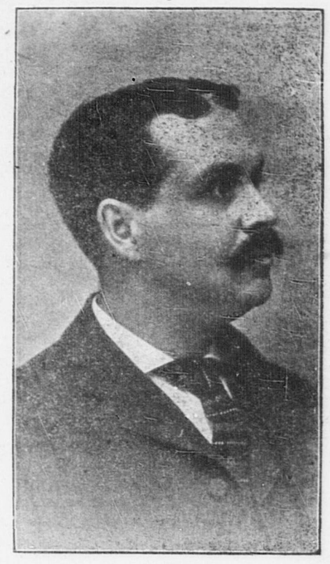
The Councilmen will be seated as follows:

George E. Adams,	12
Lewis Bass, Jr.,	13
William G. Gassett,	11
Herbert D. Gearwar,	6
Charles A. Hadlock,	15
Charles H. Hardwick,	16
Melville C. Holmes,	1
William P. Hughes,	20
Julius Johnson,	9
Louis F. R. Langelier,	14
Arthur W. Loud,	21
Charles A. McFarland,	17
Nathan G. Nickerson,	8
Walter E Piper,	10
Henry J. Polk,	22
John J. Reardon,	4
Andrew Stewart,	18
Eugene R Stone,	19
William T. Spargo,	2
Alex. W. Thompson,	3
Richard H. Walsh,	5
Joseph L. Whiton, Jr.,	7

The first 12 numbers are front seats, beginning at the right of the President.

Rule one was suspended and it was voted that when the Council adjourn it be until Jan. 18.

Adjourned at 12.55.



PRESIDENT NICHOLS.

THE NEW PRESIDENT.

Walter F. Nichols has has four years experience as a councilman, and is therefore well qualified for the position of president. He has always been considered one of the conservative members. One who has followed closely the business and before casting his vote has weighed the question carefully. His vote has always been for what he considered the best interest of the city.

He has been a resident of Quincy since the fall of 1885, moving from Boston, in which city he was born May 26, 1857. He received his education in the public schools of Boston and at the English High, from which he was graduated in 1872.

His business is that of a dry goods commission merchant, in which he has been engaged in for some years. He was at one time however interested in copper and silver mining in Arizona, and was manager of the Reward Mining and Smelting Co.

During his first year in the Council he served upon the Committee on Streets and has served on that committee every year, and in 1903 as chairman. In 1901 and 1902 he also served on the Committee on Legislature Matters, and was chairman of that committee in 1902.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Nov. 2. 6mos.

HOUSE BURNED.

Set on Fire While Thawing Water Pipes.

The house of Charles F. Marr on Beach street, Norfolk Downs, was badly gutted by fire at 10.20 this morning.

The fire was caused by Mrs. Marr trying to thaw out a frozen water pipe. The frozen pipe was in the bath room and she was thawing it out with a hand lamp. In doing so the woodwork between the floors took fire and soon got beyond her control.

An alarm was sent in from Box 151, although the bells at Quincy did not strike.

The Atlantic and Wollaston apparatus however responded, as did also Chief Williams, who was notified by telephone.

It was a long hard pull for the apparatus and when they arrived the fire was burning briskly. The roof of the house was nearly burnt off and the interior badly damaged.

The loss cannot be estimated at the present writing, but it will be quite large.

COLD WEATHER.

Colder Than Any Day Last Winter —One Colder in Eight Years.

The weather Sunday and today was almost as cold at noon as it was on Dec. 9, 1902, which was the coldest day for years, the mercury registering but two above at noon. The temperature Sunday at noon was but 4 above, and today at noon but 8 above.

Sunday and today, therefore will pass for the coldest days of the winter. Both days are colder than any day last winter. The coldest days at noon last year were Jan. 19 and Feb. 19, both 10 above. Warmer weather is promised for tomorrow.

Ancients at Inaugurations.

Sergt. George H. Wilson was not the central figure at the inauguration of the city government in this city, but with Sergt. Frederick W. Tirrell and others will be on the honorary suite at the inauguration of Hon. Charles E. Howe at Lowell. Mayor Howe is a member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, and has invited these comrades to add to the dignity of the occasion: Lieut.-Col. C. M. Wheldon, Col. David L. Jewell, Judge W. H. Preble, Sergt. E. E. Snow, Col. J. B. Parsons, Quartermaster W. L. Willey, W. A. Battey, Hospital Steward F. H. Putnam Capt, J. Henry Brown, Sergt. Frederick W. Tirrell, and Sergt. G. H. Wilson.

Another Ancient elected to office of Mayor this year, is Hon. Charles S. Ashley of New Bedford, who will also have a suite from the Ancients on Inauguration day.

LEDGER ADS PAY BEST.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON

Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

IF YOU WANT PLAIN OR FANCY

CHEESE

GO TO THE

Meadowbrook Creamery,

QUINCY, MASS.

Most Complete Line in the City.

rdware Supply Co.,

75 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES

raps, Sharpeners.

S' SLEDS,
IRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

OAL SHOVELS,
OAL SIEVES,
OAL HODS,
AWS and
AW HORSES.

ec. 29. tf

ALL and BURGESS,

l Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.

AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
ice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
uincy, Dec. 30. 1y

F. S. BUXTON,

TEACHER OF VIOLIN

WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWRY AVE.
Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp 1y

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

Special Sale.

All Goods soiled and handled during the

Christmas Rush

And all Christmas Goods must be sold before NEW YEARS.

Very Low Prices.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

SKATES SHARPENED.

Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .

24 Granite Street,

NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.

Dec. 21. 1m

ommonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the devisees, legatees, and all other persons interested in the estate of

PATRICK GARRITY,

e of Quincy, in said County deceased, testate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to d Court to grant a letter of administration th the will annexed, on the estate of said eased, not already administered, to James Burke of Quincy, or some other suitable son.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate art to be held at Dedham, in said County Norfolk, on the sixth day of January, D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to w cause, if any you have, why the same uld not be granted.

nd said petitioner is hereby directed to e public notice thereof, by publishing this tion once in each week, for three successive eks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newsper published in Quincy, the last publicato be one day at least before said Court, by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy this citation to all devisees and legatees ed in said will seven days at least before Court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of Court, this twenty-third day of December in year one thousand nine hundred and three.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

ec. 24. 3t--24-31-4

ommonwealth of Massachusetts.

OLFOLK ss. PROBATE COURT.

o the heirs-at-law next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the te of

JOSEPH B. MEHAFFEY,

of Quincy, in said County, deceased, ntestate.

hereas, a petition has been presented to Court to grant a letter of administration the estate of said deceased, to Jennie G. affey of Quincy, without giving a surety er bond.

u are hereby cited to appear at a Probate rt to be held at Quincy, in said County Norfolk on the thirteenth day of January, D., 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon to w cause, if any you have, why the same uld not be granted.

nd the petitioner is hereby directed to give lic notice thereof by publishing this citation e in each week, for three successive weeks the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper lished in Quincy, the last publication e one day at least before said Court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of Court, this eighteenth day of December, D. 1903.

JONATHAN COBB Register.

ec. 21. 3t--21-28-4

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee it ertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Marlboro has a skater who is 74 years old, and has enjoyed the sport of skating every season since he was 12 years of age, when he purchased his skates. As he kept up the practice for 65 years he probably has had no more falls and bumps than the ordinary skater. We would not advise a veteran of 77 who has "not been skating for the last 40 years," to try it, unless he first gets into a padded suit, such as the football players use.—Lynn Item.

To Make Good For Son's Thefts

New York, Jan. 4.—After the funeral of Otto Ahlmann, late cashier of the Bank of Staten Island, who committed suicide after the state bank examiners began the usual audit, and after whose death the bank closed its doors, German Consul General Bunz announced he had received a telegram from Ahlmann's father at Kiel, stating that he would make good any deficit which might be found in Ahlmann's accounts with his bank.

Death of General Longstreet

Atlanta, Jan. 4.—Brigadier General James Longstreet, soldier, statesman and diplomat, and the last lieutenant general of the Confederate army, with the exception of General Gordon, died at Gainesville from an attack of acute pneumonia. He was 84 years old. He is survived by his wife, four sons and a daughter. He will be buried at Gainesville, which has been his home since the Civil war.

Senator Depew's Brother Dead

Detroit, Jan. 4.—Lawrence Depew, brother of Senator Depew of New York, and one of the most prominent citizens of Detroit, fell dead at the threshold of his home here. Death was ascribed to heart disease. Depew bore a striking personal resemblance to the senator.

Schooner Completely Wrecked

Cape Charles, Va., Jan. 4.—Schooner Joseph J. Pharo stranded on Carter's bar, near Smith island, last night. The schooner is a total loss. Captain Berry and the five men composing the crew were saved by the life saving crew of Smith island station.

Murder and Suicide

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Angry because he had been reprimanded by his sister-in-law and ordered from her home, John Pollak shot the woman, killing her instantly. Pollak then shot himself through the mouth. He died in a few minutes.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Fire gutted the building containing the plant and offices of the Portland Beef company at Portland, Me. The loss is $35,000.

Fire in the Grant hotel building, Rockland, Me., did about $20,000 damage. The blaze started in an upper story of the hotel and a defective chimney is supposed to have been the cause.

Archbishop Farley consecrated the new St. Joseph's church at New Rochelle, N. Y., a gift from Adrian Iselin, the banker. The new church is the fourth which Iselin, who is not a Catholic, has given the church of which his late wife was a member.

The Plains school at Sheffield, Mass., recently set apart by the school committee for colored students exclusively, was destroyed by fire. It is believed that the fire was incendiary.

General Stephen Moffitt, one of the most prominent men in northern New York, is dead. He was born in 1837. He had held many political offices.

Fire at Worcester, Mass., destroyed a building owned by E. C. Taylor and the buildings occupied by the Mohican grocery store and Bell Bros., confectioners. The total loss is $60,000.

Joseph Bugnall, aged 24, was discovered wandering about the streets of Fall River, Mass., in a dazed condition. He was removed to a hospital, where his face and hands were found to be badly frozen.

—Some of the wooden churches in Norway are fully seven hundred years old and are still in an excellent state of preservation. Their timbers have successfully resisted the frosty and almost arctic winters because they have been repeatedly coated with tar.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

MERCURY DROPPED

New England Gets a Taste of "Old-Fashioned Winter"

COAST SWEPT BY A GALE

Blinding Fall of Snow Which Accompanied Was Perilous to Navigation--Nantucket Islanders Find Themselves Frozen In

Boston, Jan. 4.—With the mercury hovering around the zero mark in this city and reaching an extreme of 35 degrees below in northern Maine; with a foot of snow at exposed points, piling up in huge drifts that delayed railroad trains and caused the abandonment of street railroad schedules, and in some cases interfered with the street lighting systems, New England has emerged from the clutches of the wildest blizzard that has swept this part of the country since the memorable storm of November, 1898.

The gale and a blinding fall of snow ravaged the coast from Newport, R. I., to Eastport, Me., until noon Sunday, when it moved eastward and last night was raging with almost unprecedented violence over the maritime provinces. New Brunswick and Nova Scotia are suffering the most.

Double patrols of life savers are watching the New England coast. Only one shipwreck is known to have occurred, that of the schooner Belle J. Neal on Allerton bar, off Hull, Mass., but late last night a woman's body was washed ashore at Nantasket and it is feared that another vessel was lost during the storm.

Word comes from Nantucket that the harbor is frozen for the first time in several years. The supply of provisions there is low, and much anxiety is felt by the islanders.

Official figures from the weather bureau station recorded a temperature of 1 degree below zero during the day, while during the warmest period the mercury stood at 7 above.

In the northern part of Nova Scotia the mercury stood at 22 degrees below zero, while in Halifax a temperature of 8 below was recorded.

Reports from Newport, R. I., tell of the worst gale and snowstorm known there in 28 years. The prevailing temperature is five degrees above zero, while the wind attained a velocity of 75 miles an hour. At sunset last night Highland Light, near Provincetown, Mass., reported that all indications pointed to the coldest night of the winter.

With a clearing sky yesterday afternoon the weather became intensely cold in this city. Since Saturday night five deaths from exposure have been reported at police headquarters.

In all of the New England cities and towns the snow interfered with the transportation lines.

Two Vessels Missing

Boston, Jan. 4.—Fears are entertained for the safety of two vessels bound for this port. The British barkentine Grenada should have arrived here nearly two weeks ago. The Grenada sailed from Turks island for Boston on Dec. 2, and since that time she has not been reported. Another vessel which is giving her owners considerable concern is the schooner Joseph W. Hawthorn, which was due here almost two weeks ago. So far no vessel reaching this port has made any mention of having sighted her.

The Gale Off Brenton's Reef

Newport, R. I., Jan. 4.—The storm which raged here was, according to Captain Kenyon of the Brenton's Reef life saving station, the severest in his 28 years of experience. The velocity of the wind reached 75 miles an hour. Surfmen Hoxey and Lamphere had their faces badly frozen, and the latter's condition is said to be serious.

Freeze-Up Was Unexpected

Nantucket, Mass., Jan. 4.—The fierce storm, accompanied by bitter cold, has caught the islanders unprepared, and now, with the harbor made impassable with a solid mass of ice, the inhabitants find themselves with but a small supply of grain and several other necessities. A freeze-up was not expected so early in the season.

Four Men Killed

New Haven, Jan. 4.—While clearing snow from the tracks of the New Haven railroad near Cedar Hill station three of a gang of shovellers were instantly killed and a fourth had both legs cut off by a passenger train. The victims were all Italians and were known as workmen only by numbers. The injured man died after being removed to a hospital.

Arms and Feet Frozen

Providence, Jan. 4.—William Harber, a sausage manufacturer, was found almost frozen to death in an open lot near the Silver Lake Italian colony. He had been out in the storm and when found his arms and feet were frozen. The man is at a hospital with little chance of recovery.

May Be Needed In Panama

San Juan, P. R., Jan. 4.—Governor Hunt has received advices from Washington countermanding the order to dismount the remaining mounted Porto Rican troops. From this fact, coupled with the constant drilling of the troops, it is inferred that the Porto Rican regiment will soon be ordered to proceed to Panama.

BATTERED BY STORM

Nearly Nude Body of Woman In Combers at Nantasket

Hull, Mass., Jan. 4.—As an aftermath of the blizzard the police are confronted with a mystery which has baffled attempts at a satisfactory solution. While walking along the beach at Nantasket George K. Hobbs discovered the nearly nude body of a woman buffeted among the rocks by the heavy combers. Hobbs attempted to secure the body, but it was seized by an undertow and drawn swiftly out of sight. Hobbs reported the matter to the local police and patrols were made along the shore in the hope of recovering the body.

The body bore only a striped waist, which gave the impression that the unfortunate person had dressed hurriedly in the first wrap that happened to be at hand. The face appeared to have been badly disfigured by contact with the jagged edges of the rocks and floating cakes of ice.

It is believed that the body came from some wreck, but as no women were known to be on board the vessels whose wrecks have been reported about here recently the case presents an element of mystery.

Charges Against Soldiers

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 4.—A general court martial met at Fort Ethan Allen today to hear cases against members of the Fifteenth cavalry, which has just arrived at the post after three years of service in the Philippines. The charge of intoxication and conduct unbecoming an officer is made against Lieutenant Going, alleged to have occurred in San Francisco. The other charges are against non-commissioned officers and privates, and cover a variety of offenses, all of which were committed in the Philippines.

Dog Gave Alarm of Fire

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 4.—During the blizzard fire broke out at the home of Cyrus Pickering and the lives of the family were only saved by the intelligence of a huge Newfoundland dog. Mr. and Mrs. Pickering were awakened by the dog, which sprang upon their bed and rubbed his cold nose against their faces and pawed the bed clothing and barked until they were thoroughly aroused. The house was full of smoke and Mrs. Pickering had been nearly suffocated when awakened. The loss amounted to $3000.

Encounter With a Highwayman

Brunswick, Me., Jan. 4.—Frederick H. Wilson was making his way home through a blinding snowstorm when he met a burly individual who demanded Wilson's money and at the same time struck him in the face. Wilson was momentarily staggered by the blow but, recovering, turned and fled. Pursued by the assailant, Wilson turned quickly and knocked the other down with a blow on the jaw. The highwayman was still lying in the snow when Wilson continued his trip homeward.

Snow Plow and Freight Met

Burnham, Me., Jan. 4.—As the result of a collision between a snow plow with a freight train the engine which was driving the plow and one car were thrown from the track. Engineer Coburn, Conductor Buck and Brakemen Goodale and Stinson of the snow plow train were severely bruised and Fireman Coyne sustained a deep scalp wound. The crew of the freight train were uninjured.

Driven Out In the Cold

Medford, Mass., Jan. 4.—While the blizzard was at its height members of the family of Lombard Williams were turned out of their home by fire and, clad only in night clothing, obliged to walk more than 100 yards through the drifting snow to shelter. The house, with nearly all its furnishings, was practically destroyed, and the loss will exceed $20,000.

Boy Killed His Playmate

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 4.—A search for Raymond P. Whitcomb, 8 years old, who has been missing from his home in this city, ended in the discovery of the boy's body behind a stone wall near his home and subsequently Silas Foster, aged 9, confessed that he shot young Whitcomb accidentally on Thursday while target shooting. The police are investigating.

Farmer Again Under Arrest

Newburyport, Mass., Jan. 4.—Arthur M. Farmer, wanted in this city on the charge of polygamy, is under arrest in Philadelphia. Farmer has been sought by the state police since Sept. 1, 1903, when he escaped from Officer Hammond and City Marshal Ayer of this city, who were bringing him here from Denver, where he had been arrested.

Bullets For Stepfather

New Haven, Jan. 4.—James MacKey is suffering from bullet wounds, possibly fatal, inflicted by his stepson, William F. McCarthy, aged 21. McCarthy says that he fired the shots because his stepfather had abused his mother and threatened to take her life. MacKey was shot three times.

Gas Tube Leaked

Providence, Jan. 4.—John Martin was found dead and John Meadows unconscious in a stable here. The men were employed in the stable and had gone to sleep in the office. Gas escaped from a tube used to connect the gas jet with a gas heater. Meadows is in a critical condition.

Razor Wound Caused Death

Providence, Jan. 4.—Coroner Lincoln finds that the death of Mrs. Annie McDermott was caused by septic pneumonia developing from a wound in her throat which, he states, was made with a razor by Patrick Fitzgerald. Fitzgerald's case will come up for trial on Jan. 8.

CITY BREVITIES.

Inauguration Day.

Continued cold.

Work gathering the ice crop will probably begin this week.

Every member of the Primary School of St. Chrysostoms, that is Miss Sanger's and Miss Hamilton's classes, are invited to the parish house for games and a treat on Saturday afternoon, Jan. 9; from 3 P. M. to 5 P. M.

The friends of Mrs. Everett C. Bumpus are congratulating her over the possession of a medal which has just been awarded her at the Water Color Club exhibition in Philadelphia. Mrs. Bumpus is at present at Asheville enjoying the balmy climate there.—Herald

A mission study class under the auspices of the Sunday school commission of the diocese is to be conducted by the Rev. Edward Abbott, D. D., of Cambridge, at the Diocesan House, 1 Joy street, Boston, on six consecutive Saturdays at 3 P. M., beginning January 9. The class will be composed of delegates from the parishes in and near Boston, each delegate agreeing to conduct a mission class in his or her own parish. St. Chrysostom's church sent Mrs. Jewell as a delegate.

Peptiron Pills

(Chocolate-coated)

Are an easily assimilated and remarkably effective and agreeable combination of pepsin, iron, celery, and other great tonics, nervines and nutrients.

Peptiron Pills

(Chocolate-coated)

Nourish, strengthen and quiet the whole nervous system, aid digestion and assimilation, give color, flesh and vigor, curing nervousness, nervous dyspepsia, anemia, neuralgia and sleeplessness.

Peptiron Pills

(Chocolate-coated)

Are a blessing to delicate women, worn-out mothers, tired housewives, overtasked school boys and girls, overworked business and professional men, and to the aged and infirm.

Peptiron Pills

(Chocolate-coated)

Are pleasant to take. Price, 50c. or $1. C. I. HOOD CO., Lowell, Mass.

Selling Agent in Quincy:

E. J. Murphy, 1657 Hancock St.

MISS SPEAR'S CLASSES,

148 Goffe Street.

Kindergarten and Day pupils received.

Music, Art, Sloyd, Basketry, Gymnastics, Shorthand and Tutoring taught by experts.

C. FOLLETT SPEAR, Directress.

Voice, Piano and Harmony. Oct. 15-3m

ANNOUNCEMENT.

EBEN HARDY

Manufacturing OPTICIAN . .

of 21 Bromfield street, Boston, has opened a Jewelry and Optical store at 307 Newport avenue, Wollaston, opposite the depot.

Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silver Ware, Opera, Field and Marine Glasses.

Eyes examined and Glasses fitted. Broken Lenses matched and replaced in our own factory.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired by first-class workmen. All work guaranteed.

French Clocks called for and delivered. Send postal and we will call.

EBEN HARDY,

OPTICIAN,

370 Newport Ave., Wollaston

Dec. 15—1m

CARD.

Mrs. F. H. Hewins,

—: Formerly in the :—

Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations

METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE PARIS.

Offices:

128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.

Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903. tf

JOHN STREIFERD & SON,

FLORISTS.

Telephone 13-7 Braintree.

Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.

Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

Sleep For Sale.

Registered Trade Mark.
Copyrighted by Ostermoor & Co. N.Y.

The "Sleep that knits up the raveled sleeve of care." You can own it, can command this priceless witchery of restful sleep, if you will but own an Ostermoor patent elastic felt Mattress.

Nothing on earth you can own will give you more absolute comfort than a luxurious Ostermoor Mattress.

If you wish to travel all the way to old age without missing connection at any stage of the game you must command sleep, and you can't help sleeping if you own an Ostermoor Mattress.

Full size, $15.00, in 2 parts, $15.50.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.

New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store,

Hancock Street, Quincy.

We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

BACK TO THE OLD STAND.

W. A. BRADFORD,

Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting.

JOBBING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

Shop and Office, under the Savings Bank Building, CITY SQUARE.

TELEPHONE 11-3.

☞ Open Monday and Saturday Evenings.

Quincy, Dec. 22 tf

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,

DRUGGIST,

1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in all parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

GET YOUR

Job Printing

AT THE PATRIOT OFFICE

Where it will be done Promptly and At Reasonable Prices.

W. G. CHUBBUCK,

Furniture and Piano Mover

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.

JOBBING.

Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.

lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

Don't Wait for it any Longer. 10 cents buys a package of

LUCK

AT

PRATT'S.

Every Wednesday, 2 Packages 15 cts.

Sleep that knits
raveled sleeve of
You can own it,
mand this price
chery of restful
you will but own
moor patent elas-
Mattress.
give you more
Mattress.
old age without
game you must
g if you own an
$15 50.
& CO.
ure Store,
Quincy.
Evenings.

STAND.
ORD,
Gas Fitting.
ENDED TO.
Bank Building,
s.
tf

se
woman in
t to Head-
get a Free
and being
, viz.: that
for
ne
ARN,
incy, Mass.

ATE.
st part of life is gone.
ally, this would not be
Consult me. I have
e Lots for sale in al.
Builder,
Quincy, Mass
for sale.
tf

ing
TRIOT OFFICE
and
for it any Longer.
buys a package of
LUCK
AT
RATT'S.
day, 2 Packages 15 cts.

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.
OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5
Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
Jan. 31. tf

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

WOOD! WOOD! WOOD!
OF ALL KINDS.
DRY AND GREEN
At Lowest Possible Prices.
THOS. O'BRIEN & SONS.
Yard off Miller and West Streets, West Quincy.
Jan. 7 tf

MAIN SPRINGS
Put in while you wait. Warranted two years
Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year $1.00.
Work called for and delivered.
SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy
Call or send Postal. D c. 28-tf

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
[illegible] Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER.
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street. Quincy.

You can't buy it anywhere else.
LUCK
AT
PRATT'S,
10 cts. package.
Every Wednesday, 2 for 15 cts.

A 20 per cent. Reduction.

For dates in January and February the experiment will be tried of giving a special discount of 20 per cent. in the prices of Quincy Music Hall. The price scale as it is, though doubtless seeming high to some, is not really so when a fair account is taken of the many, many expenses of running a large hall and keeping it in first class condition, as well as the fact that at best such a hall can be rented only a small part of the time. The prices of Music Hall are not now changed, merely the experiment is to be made of giving this special discount to engagements coming in these two special months.

The Location is the best of any hall in the city. The street cars pass the door with a turn out right in front of the Hall.

The Floor is of selected maple laid with the greatest care, and is kept in perfect condition being covered with canvas when not used for dancing.

The Ventilation—a most important consideration—is such as to keep the air pure with even a crowded hall and without causing any drafts.

The Hall is Lighted by electricity, brilliantly and pleasantly, and with a switchboard arranged so that all desired effects can be obtained in the Hall proper or on the stage. Gas is used as an auxiliary light.

The Heating is direct—indirect, ample, and giving the most healthful results.

The stage has been designed with care, and is furnished with a particularly generous supply of attractive and appropriate scenery.

For Advertising, the Music Hall Billboards throughout the City are of very great value

To Darken the Hall, there are special window fittings so that at noonday the Hall can be made as dark as at midnight.

In case of fire there are pails of water and chemical fire extinguishers throughout the Hall. There is an asbestos fire curtain by which the Stage can be instantly cut off from the Hall proper. There are nine (9) doors opening from the Hall and five (5) separate exits.

As a whole, Quincy Music Hall has been carefully planned to meet the requirements of those who wish a *large and really first class Hall.*

QUINCY MUSIC HALL
Dec 25. tf

— OUR —
Capitol Shoe
FOR BOYS.
Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.

Sizes 12 to 2	$1 75
Sizes 2½ to 5½	$2.00

The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.

Every Pair Warranted.

GEORGE W. JONES,
Adams Building, - QUINCY.

The Only Place in QUINCY
Where you can buy the Famous
WINGOLD FLOUR
Harbor Light Coffee
—AND—
Star Brand Coffee
IS AT THE
CONSOLIDATED
ADAMS BUILDING.
Headquarters for High Grade MEATS and GROCERIES.

The United States Mints...
were organized in 1792. The coinage of nickels was begun in 1866. The latest report from the Mints shows that 445,841,054 nickels have been coined since that time,—value $22,292,052.70

All The Nickels Ever Coined
would not pay for the Cremo cigars smoked in one year
Cremo
Largest Seller in the World
THE BAND IS THE SMOKER'S PROTECTION

A DAY OF FUNERALS

Rich and Poor Pay Last Rites to Chicago Fire Victims

ONE PLAYHOUSE IS OPEN

All Others, Numbering Twenty-Four, Must Remain Closed Until They Comply With Provisions of a Sweeping Nature

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Sunday was a day of funerals in Chicago and for the first time in the history of the city all of the people who desired to bury their dead were unable to do so. The unprecedented demand for hearses and carriages would have been enough in itself to task to the very utmost the resources of the undertakers, but the heavy snow increased their difficulties enormously.

In the rooms of one undertaker a fraternal organization held services over five members of their order at the same time and all of them were buried side by side in Waldheim cemetery. The funeral service over the remains of Ella and Edyth Freckelton, sisters, was held in Boulevard hall. In the home of the millionaire manufacturer, Ludwig Wolff, was held the quadruple funeral of his daughter, Mrs. William H. Garn, and her three children. Over 100 carriages, all private equipages, were in the procession which went to Graceland cemetery.

A funeral conducted in a humbler manner was held a few squares from the Wolff residence. It was that of Mrs. Mary W. Holst and her three children, all of whom died in the ill-fated second balcony. Fully as many people were around the small frame church in which this funeral was held as gathered outside the pretentious Wolff mansion, and here, as in front of Wolff's residence, the police were compelled to open a passageway for the caskets as they were borne to the hearses.

These are but instances of what happened throughout the length and breadth of Chicago Sunday. Multiply the funerals mentioned by 20 and a better idea can be had of this first Sabbath in the new year.

The list of dead was increased to 588 by the death of Leroy Raimbold, aged 4, who was severely burned and died in a hospital. Of the 10 bodies at the county morgue four were identified yesterday.

The injured now number 103, of whom there is any record, although the number of those who were hurt slightly would swell this number greatly. Numbers of people went to their homes after the fire without reporting themselves to the police as injured.

Panic at a Funeral

A serious panic occurred at the funeral of Miss Carrie Sayers, one of the victims of the fire. The services were in progress in the South Chicago Congregational church, in a suburb of South Chicago, and the building was filled with friends and relatives of the girl. A fire broke out three doors from the church and the first intimation of the fact was conveyed to the people in the church by a cry of "fire" in the street.

Chicago gatherings are somewhat nervous at this time on the subject of fire and it needed but the one shout to bring all the people to their feet and many of them started for the door. Two policemen who were stationed in the church called out to the people that there was no danger and urged them to resume their seats. Their advice was not heeded, however. The pall bearers went to the side of the casket and stood in readiness to remove it and the family of the dead girl prepared to leave.

Suddenly a cloud of smoke came in through the open door and the sight and smell maddened the people in an instant. The two officers barely had time to swing the doors open when the rush came. This was all that saved a severe crush and probable loss of life, as the crowd plunged through the doorways.

When the street was reached and it was seen that there was no cause for alarm, the greater part of the people returned to the church and the services were finished, although they were cut shorter than it was at first intended they should be. Nobody was injured in the panic.

Mayor's Sweeping Order

Every theatre in the city of Chicago, with the exception of the Auditorium, has its doors locked. Not one of them will be open to the public until their managers have complied in the fullest manner with every section of the ordinances regulating playhouses.

The order compelling the theatres to close was issued by Mayor Harrison after a conference with Corporation Counsel Tolman. Seventeen theatres and museums were closed Friday night and the sweeping order of the mayor shut the doors of seven more. These are the leading theatres in the business section of the city.

The seventeen places of amusement which were shut Friday night were closed for the one reason that they were not provided with an asbestos curtain. The further action taken is in consequences of violations of other sections of the ordinance regulating theatres.

There was a hasty rush of theatrical managers to the office of Mayor Harrison in the effort to secure the withdrawal, or at least a postponement of the order, but their reception was of an exceedingly frigid nature. They were informed by the mayor that the inspector had reported in the case of every one of them violations of the law and he was determined that it should not be said, hereafter, that the city had neglected anything which could prevent a repetition of the horror of last Wednesday afternoon.

The fact that the asbestos curtain in the Iroquois theatre was so badly wrecked by the fire that charred portions of it have been carried away by various investigating committees caused the mayor to decide that asbestos curtains could not be relied upon to afford the most complete protection. It was announced that every theatre in the city must hereafter comply with the following provisions before they will be allowed to open:

Steel roll curtains, wide exits, no combustibles of any kind in the house furnishings, fireproof scenery, no calcium or "spot" lights to be used on the stage, skylights above the stage provided with automatic lids to permit the egress of smoke, fire and gas, separate stairways, each exit having its own stairs to the street.

What Caused the Fire

Fire Inspector Fulkerson announces that he has finally discovered the secret of the fire. The asbestos curtain upon which the safety of the audience depended, was, according to Fulkerson, blocked in its descent by a steel reflector, carelessly left open by a stage hand. While one end of the curtain got within five feet of the stage the other was suspended 20 feet above it, and beneath it swept the flood of flame that carried death to so many hundreds. The first step toward a definite conclusion as to the cause of the fire was made when William McMullen, operator of the "spot" light, threw the blame upon another electric light operator.

Sunday Dancers Shaken Up

Woodbridge, N. J., Jan. 4.—An explosion wrecked the hotel and hall of Joseph Galaida and more or less seriously injured 30 persons at Keasbey while the St. John's Benevolent society was celebrating its anniversary by a Sunday dance. There were about 500 in the hall, and one of the two exits was closed by the wreckage. The people became panic-stricken and fought to get out, many being trampled on and seriously injured. It is believed that some one with a grievance against Galaida or the society used the dynamite.

Deafness Cannot be Cured
by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that ca nnot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Strenuous Times
AT THE
DERBY STORE.

The Bankrupt Sale
Continues with Unabated Vigor.
Good Merchandise at *Wonderfully Low Prices* is the attraction.

Come see our MEN'S SUITS at
$4.49, $5.49, $6.50, $8 and $10
BOYS' SUITS, HALF PRICE.

Men's Stiff Hats,	98c., worth $2
Winter Caps,	35c., 42c., 79c

NOW IS THE TIME FOR
OVERSHOES and RUBBERS.
Keep out the snow for less money than it takes to buy a bottle of cough medicine.

4 BUCKLE ARTICS,	$1.75 PER PAIR
MEN'S RUBBERS,	50 CENTS
BOYS' RUBBERS,	25 CENTS

Other goods for Men and Boys at ruinously low prices to close out the entire stock at

C F. DERBY'S
OLD STAND,
Savings Bank Block,
Quincy, Mass.

PICTURES
FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy. Aug. 20. tf

Hote Greenleaf
Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.
Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1351 Hancock street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 2-tf

WORK IS RESUMED

Congress Reassembles Without a Definite Program

TALK ON CANAL TREATY

President Forestalls Lengthy Debate by Answering Criticisms and Adhering to Administration Program

Washington, Jan. 4.—After a recess of more than two weeks the senate resumed business today without any definite program. Indeed, it may be stated that the senate has no program for the entire session beyond the passage of the appropriation bills, the consideration of the Panama canal treaty, the determination of Senator Smoot's case and the disposition of some other comparatively unimportant matters.

Only one of the appropriation bills, namely, the pension bill, has reached the senate and that has not yet been considered in committee. It is probable, however, that it will be reported at an early date. The Panama canal treaty also is in committee and it also probably will be reported to the senate during the present week.

President Roosevelt sent a special message to congress reviewing the Panama question up to date, and answering the essential question of Senator Hoar's resolution without waiting for it to be adopted by the senate. This will make it more difficult to consume time in debate, even in executive session, and it will make it unnecessary, in the judgment of the Republicans, to further consider the Hoar resolution in public session. The message answers all the contentions of the Colombians, as well as the criticisms which have been made in the senate or elsewhere.

The president adheres to the administration position without wavering, and contends that, having known since last August from our minister and other agents in Colombia that Panama would secede upon the refusal of the Bogota congress to ratify the Hay-Herran treaty, he would have been derelict in his duty if he had done anything else than he did do in protecting the transit of the isthmus, and, incidentally, its peace and order, and in recognizing the republic of Panama and making a treaty with it to obtain on more favorable terms what Colombia had refused to grant.

The president calls attention to the fact that he was authorized to go to the Nicaragua route only if within a reasonable time he could not obtain "control of the necessary territory of the republic of Colombia." This control having been obtained the Nicaragua route can no longer be considered. The insinuations which have been made of complicity by this government in the revolutionary movement in Panama are, the president declares, as destitute of foundation as of propriety. That our position as the mandatary of civilization has not been misconceived, he says, is shown by the promptitude with which the powers have followed our lead in recognizing Panama as an independent state. The question, and the only question, is whether or not we shall build an isthmian canal.

When the house reassembled after its vacation it was confronted by an almost bare calendar. Only a few items of legislation have been reported by committees and all these are of comparative insignificance. It therefore will be necessary for the house to wait for a few days upon its committees before beginning the transaction of important business.

The disposition in the house is to take up no matters of general interest outside of appropriation bills and there is no appropriation measure in shape to be reported. The legislative executive and judicial bill will be the first to receive attention, but there is no expectation that it will be reported before Friday or Saturday. In the meantime the house will consider private pension bills and other minor questions. The week, however, will be one of great activity in the committee rooms and the general understanding is that after the present week there will be enough business before the house to keep its members occupied.

From Prison to Soldiers' Home

Bath, N. Y., Jan. 4.—John S. Downing, who was pardoned by Governor Odell and released from Sing Sing prison on New Year's day after serving 24 years of a life sentence for manslaughter, has been admitted to the state soldiers' home. During the civil war Downing was a sergeant in the New York infantry.

Girls' School Burned

Springfield, Ky., Jan. 4.—St. Catherine's academy, a Catholic school for girls, located near here, was burned to the ground. The loss is about $200,000. Nearly 100 girls were in the school when the fire broke out. So rapid was the progress of the flames that the pupils barely escaped with their lives.

Railroad Wreck In Vermont

Bolton, Vt., Jan. 4.—An express train bound from Montreal to Boston ran into a freight train which was making for a siding here and Engineer Holland of the through train jumped from his locomotive and was badly injured. The locomotive of the passenger train and several freight cars were wrecked.

It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large Bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.

FULL BASKET
$1.00
FULL BASKET.
$2 00
Worth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.
9 DAYS' SALE
JANUARY 1-9.

4 Quarts Potatoes,	.01
2 lbs. Sugar,	.01
Can Tomatoes,	.01
500 Parlor Matches,	.01
12 Clothes Pins,	.01
Pkg. Ginger,	.01
6 Nutmegs,	.01
8t. Ammonia,	.10
1 Soap,	.05
1-2 lb. Mocha and Java Coffee,	.15
Pkg. Pop Corn,	.10
Pkg. Gelatine, Homestead,	.11
1-4 lb. Tea,	.15
Pkg. Cocoa Shells,	.07
Bag Salt,	.05
1 Scouring Soap,	.05
Box Blue, Sawyer's,	.04
1 Basket in which to carry all,	.06

$1.00
Each article shall be fresh and good and exactly as advertised.
Full Weight and Full Measure.
$2 00
Worth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.
V. E. MILLER,
CASH GROCER,
Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass.

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.
JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.
HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
Tel. 31-5. 30 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

DANCING.
COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.
BASKET BALL
AND DANCING
THURSDAY EVENINGS.
Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.
TERMS.
10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all former pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.
MUSIC.
William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.
HALL.
The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.
For farther particulars apply to ELMER W BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing. Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept 22—6m lpo

TELEPHONES
—FOR—
Suburban Residents
The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company offers, for a limited period, trial telephones in suburban residences of those who have never had telephone service.
Contract Department,
101 Milk Street.
Telephone, Main 6028.
Boston, Oct. 21. tf

Dr. Emmons'
Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put it too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively saves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 279 Shawmut St., Boston, Mass.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS

and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. F. O'Brien, 1596 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water st
W. E. Nightingale 231 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

1904 JANUARY 1904						
Su.	Mo.	Tu.	We.	Th.	Fr.	Sa.
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24/31	25	26	27	28	29	30

MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon	3	0:47 a.m.	New Moon	17	10:44 a.m
Third Quarter	9	4:10 p.m.	First Quarter	25	8:47 p.m

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	4	10	42	23	39
Monday,	8	18	42	22	54
Tuesday,	—	23	40	44	59
Wednesday,	—	35	38	47	41
Thursday,	—	32	31	27	34
Friday,	—	36	37	46	29
Saturday,	—	31	18	24	28

New Advertisements Today.

Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Mattresses.
Wanted—Girl or Woman.
Wanted—Light Driving Sleigh.
Meadowbrook Creamery—Cheese.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Mrs. George N. Reed of Braintree visited friends in this city last week.

Murdock Gillis of Rutland, Mass., renewed old acquaintances in this city last week.

Miss Mabel Hunter left last week for Kingston, where she will make her future home.

Miss Harriet Pierce of Granite street is the guest of friends at Brookline for a few days.

Mrs. Walter H. Ripley underwent an operation at the City Hospital last week and is reported as comfortable.

Mr. E. C. Greenway of London, England, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Buchanan of Park street, Wollaston.

Mrs. C. Alice Litchfield is confined to her home on Bigelow street by illness, suffering with a rheumatic throat.

Some people did not receive their Sunday dinners from the markets until this morning owing to Saturday's snowstorm.

The officers elect of George L. Gill Rebekah Lodge No. 146 will be installed at Odd Fellows' hall on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Prudence Stokes of Fayette street, Wollaston, has gone to Manchester, N. H., for a few weeks' visit with relatives and friends.

Fifteen got out Sunday morning to Sunday school at First church, the younger being Allen Miller of Bigelow street and Alice Arnold of Coddington street.

Paul Revere, W. R. C., will install its newly elected officers on the afternoon of January 12 in G. A. R. hall. The corps will have the new Milton corps as their guests.

Chief Engineer Williams' horse became tired of watching the fire this morning and started home on the run without a driver. He was captured in City Square and taken back.

Chief Williams went through City Square at 1 o'clock on his way home from the fire. His clothing was one mass of ice and it was hard to tell whether it was a man or a cake of ice.

Past Grand Chief Smith of Clan McGregor of this city, instlaled the newly elected officers of Clan McDonald, O. S. C., of Brockton, on Friday Jan. 10. He was assisted by A. P. McNeil of Brockton, as Grand Henchman.

TODAY'S COURT.

William J. Norrie and John Cuff were arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Cases continued until next week.

THE INAUGURAL.

(Continued from Page 1.)

that we may bring the city up to date with the most advanced in Massachusetts in the matter of municipal bookkeeping.

On January 1, 1904, our borrowing capacity was $33,240.15. This has since been increased by the payments made on our debt to $35,190.15 and in February will be still further increased $30,000.

The amount which we can this year assess for current expenses under the law, enabling us to raise $12—per $1000—of the Assessors' valuation for the preceding year, less all abatements to December 31st, is $275,316.

WATER DEPARTMENT.

It is a pleasure to note that the liberal policy of the Councils of past years in making appropriations for the extension of water mains has proved of the very best kind of financial policy.

In the past four years, by reason of these extensions, we have been enabled to obtain 1,437 new consumers and our revenue has increased approximately $8,000 per year.

Not only have the individual takers on these new lines been benefited in health and comfort by having an ample supply of pure water, but hydrants have been erected along the lines, giving greatly increased fire protection to our ever-increasing property.

A large number of fire hydrants adds to the efficiency of the Fire Department and is something which is of benefit to the city as a whole, and I believe that in the interest of better fire protection, and also as good business policy, it would be wise for this Council to continue to make liberal appropriations for further extension of the water system.

In the past the city has lost a considerable amount of revenue from the fact that the ordinance relating to the collection of water rates has not been strictly enforced. I realize that to efficiently enforce this ordinance we must necessarily make the head of the Water Department an unpopular man, but the business interests of the city are paramount to popularity. If the rates are not collected in advance in accordance with the ordinance, the property changes hands, it is often impossible to collect back rates from the new owners, and from this fact many hundreds of dollars are lost to the city. This year we have taken strenuous methods to collect water rates and enforce this ordinance, and the Commissioner of Public Works has shut off the water, irrespective of who the householder might be, when the bills were not promptly paid.

As a result of this policy, the city during the past year has collected to Dec. 31, 1903, from water rates the sum of $86,000, the amount of uncollected rates being the smallest of any year since the city purchased the works. The coming year I shall insist that the ordinance be as strictly enforced and all water will be turned off unless the bills for the same are paid on or before February 10th.

The Metropolitan Water Board have been asked to make a report to the Legislature about restricting the waste of water and compelling the use of meters in the Metropolitan district. If the Legislature takes any action upon this matter this year, it is very likely that I shall ask the Council to enact some additional ordinances with a view to carrying out the law which we expect the Legislature will pass.

I would suggest that the care of the hydrants be considered by the Council. Under the present ordinance hydrants are supposed to be cared for by the Fire Department but the appropriation given to the Fire Department for this purpose is insufficient to properly do the work. As a result, the hydrants get sadly out of repair and then the Water Department is obliged to put them in repair, the expense of which is taken from the appropriation for construction. I believe this to be wrong and I recommend that the Water Department be given sufficient appropriation to enable it to care for and repair hydrants and that the ordinance regulating this matter be so changed that the responsibility in the future will be placed upon the Commissioners of Public Works to care for and maintain the hydrants.

I desire at this time to call your attention to the fact that considering the amount of business done by the Water Department, namely that it has nearly doubled in the past five years while the cost of maintenance has not materially increased, great credit should be given to Mr. Knowlton, the Commissioner of Public Works, for the efficient and economical manner in which he has managed the affairs of this Department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Police Department is entitled to praise for the good work it has done during the last year. The addition made in the number of patrolmen has greatly increased its efficiency, and I would recommend to the Council that the force be still further increased by the addition of one more patrolman. In my opinion, there should be an additional man on duty in the Square. At present, the business district is unprotected during certain hours of the morning. With an additional patrolman, the men assigned to this district could so arrange their hours of service as to adequately protect the district during the whole twenty-four hours of the day.

The signal service system, supplemented by the patrol wagon, has been of the greatest assistance to the Department. It is, however, necessary to install three new police signal boxes, one to be located at Liberty street, near the large brick block at the junction of Brooks avenue, one on Granite street near Mr. Swithin's shed, and one on Adams street near Whitwell street. I have obtained information concerning the cost of installing these boxes, and I am informed that the amount required would be $1,115. I therefore ask the Council to appropriate this amount for that purpose as early as possible, so that this Department may have the full benefit of these boxes at once.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

We have been very fortunate the past year in being free from epidemics of smallpox and other contagious diseases, and although our pest house has been ready for occupancy at all times, we were not obliged to use it. The construction of this hospital, however, by the city was, in my opinion, a wise investment.

The question of properly and efficiently cleaning vaults and cesspools has not as yet been solved in a satisfactory manner, nor do I believe we will get good results until the city does this work. I propose to again ask the Council to consider this matter in all its bearings and at the same time consider the subject of the collection of ashes.

From our experience in the past, I do not believe it advisable to make long contracts on behalf of the city with any person as Public Scavenger. On the other hand, I am of the opinion that no person can contract to do this work properly without the expenditure of a large sum of money to obtain the necessary equipment, which is special in its character; therefore they cannot afford to make a contract which is not for a term of years. Furthermore, the prices which have obtained in the past for doing the work of both cleaning cesspools and vaults have not been sufficient to enable the contractors to do the work in all parts of the city thoroughly and efficiently and yet make a fair profit.

The sewerage dumping tanks now in use have proved their worth and are all right as far as they go, but they were not designed or intended to care for vault matter containing stone chips, ashes, tin cans and refuse of a like character. For such materials a dump should be provided, and whether the premises be located far from or near to this dump, all matter taken from the same, unsuitable for tanks, should be carried to the dump established.

I believe that this work would be more conscientiously and efficiently performed by the city employes under the direct supervision and control of the Board of Health than by any contractor. With the sewerage tanks taking care of all the cesspool and liquid matter, the comparatively small portion of vault matter handled could be easily disposed of without offence to the persons residing in the locality where the dump was established.

I would suggest, therefore, that an appropriation be made at once in order to enable us to purchase the necessary outfit referred to; and that an ordinance be passed establishing a schedule of prices to be paid by householders for cleaning vaults and cesspools, all the work to be placed under the charge of the Board of Health. After the initial expenditure for the outfit, and an additional small appropriation for the running of the department the first year, the department would, in my opinion, be self-supporting.

In regard to the collection of ashes, I deem it would be best to place this under the charge of the Commissioner of Public Works. He could handle this work in connection with the Street Department, and with the teams of that department could do the work more economically than could the Board of Health.

Although I regret to suggest anything which will increase our running expenses, I believe that an appropriation of approximately $1,500 per year for the collection of ashes would result to the advantage and convenience of our citizens sufficiently to warrant the expenditure.

STREET DEPARTMENT.

In view of the finances of the city, I believe the Council should not make any appropriation for special work on streets unless it becomes absolutely necessary. There are portions of certain streets which should be paved each year. There are also a number of new streets which should be built and accepted to keep up with our growing development and increasing population, but before any of these improvements are undertaken, additional accommodation should be provided for the High School, the needs of which are most imperative.

The past year has seen the completion of the new iron bridge across the Weymouth Fore River. This bridge was built by the County Commissioners under an act of the Legislature, and three commissioners will soon be appointed to assess the costs on the cities, towns and corporations which are found by this commission to be benefited. The cost of maintainance of the old structure was formerly borne by the towns of Hingham and Weymouth and the city of Quincy, the city's proportion being five-twenty-fourths.

Believing that the care and operation of this bridge should not be borne by the people of Hingham, Weymouth and the towns surrounding, but rather by the State, we have caused petitions to be made to the Highway Commission asking that they take charge of the bridge on behalf of the State, and although they have not seen their way clear to do this, I shall do what I can to get the Legislature to authorize the Board of Highway Commissioners to to take the bridge under their control.

The Hancock street bridge at Atlantic over the railroad tracks, I regret to say has not yet been constructed, but we have pushed the matter during the year and have got to a point now where three commissioners have been appointed to determine who shall do the work and to apportion the cost of the bridge among the parties benefited. I feel now that I can say with confidence that this bridge will be completed during the spring.

I intend to use every effort in my power to bring about the furthur construction of parkways and boulevards in our city by the Metropolitan Park Commission.

I shall also make an effort to get the Highway Commission to take Randolph avenue, which is wholly within the Park Reservation, and I may be obliged to ask your co-operation to help along this work.

I called the attention of the Council of last year to the statute passed by the Legislature requiring cities and towns to pass regulationf regarding the speed os electric cars and the use of tracks by street railway companies within the city limits. I regret that the last Council did not dispose of this matter, and I call your attention to the necessity of at once considering this subject and enacting an ordinance complying with the statute.

I regret also that the Councils in the past have not taken up and considered the subject of City Forester and Inspector of Wires. In a rapidly growing city, such as ours, the number of wires and poles in our streets increase greatly from year to year. If we expect to have anything left of our shade trees, it is of the utmost importance for the Council of this year to do something in the way of appointing a proper officer to gives his entire time and attention to this subject.

In conclusion, I would say that our duties may often be difficult and perplexing. Let us bring to them the care and attention to detail which we should use in our own affairs. While we must encourage and assist in the development of the city, we should be conservative. Whatever wise thing we do in our management of the city affairs will surely redound to our own individual credit. We have selected Quincy as our abiding-place; most of us will probably live here for a long time to come, and anything which we do in our public capacity will be better done if we have in mind what our fellow citizens will think of us in other years.

We shall now be brought closely in contact, and I look forward confidently to a year of harmony between the executive and legislative departments. Let each one of us give his neighbor credit for absolute honesty in his views and opinions on all questions and we shall reach the end of our service with mutual respect and satisfaction.

STARVE THEM OUT!

Why not starve the germs to death? Scott's Emulsion will do it.

The germs of consumption are an invading army numbering millions upon millions; they must all be fed or they will soon die of starvation. A lung a little below "par" in vitality is just to their liking.

Why not put new life into it? Scott's Emulsion feeds the lungs. It fills the blood with nourishing food for all the weak parts. Good food means life. Life means resistive force.

Germs cannot live on healthy tissue. Scott's Emulsion and good fresh air drive out the germs of consumption.

We'll send you a sample free upon request.

SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York.

DIED.

LAPHAM—In Quincy Jan 3, Mrs. Florence A., wife of Mr. Joseph A. Lapham, aged 58 years and 4 months.
Funeral from late residence 21 Washington court, Tuesday, Jan. 5, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends invited. Burial private.

DALY—In Norfolk Downs, Jan. 3, Helen E., daughter of Mr. Richard W. and Mrs. Grace Daly of Holmes street, aged 8 years, 11 months and 20 days.

COLD AND ROUGH.

Severe Snow Storm Stops Railroad Travel.

People on Trains All Night.

Electric Car Service Crippled and Abandoned.

The storm which commenced at 7 o'clock Saturday morning and continued to snow without interruption until 9 o'clock Sunday morning, was by far the most severe of the winter. Not only did it snow, but the temperature was way below freezing most of the time.

Accompanying the storm was a high north wind which cut the face like a knife.

The snow Saturday was almost as fine as meal, although at one time good sized flakes fell.

The steam and street cars ran with some regularity until late Saturday afternoon. Then they begun to be late and finally stopped altogether. There were no trains from Boston after 8 P. M.

The trouble with the steam trains was largely due to the failure to work the switches in the terminal yard in Boston.

The street railway got out its big plows early in the day. They were kept constantly on the move but were unable to keep the tracks clear.

The street railway company had a large gang of men at work and kept them at it all right. Sunday morning the rail was in fairly good condition although there were some places where it had drifted so badly that shovellers were required to clear it again.

Sunday afternoon cars were put on some of the lines but no attempt was made to follow the regular timetable until this morning.

Commissioner Knowlton had many gangs at work early Sunday morning. With a two-horse tandem hitch on the snow plows, a man riding the leader, and three or four shovellers handy, some rough paths were opened. It was necessary to go through some streets more than once. Some abutters assisted by shovelling off their sidewalks. On streets with car tracks, the best walking was on the track, however.

Although the weather is pleasant and fine today it is extremely cold. The wind still hangs to the north, and it looks as though the snow would remain with us some time.

Quincy people who were in Boston had a hard time getting home Saturday night, and some of them did not arrive in Quincy until late Sunday morning.

It was late before the train that should have left Boston for Quincy between 6 and 7 o'clock Saturday night started, and this was packed full, many ladies being among those whose obliged to stand on the platform, as they were unable to get into the crowded cars.

There was much suffering on account of the cold and exposure. When they at last arrived in Quincy, they found no street cars running. The streets were blocked with snow and teams could not be had for love or money.

It was a bitter experience and one they will not soon forget.

One train consumed five hours on the trip from Boston to Quincy and arrived in Quincy at 4 A. M.

Sudden Death.

Mrs. Florence A. Lapham, wife of Joseph A. Lapham, died at her home No. 21 Washington court on Saturday morning, aged 58. She had been ill with a fever and was apparently improving, but had a relapse and passed suddenly away. She was the daughter of the late Lemuel Baxter, and was a well known resident of Quincy Point. She was prominently connected with the Quincy Point Congregational church. She is survived by a husband, son and daughter, a sister, Mrs. Charles Newcomb, and a brother, Mr. Edward Baxter, formerly of Greenleaf street.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Monday, Jan. 4:

Maximilian Agassiz, Domenico Bernardi, B. J. Bergman, Master Harold Clark, John J. Curran, Samuel Curtiss, Marcelin Delong, Domenico DiLoreto, Wm. H. Ferris, Oscar Henriksson, Carl A. Johnson, James E. Johnson, W. S. Lyons, E. J. Marden, Murdock McKnight, Dan McGinnis, R. E. Park, Jos. W. Pitts Leo A. Ramsey, Isaac D. Smith, James D. Tanaccona, Edwin B. Wood.

Mrs. Nellie F. Adams, Mrs. Bell Brown, Miss Mary Cunningham, Mrs. Lizzie Dectos Mrs. W. M. E. Lincoln, Miss Winifred McEnery, Mrs McImerny, Mrs. C. W. Roberts Mrs. E. J. Ryder, Miss L. A. Thompson.

"LIKE MOTHER USED TO MAKE."

NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT

In 10c Packages with List of Valuable Premiums.

POLICE BOAT.

To Rescue of Two Houghs Neck Men in Quincy Bay.

John Sullivan and William J. Harman of Houghs Neck came near losing their lives in Quincy bay on Sunday. They put out in a small boat to recover some of the wreckage that was floating about. When they started to return the ice had come in between them and the shore, and they were unable to land, and were drifting about in a helpless condition.

Word was sent to the Quincy police who notified the Harbor Police boat which went to the rescue. The two men were taken aboard the police boat off Pig rocks, in an exhausted condition.

After being warmed up they were landed at Nut Island.

Day Nursery Meeting.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Quincy Day Nursery association 2.30 P. M., Tuesday, January 5th in Council chamber, City hall—the informal talk on the value and uses of parliamentary law by Miss Elizabeth F. Merrill of Dorchester (a former resident of Quincy) will follow the business meeting. As reports of committees on several matters of importance are to be heard and acted upon a large attendance of members is desired.

Miss Merrill has many demands upon her time and gives this afternoon in the interest of the work hoped to be accomplished by the Day Nursery in the years to come.

A prompt attendance at the hour of opening will greatly assist, allowing the business of the meeting to be dispatched in the allotted time, leaving opportunity for Miss Merrill's valuable instructions before the time for closing.

The Dorchester Woman's club of which Miss Merrill is a member, numbers some three hundred members, is a chartered institution and has been in existence since 1892.

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
25 years' experience.
Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.
Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.
Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marden's store.
Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence in Medford.

GRANITE YARD FOR SALE.

WE will sell on favorable terms, our SHEDS, DERRICK and TOOLS, including membership in Association. Sheds are on leased land. Will sell rough stock if wanted.
COOK & WATKINS,
Nov. 13, Sept. 1-tf Pope Building, Boston.

10 cents.
LUCK
AT
PRATT'S,
Every Wednesday, 2 Packages 15 cts.

TO LET
IN QUINCY, MASS.,
By H. H. FAXON.
Houses, Stores, Halls, Rooms, Offices, Stables, Land, Wharves, etc.

The Buildings are in Complete Repair.

HALL with ante-rooms and city water, No. 1355 Hancock street, opposite Post Office, and on the public Square.
HALF OF SLATED ROOF HOUSE at No. 6 Chester street, Wollaston.
4 TENEMENTS, 3 to 4 rooms each, No. 18 East Howard street. $8 to $9 per month.
COTTAGE HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 62 Field street.
HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 17 Kidder street.
HALF HOUSE, corner Howard street and Howard avenue.
HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 19 Kidder street.
HALF HOUSE, 6 rooms, city water, hennery, good yard, No. 59 Pond street, now occupied by James F. Mullin.
HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 15 Brackett street.
For particulars, apply to
HENRY H. FAXON,
Quincy, Mass.
Quincy, Dec. 8, 1903. 1m

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 60 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—To buy a light driving Sleigh cheap. Call or Telephone 117-3, Workman's Cash Market, Brewer's corner.
Quincy, Jan. 4. 1t

WANTED—An Intelligent Girl or Woman to solicit orders for a specialty in Quincy, Wollaston, etc., for the local retail grocers. Liberal salary. Address in writing, stating age and experience, if any. Manufacturer, Ledger Office.
Jan. 4. 2t

WANTED—By mother and daughter in Wollaston or Wollaston Park, two rooms (one or both unfurnished) with board. References exchanged. Address Lock Box No. 2, Wollaston, Mass. Dec. 29-3t

EXPERIENCED HOUSEKEEPER wishes position as housekeeper in widower's small family, or care of invalid, best of references. Address MRS. S. E. HALL, Post Office, Wollaston, Mass. Oct. 20-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A Variety Store. Good Location. Apply 305 Water street, South Quincy. Dec. 31-3t

FOR LET.

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements at 22 Blake street. Rent, $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston.
Dec. 30. 1p-tf

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Rent $15 per month. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4.
Dec. 31. tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
Dec 29. tf

TO LET—48 Revere road, large front rooms, $3.00 per week; one medium size and one smaller room, $2.25 and $1.50 per week. Large bath room, all nicely furnished and heated. Quincy, Dec. 28-12t

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 25 School street.
Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 36 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

FOR SALE — OR — TO LET.

HOUSE, Parker street, in good repair. Here is a good chance for some one to get rent free, and also good investment on money, as one flat is well rented.
HALL & BURGESS,
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 28. tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass.
Dec. 24. tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month

Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 4. QUINCY, MASS., TUESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

Five Hundred Insane People Moved Safely from Burning Building.

The Cold Spell This Week Has Seldom Been Equalled.

ALL GOODS WILL BE DELIVERED FREE AT RESIDENCES IN QUINCY.

John H. Pray & Sons Co.

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF

FLOOR COVERINGS

Assortment — COMPLETE
Prices — — — RIGHT
Work — — — PROMPT

It is generally known that we are ***Distributors of Floor Coverings*** of every description, and we desire it to be equally well known that we have all grades of ***Upholstery Fabrics, Lace Curtains, Furniture Coverings, etc.***

The advice of an interior decorator is at your service, if desired. Goods displayed either in our show-room or at residences. Estimates furnished for covering single pieces of furniture or for completely decorating either a single room or an entire house.

For eighty-six years, under the same firm name, we have distributed to the public, to our neighbors, to our friends, Carpets and Rugs, and until we added Interior Decorations and Upholstery Fabrics our sole and entire business has been Floor Coverings.

Does not this record make for intelligent confidence on your part?

Pray Building, Washington St., opposite Boylston St. BOSTON

Represented in Quincy by Mr. Otho A. Hayward; in Wollaston by Mr. W. J. Wellington

BACK TO THE OLD STAND.

W. A. BRADFORD,

Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting.

JOBBING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

Shop and Office, under the Savings Bank Building, CITY SQUARE.

TELEPHONE 111-3.

Open Monday and Saturday Evenings.

Quincy, Dec. 22. tf

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,

DRUGGIST,

1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

ADVERTISE IN THE QUINCY PATRIOT.

The Only Place in QUINCY

Where you can buy the Famous

WINGOLD FLOUR

Harbor Light Coffee

--AND--

Star Brand Coffee

IS AT THE

CONSOLIDATED

ADAMS BUILDING,

Headquarters for High Grade MEATS and GROCERIES.

FIRE IN AN ASYLUM

Female Patients Quickly Removed to Places of Safety

BUILDING OVERCROWDED

Remarkable Coolness of Attendants Gave Courage to Insane Inmates Who Were Sleeping on Mattresses on Floors

Taunton, Mass., Jan. 5.—With a fierce fire burning above their heads and threatening to destroy the building in which they were lodged, over 500 female patients at the Taunton insane hospital were marched from the blazing women's wing to a place of safety at midnight. The transfer of the patients from the burning wing of the building to the men's ward was accomplished without any loss of life, injury to a single person, or undue excitement. So excellent was the discipline at the institution that the sleeping patients, when aroused by the nurses and attendants, followed them unhesitatingly.

The fire broke out in the linen room on the top floor of the women's wing shortly before midnight. Although the whole building was of fireproof construction, the flames caused a heavy loss, spreading throughout the top floor and menacing the destruction of the wing.

As soon as the fire was discovered the alarm was sounded from the private box in the asylum grounds. Ordinarily, steam fire engines are not used in this city, the pressure in the hydrants generally being high enough to throw a good stream. Last night, however, the pressure was very low and when a line of hose was taken upon a ladder the water failed to reach the building, less than five feet away. Investigation into the causes of the low pressure will be made.

The three steam fire engines in the city department were all summoned to the scene. Owing to the distance of the hospital from the centre of the city and the slippery condition of the icy roads a long time elapsed before the department arrived at the hospital. Another delay was caused by the difficulty of getting up steam owing to the intense cold. The thermometer at the time registered 10 degrees below zero.

As soon as the fire broke out Superintendent Brown of the hospital marshalled his nurses and attendants and the work of transferring the patients was begun. Some of them were hysterical and excited, but all followed the attendants blindly through the smoke-filled corridors, across the central portion of the building, and into the men's wing.

The normal capacity of the hospital is 650 inmates, but at the present time 982 patients are registered there. Of this number over 500 were in the women's wards, and so crowded was this portion of the building that many of the patients were obliged to sleep on mattresses which had been laid on the floors of the wards and corridors. Despite the fact that the floors were covered with sleeping patients the work of transferring the patients to a place of safety was accomplished without friction or delay of any kind.

There were a number of bedridden patients in the burning wing and all of them had to be carried to the infirmary. All the nurses and attendants exhibited great self-possession and inspired the patients by their example of coolness.

The glare of the fire lighted up the sky for miles around. The inmates of the men's wing could see almost every flicker of flame, but none of them became violently excited. Superintendent Brown entered wards 1 and 2 of the men's wing and called: "Out of bed, boys." The patients obeyed instantly and in a few minutes the two wards were entirely cleared. The 500 women who were transferred from the female wing were quartered in these two wards for the night, although some of them went to the infirmary.

It is believed that the damage to the building will exceed $50,000. A superficial examination of the burned wing resulted in the announcement that that portion of the building would have to be rebuilt entirely.

The hospital fire brigade, police force and people living in the neighborhood of the asylum rendered efficient service in aiding the firemen to extinguish the flames.

Moccasin Again Afloat

Norfolk, Jan. 5.—The submarine boat Moccasin has been floated from the beach near Carrituck, N. C. The government tug Hercules, which has been assisting in the work, suffered some mishap and drifted 15 miles in a heavy sea before assistance from an unknown steamer came along. A government vessel has been sent to meet her. The Moccasin is in good condition.

Unsafe Theatres In New York

New York, Jan. 5.—Fire Commissioner Hayes has decided to arrange for a conference of city officials to agree upon some definite line of action regarding unsafe theatres. He says he is convinced that there are at least a dozen theatres of this city that are now unsafe.

Disasters Off Newfoundland

St. Johns, Jan. 5.—A fierce blizzard swept this island, causing the worst devastation known in many years. Several vessels were driven ashore and much fishery property along the coast was destroyed.

Business at Registry.

Again in 1903 the business of the Norfolk registry showed an increase. John H. Burdakin, the register of deeds, reports 13,846 real estate transactions in the county, an increase of 621 over 1902. The average it will be seen is over 1000 per month. In August only did it fall below 1000, while in October the 1508 transactions broke the record which has stood at 1368. The transactions by months follow:

In January,	1,051
In February,	1,014
In March,	1,049
In April,	1,306
In May,	1,316
In June,	1,191
In July,	1,278
In August,	970
In September,	1,046
In October,	1,508
In November,	1,068
In December,	1,049
For Year 1903,	13,846
For Year 1902,	13,225

Deadhead Train.

Few people are aware that the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad run a dead-head train to Atlantic every morning, leaving Boston at 6.45 to accommodate its employes. There are many of the night gang in the yard and terminal that make their home in Atlantic and the railroad runs a special train for their benefit known as a deadhead. On its return trip the train leaves at Atlantic for Boston at 7.09 and runs as a passenger making all stops. Similar trains are also run to Harrison Square and over the Shawmut branch to Milton.

Trains Late.

Quincy people who were in Boston Monday had considerable trouble getting home on the trains at night. The trains were nearly half an hour late all day. As night approached they became later, and it was nearly 8 o'clock before the 6.28 arrived. Even then there were but a few cars on the train and passengers were packed in these like sardines in a box. The trouble was said to have been caused by the switches in the terminal yard at Boston becoming frozen.

Special Police.

Mayor Bryant has appointed the following special police: Samuel D. DeForrest, Michael F. Donovan, David L. Gordon, John A. O'Brien, Edward J. Sandberg, Henry F. Corbett, Patrick J. Kelliher, Henry W. Thorn, Thomas Mahoney, Malcolm Stewart, Edward J. Curtin, Calvin T. Dyer, John F. Donovan, Charles T. Crooker, Joseph F. Goodhue, Claes A. Broberg, Daniel H. Doran and Charles Olson.

Did you ever know it colder in Quincy? At sunrise the mercury stood from 12 to 20 below zero.

AWFUL COLD.

Ten to Twenty-Six Below in Different Parts of City.

Only 11 Degrees This Noon.

Had a Parallel on Friday, February 8, 1861.

Reports from different sections of Quincy would indicate that the weather at 6 o'clock this morning was as cold if not the coldest that Quincy has ever had. In City Square the mercury registered from 10 to 12 below zero. At Wollaston it was 20 below; Quincy Point 20 below, and South Quincy 26 below.

The railroad has experienced more difficult times than it did by the snow storm of Saturday last. For example, on Jan. 18, 1857, a Sunday, there was a heavy snow storm which continued 24 hours. The snow drifted so badly north of the President's bridge that trains were held up until the 22d, or Thursday.

The Ledger has records of a cold day in 1861. On Friday, Feb. 8, the mercury stood at 24 below at sunrise, 10 below at noon, 6 below at sunset, and 9 below at 8 P. M.

The Quincy Patriot of Jan. 16, 1886, says: "It began to snow Friday night (Jan. 8) and continued all through Saturday and a part of Sunday, being the fiercest storm thus far this winter: and the wind playing its part well, drifted the snow so as to block our highways and impede travel. When it finally cleared, it was very cold. Tuesday and Wednesday mornings were extremely cold, the thermometers in different parts of the town recording from 8 to 17 below."

YOUR PERSONAL APPEARANCE

depends upon the condition of your face. What a satisfaction in the morning to know that you have a clean shave. You can shave yourself quickly and with comfort if you use "EASY-SHAVE," the new lather. Try it today. At Druggists, 15c.

Mortgagees' Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by George W. Rackham to Charles C. Barton and Harry N. Squires, Trustees of the Manet Land Associates, dated August 2d, 1901, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Libro 904, Page 16, for breach of the conditions thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction on the premises hereinafter described on THURSDAY, the 28th day of January, 1904, at 2 o'clock P. M., all and singular the following premises as described by said mortgage deed:

"A certain parcel of land situated in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth, comprising the lot numbered five (5) in Section two (2) as shown on the plan entitled "Plan of Sea Shore Lots at Houghs Neck, Quincy, Mass., 1891, H. T. Whitman, Surveyor," owned by the Manet Land Associates and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of Book 668. Said parcel of land is bounded and described as follows, to wit: Northerly by land of owners unknown, fifty (50) feet; easterly by lot numbered four (4) as shown on said plan, ninety (90) feet; southerly by Winthrop street, fifty (50) feet; westerly by lot numbered six (6) as shown on said plan, ninety (90) feet, and containing forty-five hundred square feet of land."

Fifty Dollars ($50) to be paid at the time and place of sale, balance in ten (10) days.

CHARLES C. BARTON, HARRY N. SQUIRES, } Trustees, Mortgagees.

BARTON & BARTON, Attorneys, 82 Devonshire Street, Boston.

Jan. 5. 3t--5-12-19

Healthy Children

It needs only a little watchfulness to keep children in good health. Look for the symptoms of little ills and treat them promptly to ward off more serious sickness.

Dr. True's ELIXIR

is the great remedy for childhood complaints. For stomach and bowel disorders, indigestion, constipation, poor appetite, fevers and worms it is unequaled. Nervousness, peevishness and a languid feeling all indicate troubles that are traced usually to the stomach, and quick relief follows the use of Dr. True's Elixir. Over 50 years in use. All druggists, &c. Write for free booklet, "Children and Their Diseases."

DR. J. F. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Me.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON

Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

The Ledger of Monday, Nov. 28, 1898, said: "The severest snow storm which has visited this coast for generations raged Saturday night and all day Sunday with undiminished force."

During this storm several Saturday night trains were stalled on the railroad. The steamship John J. Hill came ashore near Sailors' Home, and a schooner near Post island.

On Tuesday, Dec. 9, 1902, the coldest day since Jan. 12, 1886, the readings of the thermometer were: 6 A. M., eight below; 9 A. M., 7 below; 12 M. two above; 3 P. M., four above; 9 P. M., zero; midnight, one below.

The coldest days since May 1, 1896, according to the noon temperature kept by the Daily Ledger, are given below, including all dates when the noon temperature was 10 degrees or lower:

Date.	Degrees Above.
Jan. 3, 1904,	4
Jan. 4, 1904,	8
Jan. 5, 1904,	11
Jan. 1, 1899,	9
Jan. 19, 1897,	10
Jan. 19, 1903,	10
Feb. 10, 1899,	10
Feb. 11, 1899,	9
Feb. 12, 1899,	5
Feb. 19, 1903,	10
Dec. 9, 1902,	2
Dec. 27, 1903,	10

It will be observed that there were three successive cold days in Feb., 1899. They differed from this cold spell in that each day was colder than its predecessor, while this week each day is warmer at noon.

The big snow storms since 1865 have been:

Jan. 2, 1904,	6 inches.
Nov. 27, 1898,	11 "
Feb, 1, 1898,	15 "
Jan. 28, 1897,	15 "
Feb. 13, 1894,	10 "
Feb. 18, 1893,	10 "
Mar. 4, 1891,	9 "
Mar. 3, 1890,	10 "
Mar. 12, 1888,	7 "
Jan. —, 1867,	36 "

Week of Prayer.

This is the week of prayer and union meetings will be held as follows at Wollaston at 7.45 P. M:

Tuesday, in the Congregational church; subject, "Bring in the Tithes."

Wednesday, in the Baptist church; subject, "Realizing the presence of God."

Thursday, in the Methodist church; subject, "Accepting Our Responsibilities."

Sudden Death.

Mr. John S. King of Centre street, West Quincy, died at Milford, on Sunday, after a two days' illness of pneumonia, aged 49 years. He was a stone cutter by trade and a member of Granite lodge, Sons of St. George, and the Granite Cutters' Union. He leaves a widow and six children.

Quincy Man at Chicago.

Albert R. Shedd, the New England government inspector of machinery who makes his home in Quincy, has been in Chicago for the past ten days and was a witness of the terrible scenes at the theatre fire. Mr. Shedd is expected home today.

VOTE TO DISBAND.

Edward Hewitson Associates Give $200 to the Y. M. C. A.

The Edward Hewitson Associates held its last meeting Saturday evening at old Knights of Honor hall. Linda Fowler the president, welcomed the members and about 60 besides the invited guests sat down to a first rate New England Saturday night supper.

After the supper the business meeting was called and the secretary and treasurer's reports were read. Inasmuch as President Gannett is called to Pittsburg Pa., and as many of the active members of the club are at college and engaged in other pursuits that prevent their regular attendance at the meetings, it was considered advisable by the majority to discontinue the club, and it was so voted. The club has existed three years under the helpful guidance of Mrs. Caroline Tenney.

This organization has done much toward bringing about a feeling of good fellowship among the young men, and it is with feelings of regret that they feel obliged to disband.

In addition to the balance in the treasury, Mrs. Hewitson has contributed $100, making a total of about $200. This sum of money was voted by the club to be given to the new Y. M. C. A., to be expended in the form of a memorial in honor of the late Edward Hewitson.

At the close of the business meeting a letter from Gordon Gannett (recent president of the club) was read and received the closest attention of those present.

The executive committee had the entertainment in charge and secured for the speaker Rev. Edmund Webber. He told of his experiences and travels in Louisiana and of many interesting facts about the country, its peculiarities and customs of the people.

It was a specially feeling subject to the times and was heartily enjoyed by all.

The latter part of the evening was spent in singing college and popular songs. The club adjourned at ten o'clock.

The following was the committee in charge of supper: Mrs. Wiley, Mrs. Tenney, Mrs. Nickerson, Mrs. Hewitson, Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Albee.

TODAY'S COURT.

Daniel McDevitt was arraigned upon two complaints for drunkenness. Case continued until next Tuesday.

The continued cases of James H. Tracy of Weymouth and Thomas Skinner of Quincy were called and they were defaulted.

10 cents.

LUCK

AT

PRATT'S,

Every Wednesday, 2 Packages 15 cts.

Strenuous Times
AT THE
DERBY STORE.

The Bankrupt Sale
Continues with Unabated Vigor.
Good Merchandise at *Wonderfully Low Prices* is the attraction.

Come see our MEN'S SUITS at $4.49, $5.49, $6.50, $8 and $10
BOYS' SUITS, HALF PRICE.
Men's Stiff Hats, 98c., worth $2
Winter Caps, 35c., 42c., 79c

NOW IS THE TIME FOR
OVERSHOES and RUBBERS.
Keep out the snow for less money than it takes to buy a bottle of cough medicine.

4 BUCKLE ARTICS, $1.75 PER PAIR
MEN'S RUBBERS, 50 CENTS
BOYS' RUBBERS, 25 CENTS

Other goods for Men and Boys at ruinously low prices to close out the entire stock at

C. F. DERBY'S
OLD STAND,
Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

WOOD! WOOD! WOOD!
OF ALL KINDS.
DRY AND GREEN
At Lowest Possible Prices.
THOS. O'BRIEN & SONS.
Yard off Miller and West Streets, West Quincy.
Jan. 7. tf

MAIN SPRINGS
Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.
Work called for and delivered.
SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER.
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

You can't buy it anywhere else.
LUCK
AT
PRATT'S,
10 cts. package.
Every Wednesday, 2 for 15 cts.

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.
JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.
HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

PICTURES
FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

TELEPHONES
—FOR—
Suburban Residents
The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company offers, for a limited period, trial telephones in suburban residences of those who have never had telephone service.
Contract Department,
101 Milk Street.
Telephone, Main 6028.
Boston, Oct. 21. tf

Quincy Daily Ledger
ESTABLISHED IN 1889.
THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.
Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by
GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.
Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.
A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.
Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.
TELEPHONE, 75-3 QUINCY.
Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.
ALSO PUBLISHERS OF
The Quincy Patriot.
A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the
Braintree Observer and Reporter
A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

There are many good things about the inaugural address of Mayor Bryant, but especially pronounced is his review of the financial condition and his determination that it shall be improved. His Honor has sized-up the situation very accurately and evidently has come to the conclusion that something must be done, and that a strong hand is necessary. It is at these times that Mayor Bryant is at his best, and when he says, "If strenuous methods are necessary to put the city in a better financial condition, I am ready to undertake them," we all know that something will happen.

The only large loan which the Mayor approves for 1904 is an appropriation for additional accommodations at the High school. He says nothing about a new schoolhouse at Atlantic or a new Coddington schoolhouse, and is opposed at present to loans for street improvements, but regards an enlargement of the High school to be imperative. So do High school pupils and their parents, and all acquainted with the over-crowded condition of the school, which is a great handicap and injustice to pupils.

Before April 1 the borrowing capacity of the city will be increased to $96-190.15, and about that date a greater portion of that sum should be appropriated for High school enlargement. It should be possible to get together on plans, especially as a building is wanted for utility and not for ornament. It would seem as if the wishes of the School Committee should have first consideration.

The praise for the Police department is merited, particularly in such cases as that of Scott for burglary, and Krobeck for murder. Commissioner Knowlton is also entitled to credit for collection of water rates, but does anybody know either this year, or in any year, how much was uncollected. In other words what was the gross amount of the bills sent out for water in 1903? The absence of praise for Chief Williams and the Fire department is notable, but nevertheless good work has been done.

The recommendation that ashes should be collected by the city is not a new one, but seems a move in the right direction, and the cost will be small for the benefit it would give householders. Many localities in the city would be improved in appearance if ashes and tin cans were collected.

We might comment on several other matters mentioned in the inaugural, but we commend it to all for a careful reading.

Drift of Opinion.

☞The Newburyport News takes sensible ground regarding the proposed crusade of merchants' associations in favor of legislation directed against the trading stamp the News venturing the opinion that it is nothing to legislate about any way. The trading stamp is like a lot of other undesirable things in the world which some man or group of men wish out of the way, but which they object to fighting themselves. Their first thought is to go to the legislature and get a law to help them, or oftimes to fight the whole battle for them, and they push their little private game in the name of reform for the dear public. The trading stamp has been fought with every kind of an argument, and the fact remains that it is simply a means of advertising which a merchant is competent to adopt or decline. If he accepts the stamp system, he has either got to cut his profits or advance his price. Competition will settle the question as to whether he shall advance his price or not, and his own business experience will tell him weather he can gain enough trade so that with smaller profits he can make more in the aggregate. And as for the public, they are as well able to tell whether they are getting their full money's worth with the trading stamps as they can whether they get it at every bargain sale. Neither side needs such guardianship on the part of the state, and neither side, as a whole, or in the majority, desire it.—Haverhill Gazette.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

HALL DOORS SHUT

Only Chicago Churches and Lodge Rooms Left Open

CITY FULL OF FIRETRAPS

Places of Public Assemblage Must Conform to Building Ordinances--Iroquois Stage Skylights Were Defective

Chicago, Jan. 5.—As a result of the Iroquois theatre fire and panic in which 590 persons lost their lives, Building Commissioner Williams last night issued an order closing all the public halls, dance halls and all similar places of public assemblage until an inspection has shown that they are complying with all provisions of the building ordinance. All the theatres have already been closed. This leaves Chicago churches and lodge halls alone open for public gatherings.

As there are upwards of 400 halls in Chicago, ranging in size from those that will accommodate 50 persons to those with a seating capacity of 500, this order will affect probably as many persons as the theatre closing order. Protests were numerous, but the building commissioner was inflexible. He said:

"Many of these halls are worse than any theatre in Chicago. Some of them are put up with no restrictions such as govern theatres and many of them are fire traps of the worst kind."

Mr. Williams was advised last night of the election of Joseph Downey, a contractor and a trustee of the board of education and formerly building commissioner, as chairman of a joint committee selected at Mayor Harrison's request by the various architects and builders' associations, to inspect all theatres.

Deputy Building Commissioner Stanhope made another inspection of the Iroquois ruins to prepare for the questions which will be asked by the coroner and jurors when the inquest begins. It was pointed out to the building commissioners, as indicating that the Iroquois theatre was opened prematurely, that the $10,000 bonds filed with the street department by the Fuller Construction company on April 20 to secure use of the street and to insure the city against damage to the frontage in excavation had not yet been redeemed. At the office of the street department it was declared to be the invariable custom of contractors to redeem bonds as soon as work was finished.

Attorneys for the fire department have secured from five witnesses corroboration of the charges that a wrecking crew of the Fuller Construction company destroyed the stage skylights on the day after the disaster.

Fire Inspector Fulkerston said: "It was the intention that these skylights should open automatically to allow the escape of heat and smoke and create a draft which would draw them upwards instead of allowing them to pass over the audience. But from the information I have I am positive that the opening of the skylights was impossible because beneath each section of the lights had been placed pieces of scantling which remained there until removed by employes of the Fuller Construction company."

Witnesses who appeared before Fire Inspector Fulkerson testified that the skylights over the stage were fastened down from the roof and were opened the day after the holocaust, when the property was in the hands of the coroner. Fulkerson made a personal inspection of the roof vents and upon resuming the investigation declared that all he had seen on the roof of the playhouse confirmed the statements of the witnesses.

Little result followed the examination of seven men of the double octette, which was on the stage when the fire broke out. "We kept on singing and dancing and did not even know that there was a fire until sparks fell on the stage and two girls fainted," said William Sleck. "It is the rule of the stage that we are fined if we turn our faces for an instant from the audience. All I know is that we stuck to our work until we had to run for our lives." Sleck's story was coroborrated by the other six men.

The police arrested George Dusenberry, chief usher of the theatre, on a charge of manslaughter. Dusenberry is held to furnish evidence on the statements made by many people in the theatre that the ushers closed the doors and that they at first refused to allow people to pass out.

Coroner Traeger is looking for the chief scrub woman of the theatre, who, it is said, carried all the keyes to the doors and exits of the balconies. In addition to the managers of the theatre, every employe of the theatre has been summoned before the inquest and many members of the Bluebeard company will also be called on to testify.

John R. Thompson, proprietor of a restaurant which adjoins the Iroquois theatre, has lost the greater portion of his business since the fire. On the day of the disaster Thompson threw open his restaurant for the bodies of the dead and wounded. He summoned nurses and doctors, procured medical supplies and did everything possible to alleviate suffering.

Barcelona Strike Spreads

Barcelona, Jan. 5.—The general strike of persons employed by the shipping interests has been joined by 13,000 others. All attempts at mediation have failed.

THE MOCK SESSION.

A Councilman Fears Report Will Be Taken Too Literally.

Evidently, Councilman Meyer does not allow the newspapers any latitude in reporting a mock session of the City Council. The Ledger might have said "good-natured abuse," but we supposed that was understood. Certainly there was no intimation that there was a row. We have received the following letter:

Editors of the Quincy Ledger:

In your Saturday's issue you stated that the members of the Council amused themselves by abusing one of their number during the mock session. This is erroneous. The remarks of Councilman Nickerson were made and received in the same spirit—fun. There was no such thing as "abuse," either then or at any other time during the past two years I have been a member. On the contrary the very best feeling has always prevailed.

Councilman Langelier was called to the chair because he desired to be and for no other reason.

In justice to all I think it is only fair that you should publish this in order that the public will not be misled in believing that the Council of 1903 broke up in a row.

Yours truly,
Andrew Meyer.

Quincy, Jan. 4, 1904.

Good Church Record.

Although the travelling Sunday morning was almost impassable, after one of the worst snow storms we have had since 1898, nevertheless Miss Ella L. Stetson of Washington street braved the storm to attend the services at Bethany church. She has missed but one Sunday in 33 years, making 1716 Sundays. During that time, rather than miss a single Sunday Miss Stetson has refused many invitations of friends and relatives or even to take a vacation. Today this unconquerable church attendant sees no rest from her sacrifice and endurance, for she is determined to maintain and increase her record.

Government Building Burned

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—With the thermometer 23 degrees below zero, the post-office building was destroyed by fire, involving a loss of about $100,000. A large quantity of mail was destroyed. The fire was of unknown origin. The records in the customs and revenue offices were destroyed and considerable property in the warehouse for the customs and excise departments was burned.

Storm May Soon Burst

Cape Haytien, Jan. 5.—The entire republic of Santo Domingo is experiencing the calm which precedes a revolutionary storm. General Jiminez is working actively, with the aid of Generals Deschamps and Pichardo, for the final success of the revolutionary cause, which is expected from day to day. Telegraphic communication with San Domingo is still interrupted.

Place For Corporal Tanner

Washington, Jan. 5.—It is announced that Corporal James Tanner will be appointed register of wills for the District of Columbia, to succeed Louis A. Dent. Dent will be appointed to a post in the consular service. Tanner was formerly commissioner of pensions.

Colombian Troops Inactive

Colon, Jan. 5.—The general situation on this side of the isthmus remains tranquil. There have been no evidences whatever at Colon that Colombian forces are undertaking any movement with a view to invading Panamaian territory.

Ten Years and $5000 Fine

Helena, Mont., Jan. 5.—Isaac Gravelle, convicted of sending threatening letters to the Northern Pacific Railway company, was sentenced to 10 years in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of $5000. Gravelle will now be tried for burglary.

Aspires to Be Rebel Leader

Manila, Jan. 5.—General Ricarte, the recently returned exile from Guam, now in hiding from the authorities in this city, has written a letter outlining a new revolution. The matter is not seriously considered by the government.

NEWS IN BRIEF

A sardine factory at Cutler, Me., owned by George Holmes and others, was burned.

The secretary of the treasury has transmitted to the house a recommendation that a consulate general be established at Mukden, Manchuria, and a consulate at An Tung, the salary to be $4000 a year in each instance.

The secretary of the treasury transmitted to the house supplemental estimates for coast fortifications work amounting to $2,702,000.

William A. Neilson of the department of engineering at Harvard university has been appointed adjunct professor of engineering in Columbia university.

A CARD.
We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.
Nov. 2. 6mos.

CITY BREVITIES.

The youngest son of Harry W. Read of Atlantic is quite ill.

Mr. C. A. Thorne of Clive street has gone to England on a business trip.

Three cheers for the return of the clock in the Atlantic station! It has had a long vacation.

Perhaps the exhilerating atmosphere will infuse some life into Atlantic. It is asleep and 1904 well under way. Atlantic always does wake up on leap years—Why?

John McCarthy of Atlantic street, who has been ill with appendicitis is in one of the Boston hospitals, is much improved and will be able to return home in a few days.

The streets and sidewalks in Atlantic were well cared for Sunday, and the snow-plough and men were on hand early. Mr. O'Neil's cheery face was missed by all, and it is hoped he will soon be able to resume his duties.

It is indeed cold weather when the bay freezes. It is only a question of desire now, when gleeful skaters can take a glide over to Squantum and back across the harbor if it is a harbor before the yacht club house is finished.

Just Too Late.

While the inauguration ceremonies were in progress at City Hall on Monday a handsome bouquet arrived for Councilman William T. Spargo. It was placed on the back stairway to be given him when he arrived, or placed on his desk. In the confusion, however, it was overlooked and never got any nearer the Council chamber than the top stair. Mr. Spargo had been to Barre, Vt., on a business trip but started for home on a train that should have brought him to Quincy in time for the inauguration. His train was several hours late however and he did not arrive in Quincy until five minutes after the Council had adjourned.

Demand for Coal.

Messrs. Patch and Sheppard the coal men, say that since the cold snap they have been besieged with orders for coal. Everybody wants their order filled at once which is of course impossible. Owing to the condition of the streets Monday but little in the way of delivery could be done. Today, however, they have pressed every available sled into service and are doing their best to fill orders.

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.
Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you, in 6 to 14 days. 50 cents.

—Press and Printer says that "nearly all the Boston papers have imported from Paris the lottery schemes of increasing circulation, such as hiding money in the street, offering prizes to those who can guess the correct number of words on a page or various other silly things. Let us hope their drunk will soon be over." Other schemes, such as "giving a stove to the most popular woman," etc., might well be included in the above. If a paper cannot live on its merits as an interesting and trustworthy publication for the family and home, and not depend on games of chance, etc., for its existence, it ought not to exist.

General Debility
Day in and out there is that feeling of weakness that makes a burden of itself.
Food does not strengthen.
Sleep does not refresh.
It is hard to do, hard to bear, what should be easy,—vitality is on the ebb, and the whole system suffers.
For this condition take
Hood's Sarsaparilla
It vitalizes the blood, gives vigor and tone to all the organs and functions, and is positively unequalled for all run-down or debilitated conditions.
HOOD'S PILLS cure constipation. 25 cents.

DANCING.
COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.
BASKET BALL
AND DANCING
THURSDAY EVENINGS.
Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.
Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.
TERMS.
10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all ormer pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.
MUSIC.
William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.
HALL.
The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.
For further particulars apply to ELMER V. BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

Sleep For Sale.

Registered Trade Mark.
Copyrighted by Ostermoor & Co. N.Y.
The "Sleep that knits up the raveled sleeve of care." You can own it, can command this priceless witchery of restful sleep, if you will but own an Ostermoor patent elastic felt Mattress.
Nothing on earth you can own will give you more absolute comfort than a luxurious Ostermoor Mattress.
If you wish to travel all the way to old age without missing connection at any stage of the game you must command sleep, and you can't help sleeping if you own an Ostermoor Mattress.
Full Size, $15.00, in 2 parts, $15.50.
HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store,
Hancock Street, Quincy.
We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

IF YOU WANT PLAIN OR FANCY
CHEESE
GO TO THE
Meadowbrook Creamery,
QUINCY, MASS.
Most Complete Line in the City.

— OUR —
Capitol Shoe
FOR BOYS.
Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.
Sizes 12 to 2 $1 75
Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2.00
The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.
Every Pair Warranted.
GEORGE W. JONES,
Adams Building, - QUINCY.

A 20 per cent. Reduction.
For dates in January and February the experiment will be tried of giving a special discount of 20 per cent. in the prices of Quincy Music Hall. The price scale as it is, though doubtless seeming high to some, is not really so when a fair account is taken of the many, many expenses of running a large hall and keeping it in first class condition, as well as the fact that at best such a hall can be rented only a small part of the time. The prices of Music Hall are not now changed, merely the experiment is to be made of giving this special discount to engagements coming in these two special months.
The Location is the best of any hall in the city. The street cars pass the door with a turn out right in front of the Hall.
The Floor is of selected maple laid with the greatest care, and is kept in perfect condition, being covered with canvas when not used for dancing.
The Ventilation—a most important consideration—is such as to keep the air pure with even a crowded hall and without causing any drafts.
The Hall is Lighted by electricity, brilliantly and pleasantly, and with a switchboard arranged so that all desired effects can be obtained in the Hall proper or on the stage. Gas is used as an auxiliary light.
The Heating is direct—indirect, ample, and giving the most healthful results.
The Stage has been designed with care, and is furnished with a particularly generous supply of attractive and appropriate scenery.
For Advertising, the Music Hall Billboards throughout the City are of very great value.
To Darken the Hall, there are special window fittings so that at noonday the Hall can be made as dark as at midnight.
In case of fire there are pails of water and chemical fire extinguishers throughout the Hall. There is an asbestos fire curtain by which the Stage can be instantly cut off from the Hall proper. There are nine (9) doors opening from the Hall and five (5) separate exits.
As a whole, Quincy Music Hall has been carefully planned to meet the requirements of those who wish a *large and really first class Hall.*
QUINCY MUSIC HALL
Dec. 26. tf

If You Have a House to Let
Advertise It in the Ledger.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in al. parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

ANNOUNCEMENT.

EBEN HARDY.

Manufacturing OPTICIAN . .

of 21 Bromfield street, Boston, has opene a Jewelry and Optical store at 307 Newport avenue, Wollaston, opposite the depot.

Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silver Ware, Opera, Field and Marine Glasses.

Eyes examined and Glasses fitted. Broken Lenses matched and replaced in our own factory.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired by first-class workmen. All work guaranteed.

French Clocks called for and delivered. Send postal and we will call.

EBEN HARDY,
OPTICIAN,
370 Newport Ave., Wollaston.
Dec.15—1m

Hardware Supply Co,
1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES
Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.
Dec. 29. tf

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.
OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
Jan. 31. tf

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
25 years' experience
Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.
Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.
Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marten's store.
Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence in Medford.

MISS SPEAR'S CLASSES,
148 Goffe Street.
Kindergarten and Day pupils received.
Music, Art, Sloyd, Basketry, Gymnastics, Shorthand and Tutoring taught by experts.
C. FOLLETT SPEAR, Directress.
Voice, Piano and Harmony. Oct. 15-3m

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

Special Sale.

All Goods soiled and handled during the

Christmas Rush

And all Christmas Goods must be sold before NEW YEARS.

Very Low Prices.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

HALL and BURGESS,
Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

F. S. BUXTON,
TEACHER OF VIOLIN
WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.
Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

JOHN STREIFERD & SON,
FLORISTS.
Telephone 13-7 Braintree.
Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.
Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

CLEVELAND NAMED

Olney Thinks Him the Ideal Candidate For President

CHOICE OF NEW ENGLAND

Colonel Gaston Says Olney Would Rring Republic Back to Its Conservatism--Hill Also Gives Cleveland a "Lift"

New York, Jan. 5.—Democrats of prominence from the city, state and nation assembled here last night at the dinner in honor of George B. McClellan, the newly installed mayor of New York city. Grover Cleveland, Judge Parker, Senator Gorman of Maryland and Senator Morgan of Alabama sent letters of regret. The speakers included Messrs. McClellan, Olney, Hill, Towne and DeArmond. W. B. Cockran, who acted as toastmaster, introduced as the first speaker Mayor McClellan, in an address in which, after referring to questions of national policy, he briefly touched on political conditions in New York city.

Mayor McClellan asked all to join with him "in sending the glad news to our brethren throughout the land that we Democrats of New York are resolute in our purpose to wrest the state and nation from Republican misrule. Let us at the beginning of this presidential year present to the country the spectacle of a united and loyal party, striving earnestly to be worthy of the name of Democrats. Sinking every sordid and selfish and unworthy motive, united for a common object and in a common cause, we stand for right and justice within and without the boundaries of our country, that we may restore the rule of the people in its truest sense and insure to ourselves and to posterity the blessings of liberty."

Mr. Olney was introduced as a diplomatist who had never followed the policy of wandering around the world, seeking quarrels with weaker nations, and as the "pride of New England, but enthroned in the hearts of all his countrymen." Mr. Olney criticised the Republican administration for its attitude on public policies and "the needless war over Cuba" and in conclusion said:

"Mr. Chairman, the man of all men most thoroughly representative of the national policies I have indicated, the most capable and sure of making them effective—the opportunity being given—the man of the proven courage of his convictions, who never yet turned his back upon the approach of public duty, and is too old to learn now, that man unfortunately absent at this time, but a New Yorker by adoption if not by birth, and one whom New York has always delighted to honor, that man is Grover Cleveland, whose record in the past is an all-sufficient guarantee of his action in the future."

Colonel Gaston of Boston, who was candidate for governor of Massachusetts on the Democratic ticket, presented the name of Richard Olney as the New England Democrats' choice for candidate for the presidency, saying: "Richard Olney's candidacy and election would appeal to the conservative business interests of the country that now fear what new disturbance the coming day may bring forth. The man who would bring the republic back to its conservatism is Richard Olney."

Former Governor Hill was greeted with loud applause when in his introductory remarks he eulogized the leadership of Charles F. Murphy and predicted that Mayor McClellan would succeed him (Hill) as governor of the state and precede him in the White House.

Much of Mr. Hill's address was devoted to a review of the recent events in Panama and an attack on the policy of the administration in this connection. He discussed promotions in the army, referred in laudatory terms to the Cleveland administration of 1885 and 1893 and in conclusion outlined a platform for the coming Democratic campaign next year.

The following letter from Grover Cleveland was read:

Princeton, Dec. 31, 1903.

My Dear Sir: I very much regret that a vexatious indisposition prevents me from attending the dinner tendered by the citizens of New York to their newly elected mayor, George B. McClellan. As a former resident of the city, still interested in all that pertains to its welfare, I would be pleased to participate in an event which will give opportunity for the expression of a well-grounded anticipation of the civic benefits which should result from the triumph of the New York Democracy.

While the assumption of the duty involved in the government of the greatest city of our country creates grave responsibilities, the impressive thought cannot be evaded that the manner in which the Democracy of the city shall meet its municipal responsibilities will in a large degree determine the extent to which our fellow-countrymen, in every part of the land, will be willing to trust the Democracy of the nation in broader fields of governmental rule.

Those far beyond the limit of New York who love the Democratic party confidently expect that the methods of the new municipal administration will be clean and efficient and its high purposes so manifest in all things as to impress the entire country with the security and peace promised by the national supremacy of a safe and conservative Democracy.

Yours very truly,
Grover Cleveland.

NANTUCKET ISOLATED

Island Has No Means of Communication With Mainland

Woods Hole, Mass., Jan. 5.—All communication with the island of Nantucket, either by steamer or telegraph, was cut off last evening. The ice embargo about the island has been in full force since Saturday, but up to last evening the telegraph line has worked intermittently. The last word received was to the effect that the entire harbor was not only blocked with ice, but that heavy drift ice extended as far out as Great point. The break in the telegraph lines is thought to be on the island, but as the roads are badly drifted with the snow it is thought that it will be some days before communication by wire is re-established.

The island is reported to be very short of provisions.

Inhuman Treatment of Children

Rutland, Vt., Jan. 5.—With their little hands and faces blue and pinched from exposure to the severe cold weather, two children, brother and sister, aged 3 and 7, were discovered early in the morning by Charles P. Beebe, a milkman, in a pasture, where they had wandered during the night. The girl stated that she and her brother had been driven from where they were boarded because the necessary payment from their mother did not arrive. The police are investigating the case.

The Newport Freezup

Newport, R. I., Jan. 5.—With the mercury hovering about the zero point, the harbor rapidly freezing over, and all navigation in the bay at a standstill, the situation is much as it was 12 years ago, when it became necessary to use gun cotton to open up a passage between the torpedo station and this city. No electric cars have passed between Fall River and Newport since Saturday afternoon, as it is impossible to break through the heavy drifts.

Hub Arrests For a Year

Boston, Jan. 5.—The annual report of the Boston police commission shows that the total number of arrests in Boston during the year was 43,833, against 34,732 last year, an increase of 8,101. The largest increase noted in the list is for forgery and offenses against the currency, where the increase is given as 20 percent. The arrests for drunkenness averaged 76 a day during the year.

In Terrible Predicament

Grafton, Vt., Jan. 5.—The snow is drifted from 10 to 15 feet high on the mountain roads, and five or six teams are stalled in the mountains, and unless rescued soon it is feared that some may perish from the intense cold. Forty-one degrees below zero at 10 o'clock last night was reported from Londonderry. A search will be immediately instituted for the stormbound captives.

A "Doctor" of Clothing

Boston, Jan. 5.—The gentlemanly appearing "Dr. Edward Russell," who was arrested while trying to pass a worthless check on a milliner, was in the Brookline court, charged with two counts of obtaining money under false pretences. He was fined $25 on each count. It has been ascertained that the alleged doctor is a tailor by trade. He was taken to Dedham jail.

Fatal Tenement House Fire

Arlington, Mass., Jan. 5.—Fire occurred in a double tenement house on Grove street place early this morning, during which Patrick Kelley, aged 40, was burned to death, and the building destroyed. The cause of the fire is not known, but the other occupants of the building were awakened just in time to escape from the burning structure.

"Relief" at Twelve Below

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 5.—After two days of severe cold weather, during which the mercury ranged from 22 to 50 degrees below zero in different parts of the state, considerable relief has been afforded by an average rise in temperature to 12 degrees below. Railroad traffic, however, is still subject to delay as the result of the heavy snow.

Fall From Sleigh Brought Death

Providence, Jan. 5.—William Harber, who was found almost frozen to death in an open lot, died last evening. Edward McElroy, with whom Harber was riding in a sleigh, said that he had fallen asleep and when he awoke the reins were dragging and Harber was missing. The police are investigating.

Lad Caught In Blizzard

Cherryfield, Me., Jan. 5.—Much anxiety is felt for the 15-year-old son of Edger Allan of Columbia, who probably perished in Sunday's blizzard. During the day he left a logging camp for his home, some miles distant, but has not reached there. A searching party failed to find any trace of him.

Bostonians Suffer From Cold

Boston, Jan. 5.—The thermometer did not rise above 5 degrees above zero all day yesterday, and at sunset fell below the zero mark, where it remained all night. The hospitals were filled with cases of frost bites, nearly 100 persons having been treated during the day and night.

Krobeck Gets Life Sentence

Dedham, Mass., Jan. 5.—Judge Aiken sentenced Konstant Krobeck, convicted of murder in the second degree in causing the death of Fred A. Peterson, to life imprisonment in the state prison. A motion for a new trial was denied by the court.

Mrs Moffat Not Guilty

Bennington, Vt., Jan. 5.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Alice Moffat, charged with attempting to poison her husband, Philander Moffat, reported a verdict of not guilty. The woman was released.

HOME BANK PRIZE.

John Evans the Winner at National Mt. Wollaston Bank.

The National Mt. Wollaston Bank reports that the "Home Savings Bank department has been a great success during the six or seven months since it was established, exceeding all expectations. That there are today over 1900 active accounts, and the total sum to the credit of the depositors is large.

The stability of the National banks has evidently given the depositors confidence in this new department. The large deposit shows what may be saved when a system of saving like this is adopted. It represents largely a sum which would not have been saved without the home banks.

Last May in order to properly introduce the home banks in Quincy and as an encouragement to save, the W. F. Burns Co., originators and manufacturers, offered to pay a premium of $25 to the man, woman or child saving the largest amount in their home bank between then and Jan. 1st, 1904; a premium of $15 to the second largest, and a special premium of $10 to the boy or girl having the largest deposit January 1st, 1904.

The only conditions being that they must have one of the home banks and make a deposit once each month, first deposit to be made in June.

These prizes have just been awarded, as follows:

First, John Evans, $25.
Second, Isador Fritz, $15.
Third, Mary Newall, $10.
All are residents of Quincy.

WINNER OF FIRST PRIZE.

Mr. Evans, in acknowledging the gift, says that he never expected the prize, in fact he did not know one was offered. He says the saving was mostly the profits from one certain line at his store, supplemented by "car fares saved by using my legs and feet instead." He intends to use the deposit toward defraying expenses of a visit to the St. Louis World's Fair this year.

Domestic Quarrel and Murder

Buffalo, Jan. 4.—When the police forced open the door of Joseph Koehler's home last evening to arrest him on a petty charge they found him lying on the floor with a bullet in his neck. In another room they found the body of his wife, Annie, 30 years old. There was a ghastly wound in her throat, from which she had bled to death. Koehler, who is dying, said that he and his wife quarreled. She struck him with a poker and he knocked her down, after which he cut her throat with a razor.

Disastrous Incendiary Fire

New York, Jan. 4.—The greater part of the building at the southwest corner of Broadway and Leonard street was destroyed by fire last night. The firemen found holes newly bored in five different points in the stairs, cotton waste soaked in kerosene in the holes, kindling wood saturated with kerosene in corners and oil spilled here and there. The damage may reach $125,000. No one was hurt and no one arrested. The building was occupied by a large number of firms.

Car Rolled Down Mountain

Baltimore, Jan. 4.—A broken rail caused the derailment of three cars of a passenger train, causing the death of two persons and the serious injury of 30 other passengers and trainmen. The last coach of the train rolled down the mountain side a distance of 80 feet and landed bottom upward. The accident occurred 15 miles east of Hagerstown.

Telluride Under Martial Law

Denver, Jan. 4.—Governor Peabody has declared a modified form of martial law in Telluride and that city will be placed under the same restrictions as now prevail at Cripple Creek. The object is understood to be to prevent the return of the men who were arrested and sent out of the district.

Resignation Not Forced

Omaha, Jan. 4.—In an interview with Horace G. Burt he made the following statement: "My resignation as president of the Union Pacific railroad was entirely of my own volition and for purely personal reasons."

Another Barcelona Strike

Barcelona, Jan. 4.—A general strike of all persons employed by the shipping interests has been declared, as a result of which trade and commerce are paralyzed.

TALK ON PANAMA

President's Message Revives Senators' Interest In the Canal

Washington, Jan. 5.—The senate's first session following the holiday recess was devoted entirely to Panama. President Roosevelt's special message on the subject was received with great interest. Discussion continued throughout the day, speeches being made both in defense of and against the policy which has been pursued.

Mr. McComas defended the president and asserted that his action would stand if tried in court. He maintained that even without recognition the new republic of Panama would have been established and maintained indefinitely. Mr. Stewart severely criticised the Bogota government for its selfish action in preventing construction of the canal.

Mr. Morgan stated his preference for the Nicaragua route and maintained that the present course of the administration was breaking down the established policy of the United States regarding neutrality. He said the president now desired the assistance of three Democratic senators to maintain his policy.

Rev. Dr. Hale, the newly elected chaplain of the senate, clad in black clerical robes, occupied the chair of the presiding officer just preceding the session, and on the body being called to order offered a stirring invocation. His prayer was a plea for the wisdom of Heaven in the affairs of the government. He referred briefly to the Chicago disaster and asked a blessing on the stricken city. He also touchingly alluded to the death of the wife of Senator Hear of Massachusetts. His invocation was preceded by a short scriptural lesson and concluded with the Lord's Prayer.

Disastrous Fire In Iowa Capitol

Des Moines, Jan. 5.—Fire gutted the northwest wing of the Iowa capitol, causing a loss of $500,000. The chamber of the house of representatives is a charred mass of debris. The origin of the fire is unknown and Governor Cummins will order an investigation. The capitol presents a scene of desolation. The building, which cost $3,000,000, was supposed to be fireproof, but the use of several false ceilings furnished material for the flames.

Steel Mills to Start Up

Pittsburg, Jan. 5.—The converting mill at Homestead of the Carnegie Steel company, which has been closed four months, will fire up Sunday night. At the same time two furnaces of the Carrie group at Rankin will start up to supply the mill with steel. Four hundred additional coke ovens of the H. C. Frick Coke company will be lighted this week. Within the next 30 days thousands of idle ovens are expected to be in operation.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that ca nnot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Hote Greenleaf
Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.
Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

SKATES SHARPENED.
Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .
24 Granite Street,
NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.
Dec. 21. 1m

CARD.
Mrs. F. H. Hewins,
—: Formerly in the :—
Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.
Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations
METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.
Offices:
128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.
Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903. tf

W. G. CHUBBUCK,
Furniture and Piano Mover
IN AND OUT OF TOWN.
Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up and Relaid.
JOBBING.
Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.
lo-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Oct. 18, 1903, trains will run as follows:

(Subject to change without notice.)

TO BOSTON Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.
r *5 19	abcdefghi	5 47	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 23	ad	7 42	8 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp.	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 42	a l c	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	12 45	Exp.	1 02
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 58	cba	1 19 r
r 9 42	abc	10 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	1 58	cba	2 19 r
r 10 42	abc	11 02	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	a l c	11 32	2 45	cba	3 06 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 43	cba	4 06 r
r 1 42	abc	2 02	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 18	dba	5 36 r
r 3 42	abc	4 02	5 26	a	5 45 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 46	ihgfdcba	6 15
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 18	da	6 36 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
6 59	Exp.	7 15	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32			

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 43	Exp.	9 00
9 00	Exp.	9 15	9 28	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
10 18	Exp.	10 33	10 28	feucba	10 53 r
r 10 22	abcdefghi	10 50			

• The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston, b Nortolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P.M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A.M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P.M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.46 6.16 6.46 7.16 9.16 11.16 P.M. SUNDAY—6.16 8.46 A.M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P.M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A.M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P.M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A.M. 1.21 5.21 7.21 9.21 P.M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P.M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A.M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P.M.

Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

Corrected to Nov. 20th, 1903.

(Subject to change without notice.)

LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P.M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 AM. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.56 7.25, 810 A.M, then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON -7.15, 7.45 A M, then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

J. T. CONWAY, Division Supt
H. E. REYNOLDS, Asst. Gen. Supt.
Quincy, Mass., Nov. 20, 1903.

Don't Wait for it any Longer. 10 cents buys a package of

LUCK
AT
PRATT'S.

Every Wednesday, 2 Packages 15 cts.

Dr. Emmons'

Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put it too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively leaves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS

and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water st
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EASTMILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

1904 JANUARY 1904						
Su.	Mo.	Tu.	We.	Th.	Fr.	Sa.
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24 31	25	26	27	28	29	30

MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon	3	0:47 a. m.	New Moon	17	10:41 a. m
Third Quarter	9	4:10 p. m.	First Quarter	25	3:41 p. m

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	4	10	42	23	39
Monday,	8	18	42	22	54
Tuesday,	11	23	40	44	59
Wednesday,	—	35	38	47	41
Thursday,	—	32	31	27	34
Friday,	—	36	37	46	29
Saturday,	—	31	18	24	28

New Advertisements Today.

Mortgagees' Sale of Real Estate.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

The number who had their ears frozen Monday was legion.

Arthur L. Mitchell, Jr., who is now located in Philadelphia, is home on a visit.

A whist party will be held by St. Ambrose court of Foresters on Wednesday evening, Jan. 20.

Benjamin Ginsberg and Mrs. Joseph Silver of Water street arrived home from New York on Monday.

The Norfolk county association, W. R. C., will hold its quarterly meeting with corps 94, South Braintree, Wednesday.

George Dunham, the oldest employe on the street railway, has gone to the City Hospital to undergo a surgical operation.

Curtis Nichols, formerly of Quincy Point, was in town Monday visiting friends. He is travelling for a Troy, N. Y., firm.

A gang of men and a large pung were sent out Monday to break out the road to Houghs neck. It was a difficult job and took all day.

David Moffit of Atlantic has accepted a business position in New Bedford, where he will make his home for the remainder of the winter.

Few streets were drifted as badly as Washington street, and it was late Monday before the street was in anything like a passable condition.

This is a week of prayer at the First Presbyterian church, Water street, and meetings will be held every evening excepting Saturday. All are invited to attend.

Miss Helen Buckston of Walker street, was among the many who started from Boston Saturday night on the six o'clock train and reached Atlantic at 4 A M.

A party of young ladies from Smith street, chaperoned by Agnes McDonald went on a sleigh ride party Monday evening, They visited Brockton where they had supper at a hotel. They returned to Quincy about midnight.

The Meadow Brook Ice Co. had a large gang of men and horses at work all day Monday and again today clearing their pond of snow. They have now about ten inches of good clear ice and will commence to harvest as soon as possible.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

Dr. H. C. Hallowell was capsized while driving through City Square in a sleigh this morning. No damage was done.

Notwithstanding the snow storm of Sunday about twenty-one gathered in the Wollaston Unitarian church for the morning service.

There will be week of prayer meetings in the Washington street Congregational church Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday evenings at 7.30 o'clock.

On Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock the regular monthly meeting of the Social and Benevolent society will be held in the chapel of Wollaston Baptist church.

Bethany Church will observe this week of prayer with a service this evening at 7.45 a service, on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and at the service on Friday evening.

The Sunday school connected with the Park and Downs church gave a children's party on Friday afternoon, Jan. 1. Stories were read and refreshments were served.

The new settees for the district court room arrived Monday and were in position this morning. The seats are finished in the same style as the finish of the room and are very handsome.

J. T. McKenney, the Neponset barber who takes a plunge into Neponset river every morning all the year rouud was the subject of an illustrated sketch in one of the Sunday papers.

The torpedo-boat destroyer Lawrence, built by the Fore River Co. seems to be constantly getting into trouble. Now it is reported that she was rammed by the Olivette off Key West, Fla., on Saturday.

Mrs. William W. Hill of Woburn is an interesting speaker and will take for her subject tomorrow afternoon at Bethany church, "Some ideals in the training of our children." Miss Fannie Ellsworth will sing. All mothers are cordially invited to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Adams, who are visiting in Washington, were among the guests at the dinner given Tuesday evening Dec. 29, by Secretary and Mrs. Hay in honor of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt. Others there were Senator and Mrs. Lodge, Secretary Moody, Mrs. Knox, Secretary and Mrs. Root and Mr. Hay's daughters, Mrs. Payne Whitney and Mrs. James W. Wadsworth, Jr.—Globe.

Unique Gift For a Waitress.

A tree decorated with new, crisp one dollar bills was the Christmas present which Miss Stella La Grand, a waitress employed at a restaurant in St. Louis, received the other day from the members of the Hooligan club, sixteen young men employed in the wholesale district who are served daily by Miss La Grand at their noonday meal, says the St. Louis Republic. The tree, about three feet in height, was decorated by the manager of the restaurant at the solicitation of the club, which furnished him with the novel presents. The club arrived promptly at noon and took their places at their accustomed table. Miss La Grand took their orders and went to the kitchen. The tree, which had been smuggled into the restaurant, was then placed upon the table, and Miss La Grand, returning soon after, received the unique gift.

Fashions In Flowers.

There are fashions in flowers as well as in gowns and other things. Just at present the beautiful orchid is the adornment of every woman's corsage who can afford one, and just over the heart is the place it must be worn. Of course the American Beauty is still a favorite, and no flower will ever take its place.

The New Year Apprentice, 1904.

The norther bent the icy trees
And skimmed the frozen pools.
I saw the old year passing out;
He bore a bag of tools.
His hands were rough with honest toil,
His weary steps were slow;
The bells proclaimed the noon of night;
He vanished in the snow.

I heard a knocking at my door;
The dawn was gray and chill.
A rosy young apprentice boy
Stood waiting on the sill.
His clear blue eyes were bright with hope,
And on his curly hair
Was perched a jaunty little cap,
The kind that workmen wear.

"I brought along the plans," he said,
"Of tunnels to be drilled
And roads to grade and tracks to lay
And bridges I must build,
And many storied structures tall
That I must shortly rear;
I come prepared to go to work;
I am the glad new year."
—Minna Irving in Leslie's Weekly.

—The Somerville Journal says: "For a while now, theatre managers will take such precautions that theatres will be about the safest places in the world.

—"Pay your little bills promptly, and you will help those you owe to pay their big ones."

DIED.

TAPIO—In Quincy, Jan. 3, Arne E., son of Mr. Matt E. and Mrs. Lydia M. Tapio of Town Hill, aged 20 days.

KING—In Milford, Jan. 3, Mr. John S. King of Centre street, West Quincy, aged 49 years. Funeral from Christ's church, Quincy, Thursday, Jan. 7, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

McKAIG—In South Braintree, Jan. 1, Mr. Carberry Francis McKaig, aged 29 years, 7 months.

REPLY READY FOR JAPS

Russia Said to Be Hopeful of a Peaceful Settlement

Paris, Jan. 5.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Paris edition of the New York Herald says that the reply of the Russian government to the Japanese government is now in the hands of Viceroy Alexieff, who will deliver it when he considers that a fitting moment has arrived. According to the correspondent Viceroy Alexieff declares that Russia has not given up hope of a peaceful settlement.

May Act as Prod For Japan

Paris, Jan. 5.—One of the leading diplomatists says the departure of the Russian naval division from Bizerta for China "may prove decisive in inducing Japan to take speedy action." It is pointed out that if this additional division succeeds in passing Suez, Russia's naval strength in Chinese water will thereafter exceed Japan's, their present strength being about equal.

Russian Move In China

Tien Tsin, Jan. 5.—The Russian office here has informed the railroad officials that a detachment of 100 Russian troops will occupy Sinmintun, on the railroad running to Shanhaikwan and Tien Tsin, in two days from date.

Dietrich Gains a Point

Omaha, Jan. 5.—At the beginning of the trial of Senator Dietrich, Judge Vandevanter, sustaining a demurrer by defendant's counsel, in effect quashed the leading indictment of conspiracy to violate the statute against bribery. Indictments charging Dietrich with profiting by the leasing of a building to the United States government while a member of congress and charging him directly with bribery in connection with the appointment of a postmaster at Hastings, Neb., still stand against Dietrich.

Royal Opera House Closed

Berlin, Jan. 5.—Emperor William has ordered that the Royal opera house be closed until more exits can be built and fireproof stairs be substituted for the present wooden stairs. There was a performance last evening, but it will not be open hereafter until the changes are made, which will take many weeks. A large part of the cost of the new construction will be borne by the privy purse of the emperor.

Report In Wood's Favor

Washington, Jan. 5.—Senator Forraker, a member of the committee on military affairs, in executive session, submitted a brief in favor of Brigadier General Wood's confirmation to be major general and eight of the 11 members of the committee have concurred in this report. The committee met for the purpose of voting on the matter of recommending or disapproving confirmation.

Troops Jeered at Officers

Vienna, Jan. 5.—In Trebinje and Bilek, Hungary, a serious revolt has broken out among the troops, whose terms of service expired at the end of the year, but who were retained, owing to the failure of the Hungarian parliament to pass the annual recruiting bill. When the men were paraded they jeered at their officers and created much disturbance.

Young Randall For Congress

Philadelphia, Jan. 5.—Samuel J. Randall, son of the former speaker of the national house of representatives, was last night nominated for congress by the Democrats of the Third district to succeed the late Henry Burk. This is the district represented by his father. The district, through recent apportionment, is overwhelmingly Republican.

Charged With Stealing $73,000

Washington, Jan. 5.—The grand jury has reported three indictments for embezzlement against James M. A. Watson, formerly a clerk in the office of the auditor of the District of Columbia. Watson is in jail on the charge of embezzling $73,000 of the district government funds.

Books Being Examined

Anderson, Ind., Jan. 5.—Llewellyn H. Vinnedge, local manager of the American Steel and Wire company, has been absent since last Thursday. The books are being investigated. He was secretary of the Y. M. C. A. board and prominent socially.

Fire In Big Tenement House

Chicago, Jan. 5.—Fire broke out in the Delaware flats, a three-story frame structure, occupied by 75 families. The people hurriedly left the building, but the fire department soon controlled the blaze. The damage was small.

Cargo of Potatoes Lost

Halifax, Jan. 5.—Schooner Vera B. Roberts, from Canning for Havana with a cargo of potatoes, dragged her anchor and ran ashore in the river at Parrsboro. There is six feet of water in her hold and the cargo is destroyed.

Perez Fell From Grace

Manila, Jan. 5.—Perez, who saved the life of General Smith from ambush, and who was a former secret service man under General MacArthur, has been garroted with two companions at San Carlos, for murder.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Wednesday, Jan. 6.
Sun rises—7:14; sets—4:26.
Moon rises—9 p. m.
High water—1:15 a. m.; 1:45 p. m.

The area of high pressure that was central Sunday evening in the lake region has advanced eastward to New England and the middle Atlantic states. It has been attended by the lowest temperatures of the season. The cold wave will give way slowly and fair and warmer weather may be expected in New England.

STATE PRISON.

A Life Sentence at Institution for Konstant Krobeck.

Konstant Krobeck who was found guilty by the superior court at Dedham last term of murder in the second degree of Fred Peterson at Quincy March 15, last year, was brought before Judge Aiken Monday and given a life sentence at the State prison.

Prior to imposing the sentence J. J. McAnarney, junior counsel for Krobeck, moved for a new trial. He argued that there was no malicious act on the part of Krobeck. He claimed the government witnesses all contradicted one another. "If the judge would set the verdict aside, my client would plead guilty to manslaughter, and the interests of justice would be as well satisfied."

District Attorney French opposed the motion. He referred to the absolute fairness of the trial.

Judge Aiken over-ruled the motion. "I can't say it is so erroneous that I ought to interfere," he said regarding the verdict.

Judge Aiken granted a two weeks' extension of time for exceptions.

District Attorney French moved for sentence, which was imposed, being translated to Krobeck.

Krobeck was later taken to Charlestown by Sheriffs Farrell and Capen.

RUSSIAN BABY A SOLDIER.

Queer Case In Which a Nurse Must Attend Full Grown Man.

A peculiar incident, illustrating the tedious processes of Russian law and the extreme tardiness of Russian justice, is told by A. Makiel, a recent emigrant from that country, who was a witness in a case which required seventeen years to get a decision, says the Minneapolis Journal. He left the country some time ago and has recently been informed of the outcome.

Mr. Makiel came to Minneapolis on account of a dislike toward him in the neighborhood of Kishineff because he expressed sympathy for the homeless Hebrews. His attitude was considered as nihilistic by some, and, although he is not a Jew himself, he thought he would be better off in a free country.

In 1886 a boy was born to a nobleman living near Kishineff, and, according to the custom, a nurse was hired to have sole charge of the child until he became old enough to be placed in the schools. The nurse was compelled to sign a contract binding her to service for five years. She did her work faithfully for two years and then broke her contract by marrying a young workman who was often employed at the nobleman's house. She had, however, been so faithful to her little charge and had done her work so well that the father brought suit in the provincial court to make her return and comply with her contract.

In the trial in the lower courts the case was decided in favor of the girl, but the nobleman had money, and the case was carried up by those mysterious methods known only in Russia until it finally reached the highest court of the land. This august body, called the high synod, after considerable delay and argument rendered a verdict to the effect that, inasmuch as the girl had signed the contract, she must return at once and fulfill it. Imprisonment is the penalty for refusing to obey the court's orders, and the girl, now a prosperous matron, is in a quandary as to her next move, for the little boy mentioned in the contract is now serving his time in the Russian army. Mr. Makiel says he does not know whether the high synod looked at the date of the documents of appeal.

SPENCER AND LUNATICS.

Great Psychologist Proved Butt of an Unfortunate's Joke.

To the late Herbert Spencer, the English philosopher, the minds of lunatics had an odd fascination, says the Chicago Record-Herald. Mr. Spencer was a frequent visitor to a number of asylums, and he would never laugh so heartily as when recounting some unconscious witticism of a lunatic.

Sometimes he would tell of the criticism a lunatic woman made on a sermon that was preached in her asylum. This criticism was brief, but it was telling.

"To think," said the woman, pointing toward the clergyman—"to think of him out and me in!"

On another occasion Mr. Spencer and a friend were walking toward an asylum they proposed to visit. Their way led them across a railroad, and seated near the track they saw a young man reading. This young man was a lunatic, but they did not know it at the time.

"My friend," said Mr. Spencer, pausing, "where does this railroad go to?"

The lunatic looked up from his book and gave his interrogator a long stare of scorn. Then he replied:

"It doesn't go anywhere. We keep it here to run trains on!".

The Quincy Ledger
FOR SALE AT THE
South Terminal Station News Stand
After 3.35 P.M.

"TOO MANY COOKS"

[Original.]

"Jenkins," said Mr. Steele of Steele & Co., bankers, of Philadelphia, "a customer of the name of Hall—John V. Hall—arrives in New York from the west tomorrow and wishes to make a tender of cash in a deal in which he prefers not to offer a check. Here is $6,000 in hundred dollar notes. Count them. Now place the notes, without folding, in this envelope. That's right. The safest place is in the inner side pocket of your coat. There's no other place about you where you can keep them so well under touch. It looks a little bulky over your left chest, but most men carry a handkerchief there. Here is a photograph he has sent me, taken in the suit he will wear."

I took the photograph, which was that of a tall, spare man, with mutton chop whiskers, dressed in a pepper and salt suit.

"It's all right," continued Mr. Steele. "I know him, and it's I who advised him to make the tender in legal currency. We have been in correspondence about it for some time. He is a real estate operator, having one of the largest real estate offices in Chicago."

"Where am I to meet him?"

"At the Grand Central depot, in New York, on the arrival of the Chicago limited tomorrow morning."

When I reached the station I had eaten a hearty meal, and, being an inveterate smoker, I took a seat in the smoking car. Three men sitting in the seat in front of me needed a fourth man to make up a game of whist. I consented to help them out provided there was no stake. They agreed, and I sat down and played with them. During the game I caught one of the men looking at the protuberance on my chest. When we tired of playing and I went into another car he followed me, endeavoring to draw me into conversation. He asked me where I was going, what hotel I intended stopping at and a number of other questions. I admitted that I was going to New York; but, not relishing his interest in me, I threw him off as to the hotel. I supposed I had thrown him off in this respect, but I did not, for when I went to the office of a hotel near the Grand Central depot and put my name on the register the next man to sign was my interested friend.

"Hello! You here?" he exclaimed, with apparent surprise. "I supposed you were going to the B."

"Changed my mind," I said.

The fellow invited me to have a drink before going to bed, but I declined on the ground that I never drank and was too tired to sit up a minute longer than was necessary. With this I went upstairs, but instead of undressing I sat in my room for an hour, then took my package down to the office and had it placed in the safe. Then, procuring an envelope, I took it to my room and filled it with a part of a newspaper. I was interested to know if my dummy package would be in my room the next morning. I felt a strong suspicion that it would not. In this I was mistaken.

I breakfasted the next morning with the dummy package in my coat pocket. My interested friend came in, sat down at a neighboring table and saluted me with a flourish of his hand. I had by this time made up my mind that he knew I had a sum of money in charge, but how he could have got the information was a mystery. I determined to meet Mr. Hall in the depot, which was across the street, bring him to the hotel and deliver the money from the safe. After that, though I should warn him, it would be at his risk.

Ten minutes before the time for the arrival of the Chicago limited I stepped across to the station and waited for an official to call the incoming train. When he did so, and the passengers poured forth, a man answering to Mr. Hall's photograph came along, and I accosted him.

"From Steele & Co.?" he asked.

"Yes."

"Well, this is no place to transfer money. Follow me."

I followed him to the street, where he entered a carriage and bade me follow him. As we drove away I saw my interested friend standing on the sidewalk looking at us. I looked up at Mr. Hall and saw that he was looking at my interested friend. Then Mr. Hall called to the driver to stop, and our "mutual friend" got into the carriage.

"What's wrong?" snapped the latter.

"They're on to me. What luck?"

"None. He dropped it into the hotel safe."

"Has he got it now?"

"Don't know. I think he has."

Mr. Hall turned to me, and, whipping out a revolver at the same time, he said, "Shell out!"

Feigning fright, I unbuttoned my coat, took out the dummy envelope and handed it to him.

"Git!" he said, opening the carriage door.

I obeyed with alacrity, the door closed with a bang, and the driver lashed his horses down the street as though the devil or the cops were after him. Meanwhile the rogues were doubtless hugging an envelope containing a piece of newspaper.

Mr. Hall was the real Mr. Hall's confidential clerk, who, knowing of his chief's intention, had sent a letter stating that he would come on an earlier train than was intended.

My interested friend was a confederate whom it was intended should, if possible, secure the money before the other's arrival. Both were novices and had not learned the adage, "Too many cooks spoil the broth."

When the real Mr. Hall arrived after considerable telegraphing to Chicago he received his package from the safe of the hotel. I got a big advance in salary and have been going up ever since. CUTHBERT F. ROE.

FAR EASTERN TROUBLE

Nothing Definite as to Probable Outcome of Negotiations

Tokio, Jan. 4.—War with Russia is regarded as unavoidable and the press is urging the immediate opening of hostilities. All of the banks are withholding funds, and it is believed that this is the result of official instructions. The government has completed and perfected arrangements for the transportation of troops and supplies and the people calmly await developments.

Grave Results Not Looked For

St. Petersburg, Jan. 4.—Diplomatic circles confidently expect that the Russian answer to the Japanese proposals will be handed to the Japanese foreign office within a very few days and do not expect grave results to follow. In other quarters the conciliatory attitude of both governments inspires belief that the answer will pave the way to further negotiations if, indeed, it does not directly lead to a pacific settlement of the trouble.

No Fresh News In London

London, Jan. 4.—No fresh news has been received by the Japanese legation or apparently by the foreign office concerning the Russo-Japanese difficulty in the far east and, according to Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister, the situation remains unchanged.

A large number of Clyde marine engineers have received cable orders from the Japanese government to proceed immediately to Japan. These engineers were engaged by the Japanese government six months ago on the understanding that they would be called upon if active service was probable. Instructions calling for their services were sent in cipher.

Gil Won't Risk Being Killed

San Juan, P. R., Jan. 4.—Thirty of the followers of General Gil, former president of Santo Domingo, including all the Dominican revolutionary generals here, sailed today for Puerto Plata. From there they will hasten to join General Jiminez before San Domingo. They declare themselves confident that they will be able to overthrow the government of President Morales. Gil says he will remain in San Juan for three weeks more because his friends fear he will be assassinated should he return to Santo Domingo now.

FULL BASKET
$1.00
FULL BASKET.
$2.00
Worth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.
9 DAYS' SALE
JANUARY 1--9.

4 Quarts Potatoes,	.01
2 lbs. Sugar,	.01
Can Tomatoes,	.01
500 Parlor Matches,	.01
12 Clothes Pins,	.01
Pkg. Ginger,	.01
6 Nutmegs,	.01
Bt. Ammonia,	.10
1 Soap,	.05
1-2 lb. Mocha and Java Coffee,	.15
Pkg. Pop Corn,	.10
Pkg. Gelatine, Homestead,	.11
1-4 lb. Tea,	.15
Pkg. Cocoa Shells,	.07
Bag Salt,	.05
1 Scouring Soap,	05
Box Blue, Sawyer's,	.04
1 Basket in which to carry all,	.06
	$1.00

Each article shall be fresh and good and exactly as advertised.
Full Weight and Full Measure.
$2.00
Worth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.
V. E. MILLER,
CASH GROCER,
Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass.

TO LET
IN QUINCY, MASS.,
By H. H. FAXON.
Houses, Stores, Halls, Rooms, Offices, Stables, Land, Wharves, etc.

The Buildings are in Complete Repair.

HALL with ante-rooms and city water, No. 1355 Hancock street, opposite Post Office, and on the public Square.
HALF OF SLATED ROOF HOUSE at No. 6 Chester street, Wollaston.
4 TENEMENTS, 3 to 4 rooms each, No. 18 East Howard street, $8 to $9 per month.
COTTAGE HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 63 Field street.
HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 17 Kidder street.
HALF HOUSE, corner Howard street and Howard avenue.
HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 19 Kidder street.
HALF HOUSE, 6 rooms, city water, hennery, good yard, No. 59 Pond street, now occupied by James F. Mullin.
HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 15 Brackett street.
For particulars, apply to
HENRY H. FAXON,
Quincy, Mass.
Quincy, Dec. 8, 1903. 1m

LEDGER ADS.
PAY BEST

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—An Intelligent Girl or Woman to solicit orders for a specialty in Quincy, Wollaston, etc., for the local retail grocers. Liberal salary. Address in writing, stating age and experience, if any. Manufacturer, Ledger Office.
Jan. 4. 2t

WANTED—By mother and daughter in Wollaston or Wollaston Park, two rooms (one or both unfurnished) with board. References exchanged. Address Lock Box No. 2, Wollaston, Mass. Dec. 29-3t

EXPERIENCED HOUSEKEEPER wishes position as housekeeper in widower's small family, or care of invalid, best of references. Address MRS. S. E. HALL, Post Office, Wollaston, Mass. Oct. 20-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A Variety Store. Good Location. Apply 305 Water street, South Quincy. Dec. 31-6t

TO LET.

TO LET—2 Unfurnished Rooms suitable for light housekeeping. Centrally located; electrics pass the door. Apply at 118 WASHINGTON STREET, (left bell.) 4 3t

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent, $15 per month. Apply to F M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30. lp-tf

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—48 Revere road, large front rooms, $3.00 per week; one medium size and one smaller room, $2.25 and $1.50 per week. Large bath room, all nicely furnished and heated. Quincy, Dec. 28-12t

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

FOR SALE —OR— TO LET.

HOUSE, Parker street, in good repair. Here is a good chance for some one to get rent free, and also good investment on money, as one flat is well rented.
HALL & BURGESS,
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 28. tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24. tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

GRANITE YARD FOR SALE.

WE will sell on favorable terms, our SHEDS, DERRICK and TOOLS, including membership in Association. Sheds are on leased land. Will sell rough stock if wanted.
COOK & WATKINS,
Nov. 13, Sept. 1-tf Pope Building, Boston.

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 5. QUINCY, MASS., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

Supt. Parlin Is Reelected.

Quincy at the State House.

van Houten's Cocoa

A healthy Stimulant.
An invigorating Food.
A delightful Beverage.

Best & Goes Farthest

IF YOU WANT PLAIN OR FANCY

CHEESE

GO TO THE

Meadowbrook Creamery,

QUINCY, MASS.

Most Complete Line in the City.

A 20 per cent. Reduction.

For dates in January and February the experiment will be tried of giving a special discount of 20 per cent. in the prices of Quincy Music Hall. The price scale as it is, though doubtless seeming high to some, is not really so when a fair account is taken of the many, many expenses of running a large hall and keeping it in first class condition, as well as the fact that at best such a hall can be rented only a small part of the time. The prices of Music Hall are not now changed, merely the experiment is to be made of giving this special discount to engagements coming in these two special months.

The Location is the best of any hall in the city. The street cars pass the door with a turn out right in front of the Hall.

The Floor is of selected maple laid with the greatest care, and is kept in perfect condition being covered with canvas when not used for dancing.

The Ventilation—a most important consideration—is such as to keep the air pure with even a crowded hall and without causing any drafts.

The Hall is Lighted by electricity, brilliantly and pleasantly, and with a switchboard arranged so that all desired effects can be obtained in the Hall proper or on the stage. Gas is used as an auxiliary light.

The Heating is direct—indirect, ample, and giving the most healthful results.

The Stage has been designed with care, and is furnished with a particularly generous supply of attractive and appropriate scenery.

For Advertising, the Music Hall Billboards throughout the City are of very great value

To Darken the Hall, there are special window fittings so that at noonday the Hall can be made as dark as at midnight.

In case of fire there are pails of water and chemical fire extinguishers throughout the Hall. There is an asbestos fire curtain by which the Stage can be instantly cut off from the Hall proper. There are nine (9) doors opening from the Hall and five (5) separate exits.

As a whole, Quincy Music Hall has been carefully planned to meet the requirements of those who wish a *large and really first class Hall.*

QUINCY MUSIC HALL

Dec. 23. tf

— OUR —

Capitol Shoe

FOR BOYS.

Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.

Sizes 12 to 2 $1.75
Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2.00

The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.

Every Pair Warranted.

GEORGE W. JONES,

Adams Building, - QUINCY.

NO CHANCE.

In Organization of the School Committee.

Evening Schools Not to Reopen.

School Calendar for the Year—Graduations, Etc.

The annual meeting of the School Committee was held Tuesday evening. Miss Adams, Messrs. Burke, Hallowell, Hunting and Smith were present.

Dr. Hallowell called the meeting to order and was elected chairman pro tem, and Miss Adams secretary pro tem.

The board organized by the election of Charles H. Porter as chairman and Frank E. Parlin as secretary.

Upon roll call Frank E. Parlin was re-elected as superintendent of schools.

Charles A. Johnson was re-elected truant officer and census taker.

The following was adopted as the school calender for the year 1904:

First term:—Monday, January 4—Wednesday, March 23.

Second term.—Monday, April 4—Wednesday, June 29. The elementary schools close Friday, June 24. Grammar school graduation Friday, June 24. High school graduation, Wednesday, June 29.

Third term:—Monday, September 12—Wednesday, December 21.

The new year:—Monday, January 2, 1905.

Holidays: February 22, April 19, May 30, June 17, and the remainder of the week from Wednesday noon next preceding Thanking.

On account of the slim attendance at the evening schools since the holidays it was voted not to reopen them until further action.

There was a good attendance at the evening schools previous to the holidays but since then interest has waned. It is proposed in the future to open the evening schools earlier in the fall and have four sessions a week instead of three so that the term will be completed before the holidays.

Adjourned at 8.55.

Election of Officers.

The Daughters of John Adams, L. L. O. L., No. 11, elected the following officers, Tuesday night, for the ensuing year:

W. M.,—Annie McKenzie.
D. M.,—Annie C. Lamont.
Chaplain,—Jane Murdock.
Secretary,—Annie Nelson.
Financial Secretary,—Emma Jones.
Treasurer,—Georgie Stewart.
Conductress,—Josie Tinney.
Assistant Conductress,—Mamie McKay.
Guard,—Margaret McKenzie.
Advisory Board,—Andrew Stewart, Frank C. Sass and Richard Graham.
Trustees,—Margaret K. McKenzie, Annie Ross and Maggie Fader.

Installation of officers will take place on Tuesday, Jan. 19.

Remarkable Frost Pictures.

The action of warm air this morning on the white frost covered window at Sanborn & Damon's store on Hancock street, formed a picture worthy of the efforts of any artist to reproduce. Starting from the bottom and extending toward the top was a vein-like branch, from which numerous smaller branches extended to the right and left. Intertwining were hundreds of small lines with delicate symmetrical curves, the whole forming a beautiful picture that would require human hands many days to produce. It is doubtful even then if the hand of man could equal that which nature produced in a few hours.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Nov. 2. 6mos.

QUINCY COUNCIL.

Install Officers in Hall in Hotel Greenleaf Block.

The following officers of Quincy Council, 96, Knights of Columbus, were installed Tuesday evening in the old Masonic hall by District Deputy Grand Knight P. J. Daly and suite of Canton.

Grand Knight,—William T. Shea.
Deputy Grand Knight,—Peter J. Cahill.
Chancellor,—Edward J. Murphy.
Warden,—John J. Cunniff.
Financial Secretary,—Timothy J. Carey.
Recording Secretary,—Bartlett A. McLane.
Treasurer,—Michael T. Sullivan.
Lecturer,—John W. Walsh.
Advocate,—Edward McGinty.
Chaplain,—Rev. John P. Cuffe.
Inside Guard,—Thomas Carey.
Outside Guard,—W. J. McDonnell.
Trustees,—W. J. Coleman, Bernard Cullen and James Cantfill.
Physician.—Dr. Joseph M. Sheahan.

Entertaining speeches followed the installation by District Deputy Daley, Rev. J. P. Cuffe, Rev. J. J. Coan, and Grand Knight Shea. There was also a bountiful collation which included salads, sandwiches, coffee, etc. The cigars for the occasion were sent by a council of the Knights of Columbus in Florida. Grand Knight Shea is an enthusiastic member of the order and another prosperous season is predicted for Quincy Council.

CHARM PRESENTED

To Regent Manet

[illegible] Regent Elmer Ireland and suite, the 30th district installed the officers of Adams Council, No. 176, Royal Arcanum" for ensuing year on Monday evening, as follows:

[illegible],—Alexandria Clark.
Vice Regent,—James M. Birnie.
Orator,—Alexandria Greer, Jr.
Secretary,—William H. Parry.
Collector,—William T. Cumming.
Treasurer,—William Farquarson.
Guide,—Archibald Phillips.
Past Regent,—James Malcolm.
Chaplain,—Edward Barry.
Warden,—Stewart McKenzie.
Sentry,—Alexandria McGregor.
Trustees,—Alexandria Phillips, William Murry and Charles McKinzie.

After installation Orator Greer in an appropriate speech presented Past Regent James Malcolm, on behalf of the officers and members of the council, with a Past Regent's beautiful watch charm.

Brother Malcolm spoke briefly, thanking the members for their kindness. After which refreshments were served.

Bodley Club Books.

Those who visited the Thomas Crane public library early on Monday found an array of forty new books of the Bodley Club library in their attractive blue covers. The books have proved so popular that it is difficult to secure enough from the hands of the omnivorous readers to effect an exchange, as an equal number must be returned in place of new ones sent. It is hoped at the next exchange to send for more, perhaps sixyt. Among the latest this time are: Hetty Wesley, Irish cousin, Barlasch of the Guard, Forest Heartb, Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come, Golden Fetich, Pool in the Desert and Uther and Igraine.

Daughters of 1812.

Mrs. Nelson V. Titus was on Tuesday reelected president of the Massachusetts Society Daughters of 1812. Mrs. Titus read at the meeting a memorial on the old frigate Coustitution, which will be forwarded to Congress. Tuesday evening the following delegates of the society left for New York to attend the meeting of the National Society: Mrs. Titus, Miss Floretta Vining, Mrs. S. E. Gleason, Mrs. H. T. Dobson and Mrs. Pepper.

The Bay Frozen.

The bay between Houghs Neck and Squantum is solid ice, and it extends out to Long island.

The mornings will not be any shorter, and on Sunday the sun will rise one minute earlier.

GENERAL COURT.

Will Meet Today for Organization.

No Change in Quincy Delegation.

Senator Brackett and Representatives Fallon and Freeman.

Quincy will be represented in the General Court which convenes today by men who have already had experience on Beacon hill. In the Senate is Albert A. Brackett of Milton who on Tuesday took a prominent part in the senate caucus and placed in nomination Capt. David D. Remington who was the choice of the senate for sergeant-at-arms to succeed Maj. Davis.

In the House are Representatives Richard R. Freeman and Peter T. Fallon both of whom enter upon their second terms. With one year's experience they should prove more valuable to the city, and should take a more prominent part in administrating the affairs of the state than last year.

REPRESENTATIVE FALLON.

The principal contest today will be over the election of sergeant-at-arms, and considerable doubt is expressed as to what the House will do. It looks as though there might possibly be a deadlock between the two branches.

Senator Brackett, in placing David T. Remington in nomination, said:

"You know Capt. Remington's record as a man, as a soldier and as an efficient public servant. You have found him always courteous and obliging. If elected to the office of sergeant-at-arms he will fill it with honor and credit to the commonwealth as well as to himself."

The Senate organized with Hon. George R. Jones of Melrose as president, and Henry D. Coolidge as clerk.

The House organized with Louis A. Frothingham of Boston as speaker, and James W. Kimball of Lynn as clerk.

Representative Freeman was one of the original supporters of Mr. Frothingham for Speaker and should have a prominent place on committees.

The vote for speaker was as follows:	
Vote cast,	149
Necessary for choice,	75
Robert Luce had	10
A. M. Taft had	13
H. H. Newton had	15
Louis A. Frothingham had	111

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

Special Sale.

All Goods soiled and handled during the

Christmas Rush

And all Christmas Goods must be sold before NEW YEARS.

Very Low Prices.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON

Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

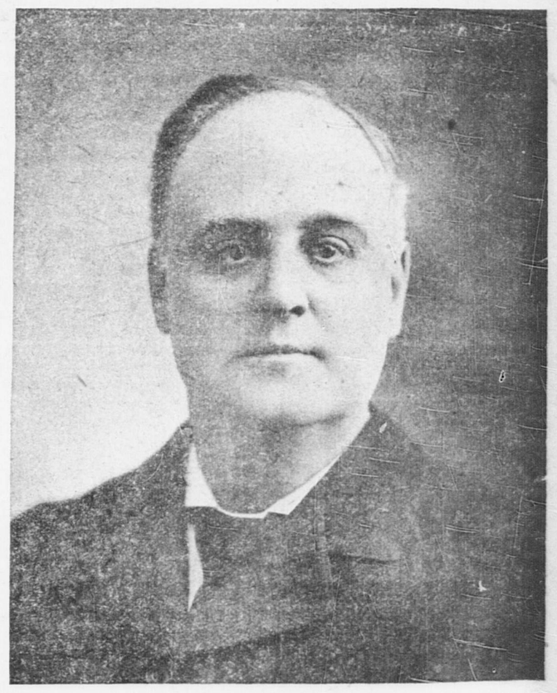
Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf



SENATOR BRACKETT.

HIS LAST HOPE.

Exceptions Soon to be Heard in the Betts Case.

The Herald says the case of Fred E. Betts, who is now under sentence of seven years at the jail at Dedham on the charge of using the mails in a scheme to defraud, will come up on exceptions before the circuit court of appeals next week, or immediately after the Curley case has been disposed of,

Betts is now out on bail, pending final disposition of the case. It is expected that the decision of the court of appeals will be made known within a month of the hearing of the case, and if it is unfavorable to the defendant, sentence will be reaffirmed as first prescribed.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple,	$8.00
Dry Pine Wood,	7.00
Dry Pine Slabs,	6.00
Green Hard Wood,	7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.

THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,

Yard between Miller and West Streets.

Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.

Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

Democrats to be Active.

The Democratic City Committee of 1904 met on Monday evening at Wilson's hall for organization, which was affected as follows:

Chairman,—T. J. Carey.
Vice Chairman,—J. J. Reardon.
Secretary,—Walter B. Wilson.
Treasurer,—James Collins.

Vigorous speeches were made by several of the gentlemen present, and it is evident that the Democratic party intend to be more active all along the line. A President and Congressman will be elected this year.

The moon will not rise tonight until 9 o'clock.

FULL BASKET

$1.00

FULL BASKET.

$2.00

orth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.

9 DAYS' SALE

JANUARY 1--9.

Quarts Potatoes,	.01
lbs. Sugar,	.01
n Tomatoes,	.01
0 Parlor Matches,	.01
Clothes Pins,	.01
g. Ginger,	.01
Nutmegs,	.01
Ammonia,	.10
Soap,	.05
3 lb. Mocha and Java Coffee,	.15
g. Pop Corn,	.10
g. Gelatine, Homestead,	.11
4 lb. Tea,	.15
g. Cocoa Shells,	.07
ag Salt,	.05
Scouring Soap,	.05
ox Blue, Sawyer's,	.04
Basket in which to carry all,	.06

$1.00

Each article shall be fresh and good and exactly as advertised.

Full Weight and Full Measure,

$2.00

Worth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.

V. E. MILLER,

CASH GROCER,

Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass.

10 cents.

LUCK

AT

PRATT'S,

Every Wednesday, 2 Packages 15 cts.

Hote Greenleaf

Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.

Dining Room Strictly First Class.

MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.

Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.

JOHNSON & BROOKS,

PROPRIETORS.

HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,

QUINCY, MASS.

Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.

Aug. 11. 6mos.

SKATES SHARPENED.

Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .

24 Granite Street,

NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.

Dec. 21. 1m

CARD.

Mrs. F. H. Hewins,

—: Formerly in the :—

Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations

METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.

Offices:

128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.

Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903. tf

W. G. CHUBBUCK,

Furniture and Piano Mover

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.

JOBBING.

Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.

1p-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

Insured for $2,000,000

L. Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, the eminent merchant of New York and Philadelphia, has taken out a policy in

The Prudential Insurance Co.

for $1,000,000, paying an annual premium of over $30,000. This makes him the most heavily insured man in the world, with the single exception of King Edward VII.

Mr. Wanamaker's total insurance is now $2,000,000.

Ask yourself WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed one-half this great amount with The Prudential.

Your business judgment will at once reply: "Because after full investigation and comparison, Mr. Wanamaker found that the company which could give him the best insurance for a given amount of money was The Prudential."

Undoubtedly you will agree that Mr. Wanamaker does not pay over $30,000 per year except for most excellent reasons.

These reasons apply to YOU precisely as well as they do to HIM.

Better apply TODAY for information regarding Prudential policies to

FRANK CHESTER MANN,

General Agent for Eastern Massachusetts 209 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.

HENRY O. FAIRBANKS,

Aug. 27-eod-1y Special Agent.

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

It would seem that there was in Quincy a need for greater interest in public affairs; in the conduct of the city government. We have commented upon this before, but were forcibly reminded of it this week. Representatives of the Daily Ledger have approached many prominent gentlemen of the city, and requested them to express their opinions relative to the inaugural address of Mayor Bryant. Several had not read it; others had nothing to say; some did not wish to be quoted; while others would consider it. But one gentleman was willing to talk for publication and his comments were brief.

Honest criticism of the address would undoubtedly be appreciated by the Mayor. An endorsement of his plans would encourage him to carry them out. As the Ledger has said, it was an excellent address. It was strenuous on the financial situation, as was necessary, and changes were promised which should result in benefit to the city. Probably it will not be necessary again for some years to borrow money for current expenses. The Mayor will make an effort to have the back taxes collected more promptly, and says, "I expect the balance uncollected for the years previous to 1904 will on Dec. 31 next be the smallest in the history of the city.

Drift of Opinion.

☞The fundamental problem for a well man or woman is to keep up the general health: special conditions, of course, always apply to those who lack natural vigor or have been enfeebled by disease. To keep up the general health is to keep such diseases as pneumonia, colds and coughs at a distance. But when you take every means to deacclimatize yourself by forever evading contact with the rough embraces of our wintry weather, you make the climate your worst enemy. Keep on good terms if possible, with the climate. It will pay you well.—Springfield Republican.

☞Since the Iroquois horror attention has been especially called to the fire-proofing of stage scenery, as well as to the asbestos curtains. In section 98 of chapter 419, of the acts 1892, it is provided that "all scenery, curtains and woodwork of the stage of every theatre shall be thoroughly covered, and if practicable, saturated with fire resisting material." This is the law in Massachusetts and the natural inquiry follows, are all the theaters in the State so protected? It is practicable to treat them with phosphate of ammonia or several other chemicals that produce the same results. The failure to do so caused in part the Chicago tragedy, and the failure in Boston to carry out the same precaution might be followed with similar results.—Lynn Item.

☞Evidently good discipline and good management saved the country from having to read this morning of another fire horror. All the conditions of a terrible panic would seem to have been present in the Taunton Insane Hospital, where fire broke out at midnight in the wing devoted to women, and did serious damage to the building. But although more than five hundred women patients were in the blazing structure, and though most of them had to be wakened out of a sound sleep, they were every one moved through the smoke and in the presence of the flames to places of safety and without an accident. It is said that superintendent, nurses and attendants were thoroughly self-possessed, and that the patients followed their directions without hesitation. This is the secret of the fortunate occurrence—that those whose business it was to be cool and self-controlled were cool and self-controlled. It needs little acuteness to see that here is evidence of the perfection of the ordinary, every-day routine discipline. If the hospital were not well-conducted when nothing particular is happening, there would surely have been a scene of awful horror at the fire last night.—New Bedford Standard.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

WILL RUSH TREATY

Republicans Anxious to Dispose of Canal Matter.

PRESIDENT IS SUSTAINED

His Right to Recognize Independence of New Nation Discussed by Lodge--Colombia Rejected Too Liberal Concessions

Washington, Jan. 6.—The disposition is manifest among republican senators to rush the Panama treaty through, some senators going as far as to say that it can be done in a fortnight, and should be within that time. The president's message, followed by senator Lodge's speech, signified the opening of an active and persistent fight on the part of the administration forces, which will not be relinquished till a definite result is reached.

Senator Lodge's speech attracted unusual interest as an exposition of the administration's position, and also the attitude of the majority members of the foreign relations committee. He quoted a number of authorities in support of his position that the president had not departed from beaten paths in recognizing the independent government of Panama, and he laid down the general proposition that "a revolted state may be recognized as sovereign or independent by the neutral power without departing from its attitude of neutrality." He also contended that such an act could not be construed as provoking war.

Mr. Lodge made reply to those who contended that the fact that the United States had prevented the secession of the southern states in the Civil war debars this country from recognizing any nation which has come into existence through secession as has Panama. This argument he deemed unworthy. Really under present circumstances there could now be no formation of a new nation except by secession. The right of secession as the right of revolution has nothing to do with law. He contended that it is established that a new state should be recognized whenever a new state is sufficiently established to assume international obligations and whenever recognition conforms to the dictates of prudence and good policy. He laid down as a general rule observed by the United States the fact that a de facto government is the de jure government. He contended that the recognition of any state is one to be determined entirely by the recognizing power by its inclination and judgment independent of all other considerations.

Many instances in which recognition had been purely executive were cited and the senator asserted that President Taylor had prepared to recognize the independence of Hungary before a government had been established. In reply to a question by Mr. Bacon, Mr. Lodge said he had voted for the resolution declaring that "The people of Cuba are and of right ought to be free and independent," but he said that as there was then no government in Cuba, his vote then had not been inconsistent with his present attitude. His contention was that the recognition of a government is a purely executive function. Replying to the objection that the president had gone beyond his authority in nominating a minister to Panama Mr. Lodge quoted a number of instances to show that the early presidents made nominations to other countries for which Congress has made no provision.

The senator then discussed at length the action of President Rosevelt in connection with the Panama revolt. He said that the act of congress had been an instruction to secure a canal at a certain point. No objection had been made to the Hay-Herran treaty except that too great concessions had been made to Colombia and, notwithstanding these concessions, the treaty had been summarily rejected by the Colombian congress. Colombia had from the start sought to secure more money for the canal right, Mr. Lodge asserted. Not only had there been an effort to secure more from the United States, but there also was an attempt to squeeze the Panama Canal company.

Senator Lodge quoted from one of Senator Morgan's old speeches on Panama's maltreatment at the hands of Colombia. Senator Lodge asked to have included in his remarks in the record a letter from Panama published in the New York Evening Post on Dec. 17 and dated Dec. 8. Before reading from the letter Senator Lodge said:

"The New York Evening Post has for years been full of hostility to the Republican party and to any administration which seemed to be advancing the interests of the United Steas. I am accordingly perfectly certain that this letter cannot be regarded as that of a witness biased in our favor. The letter is really an admission by the Evening Post against itself. tI is particularly worth reading because it shows on the face of things why these people of Panama were ready for revolution."

The conclusion of the speech was devoted to the political aspect of the question and in that connection he referred to the speeches made at the Democratic banquet in New York Monday night. Mr. Lodge criticised the presidential administration of Mr. Cleveland, saying that he did not think anything could be "happier for the Republicans than to have the Democrats nominate the last Democratic reform president on a policy of sustaining Colombia and opposing the United States in digging a canal at Panama."

SENSATION PROMISED

Mining Stock Brokers and Promoters Are Under Arrest

Chicago, Jan. 6.—Frank Jager and John Jager, well known throughout the United States as mining stock brokers and promoters, were arrested here on the complaint of Postoffice Inspector Ketcham, on the charge of using the mails in a scheme to defraud.

The arrests were ordered by the government officials after an inquiry had been made into the business methods of the Model Gold Mining company and the Jager Oil company, of which concerns Frank Jager is president and treasurer and John Jager is secretary. Upwards of $800,000 is involved in the case and the federal authorities declare that sensational revelations will be made when the prisoners are arraigned in court.

The brothers were taken before Commissioner Foote, where they were released on $3000 bail. The hearing of the cases was continued to Jan. 15.

According to the federal authorities more than a score of mines and oil wells are included in the lists of those fraudulently misrepresented in advertising matter sent through the mails.

Inspector Ketcham said: "The government claims that the resources and profits have been fictitiously increased and that the general expense account which should have been charged against profits has been erroneously set forth in alluring advertising matter sent through the mails for the purpose of making a good showing for the company. We charge that sales of stock on the strength of this advertising matter have been made entirely under false pretences."

Anarchists Active In Porto Rico

San Juan, P. R., Jan. 6.—Simplico Diaz, foreman of a large cigar factory at Aguas Buenas, was murdered by Basilao Forestier, a labor leader, who was angered at his inability to foment a series of strikes of cigarmakers. Forestier glorifies in the crime and said it was his duty to remove Diaz. Literature was found in Forestier's pocket which proves to the authorities that avowed anarchists are present and active in Porto Rico.

President Assured of Support

Washington, Jan. 6.—Subsequent to the cabinet meeting Senator Platt of New York had a conference with the president. New York politics and the general political situation in the s[tate] were under consideration. Se[nator] Platt assured the president th[at] York would send to the Chic[ago con]vention a delegation enthu[siastic] him. No details of the c[onfer]ence beyond those stated, were [disclosed].

To Facilitate B[ank Clearing]

New York, Jan. [illegible] of the leading bank[s] [illegible]d an independent cle[aring] [illegible]ese institutions tran[sact] [illegible] of the banking business [of] [illegible]g corporations of the city. By [illegible]rating privately they are enabled to finis[h] much of their routine work in advance of the regular clearing house. Relations with the latter institution are otherwise unchanged.

Important Insurance Decision

Columbus, O., Jan. 6.—The supreme court has decided two cases involving the suicide clause in life insurance policies, holding that such restrictions are void. Judgment is given against two companies in a case where the insured committed suicide within two months after taking out the policies.

Home Rule Fight Still On

Waterford, Ireland, Jan. 6.—John Redmond, addressing his constituents here last night, said that when parliament reassembled the Irish party would continue to demand home rule, the desire for which, he declared, had not been suppressed by the passage of the land purchase act.

Work For Forty Thousand

Pittsburg, Jan. 6.—During the past two weeks over 40,000 wage-earners, who have been idle for months, have been furnished employment by the resumption of mills in the Pittsburg district. It is said that the demand for iron and steel products is increasing.

Editor Sent to Prison

Berlin, Jan. 6.—Herr Zietsch, editor of a Socialist paper at Charlottenburg, has been sentenced to three months' imprisonment for insulting Emperor William by saying his only function of state was to receive $10,000 for each time he signed a law.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Signor Blancheri has been appointed the Italian representative on The Hague arbitration tribunal, to succeed the late Premier Zanardelli.

Brigadier General James Miller, retired, has been detailed to duty with the organized militia of the state of New Hampshire.

Albert J. Lowd, who had been treasurer and collector for Salem, Mass., for 25 years, died from a stroke of paralysis, aged 64.

A number of measures were adopted at the meeting of the executive committee of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Vermont with a view of instituting a vigorous campaign against license. It was decided not to join with the Anti-Saloon league.

S. F. Nixon was paid the unprecendented honor of a sixth successive term as speaker of the New York assembly by a caucus of Republican assemblymen-elect.

The extensive toothpick mills at Dixfield, Me., built by the late Charles Forster, inventor of the modern machine-made toothpicks, were completely destroyed by fire, with a loss estimated at $30,000.

CITY BREVITIES.

Continued cold.

Fair and warmer.

The mercury was below zero again this morning.

The General Court convenes at the State House today.

The lumber for the new freight house at South Quincy has arrived.

Fortunate is the household where the plumbing has escaped the freeze.

Mrs. R. J. Teasdale and Miss Winnifred Hart have returned from a week's trip to New York.

Ira Doble, who has been at home during the holidays, has returned to the U. of P. college.

A. A. Gillis of Hill street, West Quincy, was treated at the Emergency Hospital, Boston, on Tuesday for a frozen ear.

The games of basket ball at the Coliseum Thursday evening will be between the Quincys and Bowdoin A. A., and the Quincy Jrs. and Riversides.

Last British Lottery.

I have in my possession, writes a contributor, a notice bearing date Oct. 17, 1826, inviting persons to take part in the last state lottery which was held in this country, says a writer in the London Chronicle. This invitation is a very elaborate affair. It is printed in green and yellow. At the top are the royal arms, while below, in the center of the paper, is the announcement: "Positive! By order of the lords of his majesty's treasury, on Wednesday next, 18th October, lotteries close forever in this kingdom. Six prizes of £30,000 will be distributed on that day as the parting gifts of Fortune." The advertisement concludes with a footnote to the effect that Sivewright is selling lottery shares and tickets at 37 Cornhill, London. This man Sivewright was a well known stock and share broker of the day, who made a specialty of lottery tickets. He was very fond of attracting clients by the publication of doggerel verses, mostly of the simplest character, of which the following is a fair example:

Then gallop on gayly;
The fault is your own
If you don't get a good share
Before it's all gone.

One of Japan's Jewels.

The great attraction of Kamakura and one of the jewels of Japan is the Daibutsu, or great bronze Buddha. We approach it through a tree lined avenue and get the first and best view of it at a distance of some 200 feet. It is a sitting figure, 49 feet 7 inches high, 97 feet 2 inches in circumference. The face is 8 feet 5 inches long and from ear to ear 17 feet 9 inches wide. The eyes, which are pure gold, are nearly two feet long. The circumference of the thumb is three feet. These figures give some idea of the size, and the figure is elevated on a stone platform some twelve to fifteen feet above the person approaching it. But no description can convey an idea of the majesty of the face. It is bent gently forward as if in brooding contemplation of the infinite. It represents perfect peace—the repose of the attained Nirvana.

Peptiron Pills

(Chocolate-coated)

The new iron tonic, nerve food and digestive, contain as the name indicates, pepsin and iron which they combine with celery and other great tonics, nervines and nutrients.

Ironize the blood, build up weak, unstrung nerves, cure nervous debility.

Cure anemia, in either sex at any age.

Give color to pale cheeks, pallid lips and bloodless ears.

Create an appetite and aid digestion.

Promote sweet, restful, natural sleep.

Peptiron Pills

(Chocolate-coated) are prepared only by C. I. HOOD CO., proprietors Hood's Sarsaparilla, Lowell, Mass. Price 50c. or $1.

Selling Agent in Quincy:

E. J. Murphy, 1657 Hancock St.

MAIN SPRINGS

Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.

Work called for and delivered.

SANDBERG BROS.,

Faxon Block, Quincy.

Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

Sleep For Sale.

Registered Trade Mark. Copyrighted by Ostermoor & Co. N.Y.

The "Sleep that knits up the raveled sleeve of care." You can own it, can command this priceless witchery of restful sleep, if you will but own an Ostermoor patent elastic felt Mattress.

Nothing on earth you can own will give you more absolute comfort than a luxurious Ostermoor Mattress.

If you wish to travel all the way to old age without missing connection at any stage of the game you must command sleep, and you can't help sleeping if you own an Ostermoor Mattress.

Full Size, $15.00, in 2 parts, $15.50.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.

New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store,

Hancock Street, Quincy.

We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

BACK TO THE OLD STAND.

W. A. BRADFORD,

Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting.

JOBBING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

Shop and Office, under the Savings Bank Building, CITY SQUARE.

TELEPHONE 111-3.

☞ Open Monday and Saturday Evenings.

Quincy, Dec. 22. tf

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,

DRUGGIST,

1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in all parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

If You Have a House to Let Advertise It in the Ledger.

The Only Place in QUINCY

Where you can buy the Famous

WINGOLD FLOUR

Harbor Light Coffee

--AND--

Star Brand Coffee

IS AT THE

CONSOLIDATED

ADAMS BUILDING,

Headquarters for High Grade MEATS and GROCERIES.

THE BEST KNOWN—KNOWN AS THE BEST.

NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT

In 10c Packages with List of Valuable Premiums.

The Only 5c Cigar upon which a million tastes agree

Cremo

MORE THAN A MILLION SOLD A DAY.

The Band is the Smoker's Protection.

Hardware Supply Co,

1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES

Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.

Dec. 29. tf

DR CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,

DENTIST,

Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.

Office Hours: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5
Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday
Jan. 31. tf

PAINTING

and Glazing.

WARD L. HAYWARD

28 Mechanic Street.

Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

HERBERT A. HAYDEN

Piano Tuner.

Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1341 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

FRANK F. CRANE,

REAL ESTATE,

AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,

Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

LEWIS N. CURTIS,

PAINTER, GLAZIER.

LEADED STAINED GLASS.

Decorator and Paper Hanger

OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.

18 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

TELEPHONES

—FOR—

Suburban Residents

The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company offers, for a limited period, trial telephones in suburban residences of those who have never had telephone service.

Contract Department,

101 Milk Street.

Telephone, Main 6028.
Boston, Oct. 21. tf

Reyes Will Accept Presidency

Washington, Jan. 6.—Although he declared that under no circumstances would he be a candidate for the presidency of Colombia, General Reyes does not feel that he can decline to serve, now that he has been selected. The general's preferences are for the army, but now that he has been chosen he will accept the candidacy. The selection is thought to be equivalent to an election.

Retrenchment In Hawaii

Honolulu, Jan. 6.—Governor Carter and the heads of departments have decided to run the territorial administration during 1904 on about one-half of what the legislature appropriated for salaries and current expenses, in order to get the treasury out of debt. It is calculated that with the 50 percent cut the territory will still be in debt about $250,000 at the end of the year.

Children Not Well Cared For

Albany, Jan. 6.—The legislature will order the removal of Randalls island house of refuge to a plot of land to be selected outside of the limits of New York city. Senator Malby says that he has made a personal investigation of the refuge and has found the conditions bad, the children not getting enough to eat.

Anarchists Tackled Powder

Paris, Jan. 6.—A dispatch from Lorient, the French war port on the south coast of Brittany, says that a band of 40 anarchists attacked a government powder magazine at Mentec, but without much damage. The government has taken measures to effectively guard all the magazines in the neighborhood.

Passed Common Stock Dividend

New York, Jan. 6.—The dividend on United States steel common was passed at the quarterly meeting of the directors, but the regular 1 3-4 percent was declared on the preferred stock. At the previous quarterly meeting, the common dividend was cut from 4 to a 2 percent basis.

The Unfortunate Moccasin

Norfolk, Jan. 6.—Submarine boat Moccasin, which was floated, has been blown hard ashore again and is now as fast on the beach as she was before the wrecker succeeded in getting her off. It will require another siege of hard work and some high tides to float her.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Thursday, Jan. 7.
Sun rises—7:14; sets—4:27.
Moon sets—10:10 p. m.
High water—2:15 a. m.; 2:30 p. m.

The weather east of the Mississippi continues unseasonably cold. The temperatures in eastern New York were, in some cases, lower than have been recorded since the beginning of weather bureau observations. The weather will moderate in New England. It will be fair.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that ca nnot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

PICTURES

FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.

Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.

H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

TO GUARD LEGATION

Detachment of American Marines at Seoul

SITUATION MORE SERIOUS

Russian Troops Said to Have Been Sent to Corea--Japan Objects to the Neutral Zone Proposition of Russia

Seoul, Corea, Jan. 6.—A detachment of 35 marines from the United States steamer Vicksburg, now lying at Chemulpo, arrived here yesterday as a guard for the American legation. Another body of 70 marines will arrive tomorrow. The United States supply ship Zafiro is also at Chemulpo, where Russia, Japan, and Great Britain have each one man-of-war.

Quiet prevails here, but the palace is heavily guarded by the Corean army.

The movements of the Japanese troops and fleet are unknown here. The attitude of the Corean government is uncharged. Solicitude is shown as to what may happen on the arrival of Japanese troops.

Instructed to Remain Neutral

Paris, Jan. 6.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Paris edition of the New York Herald says he is authorized to state that Admiral Evans has been instructed not to allow the movements of his warships to be such as to encourage the construction that the United States is supporting Japan. The correspondent says that the action of the Washington government is sincerely appreciated, the conviction in high quarters being that Japan, if unsupported, will not declare war.

To "Protect Russian Interests"

St. Petersburg, Jan. 6.—A semi-official dispatch from Vladivostock and private information from Mukden state that, owing to disturbances between the Coreans and the Japanese in Corea, the Russian second rifle regiment, at its full strength, has been dispatched to Corea in order to protect Russian interests there.

Drifting to Danger Point

London, Jan. 6.—"Nobody will suspect the captain of an American man-of-war of being a scheming alarmist," says The Standard editorially this morning.

This sentence expresses the view taken by the press of Great Britain of the grave condition of things in the far east as revealed by the fact that the United States government finds it necessary to send marines to Seoul for the protection of American interests. While it is still hoped that a peaceful issue may be found, this action of the United States is held to indicate that the view of the situation taken at Washington is that the crisis is drifting rapidly to the danger point. The action of the United States government is generally approved.

The Morning Post says editorially: "The landing of American marines proves that the United States is not watching the far eastern imbroglio without intelligent interest. We hope they will be accompanied by British marines."

Where the Hitch Comes

Paris, Jan. 6.—It has developed that the greatest difference between Russia and Japan arises from the proposal made by Russia that a neutral zone shall be established extending from Ping Yang, in Corea, on the south, to the Russian frontier on the north. The Russian government has expressed a willingness to recognize the preponderating influence of Japan in the remainder of Corea and the two powers are agreed respecting the principle of the integrity of China and of Korea. Japan, however, saw no reason why the proposed neutral zone should be established, holding that the entire peninsula should be subject to her preponderating influence.

The attitude of Russia is believed to be due to the fact that if Japan controls Corea she will thereby be able to more easily manace Port Arthur as well as Vladivostock.

Wiju Negotiations Held Up

Washington, Jan. 6.—All the advices of recent date received by the state department from its own agents regarding the situation in the far east have been of a reassuring character. The present situation, however, has hopelessly complicated for a time the efforts of United States Minister Allen to successfully press on the Corean government the demand for the opening of Wiju as a treaty port. Already in a disorganized state, the Corean government has been thrown into further disorder by the death of the dowager empress, who is said here to have been a political factor of great influence in the country. It is therefore feared that it may be necessary to await the outcome of the present controversy between Russia and Japan before proceeding with the negotiations as to Wiju.

Britishers at Corean Capital

St. Petersburg, Jan. 6.—A telegram from Port Arthur reports the arrival of the British cruiser Sirius at Chemulpo. The telegram says it is believed that the Sirius will land a detachment of marines, who will proceed to Seoul.

Russia Buying Beef

Denver, Jan. 6.—A provision and packing company of this city announces that a contract has been concluded with representatives of the Russian government for 700,000 pounds of mess beef.

OBSTINATE "CUPID"

Congressman Got Into Squabble and Spent Night In a Cell

Washington, Jan. 6.—Jonah K. Kalanianaole (Prince Cupid), the Hawaiian delegate in congress, appeared in police court here on the charge of disorderly conduct, for which he was arrested Monday night, and his case was continued until Thursday. He had an altercation with Charles Clarke over a personal matter and when the police interfered stated that he stood on his rights as a member of congress and was immune from arrest.

He and Clarke were taken into custody and when advised at the police station to leave collateral or send for his friends he declined, on the ground that he was not subject to arrest. He spent the night in a cell and was taken in the "black maria" to court, where he was given the usual prison fare of coffee and sandwiches. Efforts were again made to have him send for his friends to arrange the matter, but he insisted on a trial, and the case was continued.

Buried In Postal Committee

Washington, Jan. 6.—In the house yesterday the privileged resolution proposed by Mr. Hay (Va.) providing for an investigation of certain statements in the Bristow postoffice report reflecting on the membership of the house was referred to the committee on postoffice and post roads. Eight Republicans voted with the minority on Hay's motion to order the previous question, which was lost, and three Republicans voted with the Democratic minority against the motion to refer.

The president's message relative to Panama and the canal was read in the house.

Uncle Joe Was "Taken In"

Washington, Jan. 6.—In transmitting payment by check to a publishing house for 60 volumes of an American historical work, Speaker Cannon made this endorsment on the back of the check: "This check is in full payment, both legal and moral, for 60 volumes of books called for in the contract with the payee ("——"). The books are not worth a damn and are high at that. 'We are never too old to learn,' but the way your gentlemanly agent came it over your 'Uncle Joseph' is worth the check."

Crew Had Narrow Escape

Digby, N. S., Jan. 6.—The American schooner S. P. Hitchcock is ashore at Cullonden cove and is a total loss. The Hitchcock was loaded with plaster from Windsor for Philadelphia. She became badly iced and unmanageable during very severe weather in the Bay of Fundy, and the crew was frostbitten. Captain Alcorn let go both anchors, but the vessel dragged ashore. Officers and crew saved their lives with great difficulty.

Flag Poles.

With proper care a flag pole ought to last a great many years in spite of the incessant exposure to the elements. Of course the best preservative of wood is paint, and a man who has a flagstaff which has cost him a good sum of money should see that it is painted at least once every twelve months. Flag poles generally rot at the bottom first and then have to be taken down to prevent them from falling of their own weight.

Her Cultivated Taste.

"How is your daughter getting on with her music?"

"Very well," answered Mr. Cumrox. "She has got along so far that when I ask her to play anything I like she looks haughty and says, 'The idea!'"—Washington Star.

The Minister.

First Scot—What sort of meenister hae ye goten, Geordie?

Second Scot—We seldom get a glint o' him. Six days o' th' week he's envees'ble, and on the seventh he's incomprehens'ble.—London Mail.

Saving Himself Trouble.

She—I saw you, sir, with that horrid widow, and I shall send back your presents at once.

He—Don't send them to me—send them to the widow.—Town Topics.

THIN PEOPLE

want to get fat and fat people want to get thin—human nature. If you are fat don't take Scott's Emulsion. It will make you gain flesh. If you are thin Scott's Emulsion is just what you need.

It is one of the greatest flesh producers known. Not temporary gains but healthy, solid flesh that will fill out the body where it is needed.

There's nothing better than Scott's Emulsion for weakness and wasting.

Scott's Emulsion is a food-medicine; not a stimulant; not a mere "extract" or so-called "wine" of cod liver oil. It contains the whole oil perfectly emulsified, which is the only way of preserving its valuable properties.

We'll send you a sample free upon request.
SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York.

MERCURY IS RISING

Severe Cold Wave Is Bidding Adieu to New England

Boston, Jan. 6.—The crest of the cold wave which has held New England firmly in its clutch since Sunday last has passed off and the cold is much less severe.

While colder weather has been experienced in New England and only a few daily records were broken, the cold was, nevertheless, more intense than has been felt in New England for several years. Fortunately the storm of Saturday passed off so quickly that it left no resultant winds, so that the cold was not severely felt. Records all the way from 3 to 45 degrees below were made in various parts of New England, Vermont, as usual, leading.

While warmer weather is predicted, the local weather bureau states that there is no severe disturbance in sight and it is not likely that any more snow will fall for some days.

Killed Woman He Loved

Boston, Jan. 6.—Disappointed because the woman with whom he was in love had decided not to encourage his attentions any further, Ray C. Johnson of Burlington, Vt., aged 21, was arrested early this morning, a self-confessed murderer. In a fit of anger Johnson fired four shots from a 38-calibre revolver at Mrs. Sadie Peters, a waitress, causing her instant death. Johnson made no attempt to escape and when the police entered the room where the tragedy occurred they found the young man sitting with his face in his hands and repeating incessantly: "I've done it, I've done it." Mrs. Peters was 24 years old, very pretty, and is said to have a husband living in Nova Scotia. She was employed as a waitress in a restaurant. She was the mother of two young children.

Bonds In Danger of Forfeit

Boston, Jan. 6.—Frederick Green and Selig Lespig, bondsmen for Charles A. Baitler and Simon Burman, members of the Glasgow Manufacturing company who are charged with smuggling and who are in default, have not yet made good the $5000 bonds which each put up. District Attorney Casey has informed them that he will give them until Jan. 15 to produce Baitler and Burman, on which date the bonds must otherwise be forfeited.

Forty-Five-Mile Street Railroad

Millbury, Mass., Jan. 6.—The Worcester and Providence Street Railway company has made a bid for its first franchise and if granted a right of way through Millbury will begin work on the line which is to run through from Worcester to Providence next season. The proposed road will be about 45 miles long.

Plumbers Kept Busy

Rutland, Vt., Jan. 6.—Tuesday was the coldest in the memory of the oldest inhabitants of this city. Thermometers registered from 40 to 44 degrees below zero. The temperature has been below zero for six days and the plumbers have been unable to keep up with the work caused by broken waterpipes.

Thread Company to Assign

Holyoke, Mass., Jan. 6.—The Holyoke Thread company has decided to make an assignment. Several attachments have been placed recently on the property of the company. It is understood that these attachments will be raised upon the agreement to assign.

Fifteen Rounds to a Draw

Boston, Jan. 6.—Marvin Hart of Louisville and George Gardner of Lowell boxed 15 rounds to a draw here last night. Over 5000 people witnessed the bout, which was one of the most scientific exhibitions seen here in recent years.

Cotton Growing Must Wait

Liverpool, Jan. 6.—At the opening of the colonial products exhibition here, the Duke of Marlborough, referring to the necessity of developing the growth of cotton in the colonies, said that owing to the depression which the country was now experiencing the government would not be able to appropriate money for the development of railways and of cotton growing on the West African coast.

Army Officer Alleged Bigamist

Minneapolis, Jan. 6.—Samuel C. Hazzard, a former officer in the United States army, has been arrested in this city for alleged bigamy. Hazzard is a graduate of West Point and served four years as instructor in the army. As a lieutenant in the army Hazzard went all over the country as inspector. He also went to Europe to inspect the armies of foreign countries.

Bunau-Varilla to Resign

Washington, Jan. 6.—Philippe Bunau-Varilla, minister from Panama and the joint signer with Secretary Hay of the Hay-Bunau-Varilla treaty, will resign his office after the exchange of ratifications of the treaty between the Washington and Panama governments. Bunau-Varilla probably will go to Paris after his resignation.

Booze Helped Secure Pardon

Washington, Jan. 6.—The president has pardoned Robert F. Ashley, who was serving a two years' sentence in Illinois for passing a counterfeit bill. He served about 18 months. The fact that Ashley was intoxicated when he committed the crime is among the extenuating circumstances which resulted in his pardon.

Hungarian Statesman Murdered

Budapest, Jan. 6.—Paul Eremits, a member of the Hungarian diet, was murdered at Nagy Kikinda by two peasants. The motive of the crime was revenge for the loss of a lawsuit brought by the father of the murderers against Eremits.

DO YOU COUGH
DON'T DELAY
TAKE KEMP'S BALSAM
THE BEST COUGH CURE

It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.

Strenuous Times

AT THE

DERBY STORE.

The Bankrupt Sale

Continues with Unabated Vigor.

Good Merchandise at *Wonderfully Low Prices* is the attraction.

Come see our MEN'S SUITS at $4.49, $5 49, $6.50, $8 and $10

BOYS' SUITS, HALF PRICE.

Men's Stiff Hats, 98c., worth $2
Winter Caps, 35c., 42c., 79c

NOW IS THE TIME FOR

OVERSHOES and RUBBERS.

Keep out the snow for less money than it takes to buy a bottle of cough medicine.

4 BUCKLE ARCTICS, $1.75 PER PAIR
MEN'S RUBBERS, 50 CENTS
BOYS' RUBBERS, 25 CENTS

Other goods for Men and Boys at ruinously low prices to close out the entire stock at

C. F. DERBY'S

OLD STAND,

Savings Bank Block,
Quincy, Mass.

DANCING.

COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.

BASKET BALL

AND DANCING

THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all former pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For further particulars apply to ELMER W BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing. Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m ipo

JAMES F. BURKE,

REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.

MORTGAGES.

Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

Don't Wait for it any Longer.
10 cents buys a package of

LUCK

AT

PRATT'S.

Every Wednesday, 2 Packages 15 cts.

Dr. Emmons'

Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively saves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 176 176 Pearl St., Boston, Mass.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Oct. 18, 1903, trains will run as follows:

(Subject to change without notice.)

TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.
r *5 19	abcdefghi	5 47	*5 50	ibgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 33	ad	7 42	8 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp.	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 42	a c	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	9 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 46	at ed	9 05	12 45	Exp.	1 02
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 58	cba	1 19 r
r 9 42	abc	10 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 0 12	ab:	10 32	1 58	cba	2 19 r
r 10 42	abc	11 02	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	at c	11 32	2 45	cba	3 06 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 45	cba	4 06 r
r 1 42	abc	2 02	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 15	dba	5 36 r
r 3 42	abc	4 02	5 26	a	5 46 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 46	ihgfdcba	6 15 r
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
6 59	Exp.	7 15	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	8 28	fedcba	8 58 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	tedcba	10 53 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32			

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 43	Exp.	9 00
9 00	Exp.	9 15	9 28	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
10 18	Exp.	10 33	10 28	teucba	10 53 r
r 10 22	abcdefghi	10 50			

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston, f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs, g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic, h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset, i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill. r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P.M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A.M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P.M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.46 6.16 6.46 7.16 9.16 11.16 P.M. SUNDAY—6.16 8.46 A.M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P.M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A.M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P.M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A.M. 1.21 5.21 7.21 9.21 P.M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P.M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A.M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P.M.

Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

Corrected to Nov. 20th, 1903.

(Subject to change without notice.)

LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6 50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brockville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 1 .00 A M. 12.00 1.00, 2.00, 3.00 3.30, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.40 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.35, 8.25, 8.40, 5.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P. M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 810 A M then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON 7.15, 7.45 A M. then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

J. T. CONWAY, Division Supt
H. E. REYNOLDS, Asst Gen. Supt.
Quincy, Mass., Nov. 20, 1903.

What It Costs

... AND ...

What It Pays

are two values of newspaper advertising that the merchant has to consider. But the most important thing is

WHAT IT PAYS.

The merchant can get space in papers of small circulation and little influence for a little less money than the same size space would cost in the DAILY LEDGER and the QUINCY PATRIOT.

DOES IT PAY

to throw away the certainty of the profitable returns which are sure to LEDGER and PATRIOT advertisers, because it costs less to advertise in a cheaper paper?

MISS SPEAR'S CLASSES,

148 Goffe Street.

Kindergarten and Day pupils received.

Music, Art, Sloyd, Basketry, Gymnastics, Shorthand and Tutoring taught by experts.

C. FOLLETT SPEAR, Directress.

Voice, Piano and Harmony. Oct. 15-3m

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE

25 years' experience

Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.

Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.

Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marten's store.

Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.

Telephone at office and residence in Medford.

FRANK W. BAILLIE, PAINTER,

Decorater, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc

Whiting and Tinting a specialty.

50 Gay Street.

Quincy, July 6. tf

ANNOUNCEMENT.

EBEN HARDY,

Manufacturing OPTICIAN . .

of 21 Bromfield street, Boston, has opene a Jewelry and Optical store at 307 Newport avenue, Wollaston, opposite the depot.

Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silver Ware, Opera, Field and Marine Glasses.

Eyes examined and Glasses fitted. Broken Lenses matched and replaced in our own factory.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired by first-class workmen. All work guaranteed.

French Clocks called for and delivered. Send postal and we will call.

EBEN HARDY,

OPTICIAN,

370 Newport Ave., Wollaston.

Dec.15—1m

WOOD! WOOD! WOOD!

OF ALL KINDS.

DRY AND GREEN

At Lowest Possible Prices.

THOS. O'BRIEN & SONS.

Yard off Miller and West Streets, West Quincy.

Jan. 7. tf

You can't buy it anywhere else.

LUCK

AT

PRATT'S,

10 cts. package.

Every Wednesday, 2 for 15 cts.

The BEST Newspaper Attracts The Best People. Try an "Ad" In the Daily Ledger.

HALL and BURGESS,

Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.

AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.

Justice of the Peace. Notary Public

Rents and bills collected.

Room 13, Adams Building.

Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

F. S. BUXTON,

TEACHER OF VIOLIN

WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.

Atlantic, Dec. 21. 1p-1y

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS

and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1596 Hancock St.
C F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

1904 JANUARY 1904						
Su.	Mo.	Tu.	We.	Th.	Fr.	Sa.
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24 31	25	26	27	28	29	30

MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon	8	0:47 a. m.	New Moon	17	10:44 a. m
Third Quarter	9	4:10 p. m.	First Quarter	25	3:41 p. m

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	4	10	42	23	39
Monday,	8	18	42	22	54
Tuesday,	11	23	40	44	59
Wednesday,	24	35	38	47	41
Thursday,	—	32	31	27	34
Friday,	—	36	37	46	29
Saturday,	—	31	18	24	28

New Advertisements Today.

Thomas O'Brien & Sons—Wood.

Wanted—Ladies and Gents.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

The plumbers are the men who are busy these days.

The new City Council will not hold a meeting until Monday, Jan. 18.

This afternoon will be fourteen minutes longer than they were Dec. 3-15.

Quite a number who ventured out in sleighs Tuesday had the pleasure of being capsized.

The John Hancock school has been closed on account of trouble with the heating apparatus.

There was not a criminal case of any kind to occupy the attention of the District court this morning.

Mrs. Lyman will install the officers of Paul Revere Woman's Relief Corps on Tuesday afternoon of next week.

Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus, has moved from French hall to the old Masonic hall in the Greenleaf block.

The political committees of 1904 will soon organize. It is presidential year, and extra caucuses will be necessary in the spring.

Jan. 4—8, the Old Farmer's Almanac says: "Signs of snow followed by cold northwest winds." And Jan. 9—11: "Quite cold weather."

The Democratic State Committee, of which William T. Shea is a member, will meet on Saturday for organization. Mr. Shea says Congressman McNary will be re-elected chairman.

MARRIED.

KORHONEN—RAJALA—In Quincy, Jan. 2, by Rev. Karl F. Henrikson, Mr. William Korhonen to Miss Santra Rajala, both of Quincy.

HARRIS—BOWLER—In Boston, Jan. 4, by Charles A. Feyhl, Esq., Mr. Edward E. Harris of Quincy to Miss Margaret Bowler of Milton.

DIED.

WRIGHT—In South Braintree, Jan. 4, Mr. Nathan E. Wright, aged 35 years, 2 months and 6 days.

PRAY—In Braintree, Jan. 4, Mr. William Pray of Middle street, aged 77 years.

ADVERTISING

IN THE

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER

BRINGS BEST RESULTS.

CLOSED FOR GOOD

Thirty-Five Percent of Chicago Theatres Need Rebuilding

THE IROQUOIS SKYLIGHTS

Proof That They Were Blocked to Prevent Their Opening--Evident Attempt to Destroy Evidence of Negligence

Chicago, Jan. 6.—The special committee composed of members of the city council, appointed to investigate the condition of the local theatres and to report upon what alterations are necessary to make them conform to the building ordinances, has held its first meeting.

According to the statement of Alderman Friestedt, one of the members of the committee, it is doubtful if 35 percent of the theatres ever open their doors. Strict adherence to the building laws would require that every one of the playhouses in the city be of fireproof construction and this would require the demolition and rebuilding of the majority of the theatres.

Attorneys of the fire department have caused the arrest of four employes of the Fuller Construction company, David Jones, a masonry foreman, and Angus McKay, Otto Rausch and John Kingston, iron workers.

Attorneys for the Fuller company took Jones, who had been sought by the police for several days, to the fire department. It had been charged that Jones and his men broke the skylights on the theatre after the fire in order to destroy possible evidence. It developed, after the arrest of Jones and his men, that the skylights were blocked by scantlings and tied with wire to prevent their opening and that neither of them had been opened since the theatre was built.

Jones, in making his statement, said: "I took the three iron workers with me up through an adjoining building and cut upon the theatre roof over the stage. First I removed the wooden scantlings which blocked the skylights. Then I found the lights tied with wire inside, and broke two panes of glass to get at the wires to untie them. I finally got the wires off and opened the lights."

Jones was asked why he went to the roof of the theatre and replied that he had been told that the north wall had been cracked in the fire and went to see if it was true. He declared he had loosened the skylights because he feared they might fall through and injure somebody on the stage.

"Why did you take three iron workers with you to inspect a brick wall?" asked Attorney Fulkerson of the fire department.

Jones was confused, but finally answered that the men went with him through curiosity. He admitted that the iron workers helped him to open the skylights and worked with him about the roof. When asked how he was going to explain to the company that employed him why he had taken three of their employes and kept them with him for practically an hour in order to satisfy his curiosity, Jones could make no satisfactory reply.

When pressed for an answer, Jones said that the men were not employes of the Fuller company, but men he had met on the street. He denied that he had used any tools in forcing open the skylights, but this statement was denied by George Mueller, who witnessed the breaking open of the skylights from an adjoining building. Mueller declared that the men carried and made use of a crowbar and a hammer. Numerous witnesses who were in adjoining buildings overlooking the theatre testified that the skylights were not open during the fire.

Life insurance companies object to the statement of the coroner that no verdict will be rendered after the inquest, claiming that large sums of money in insurance on the lives of those who perished in the theatre fire depend for their payment on the verdict of the coroner's jury. Attorneys for the relatives of those who died declare that a verdict should be given in each particular case of death in order that collection of insurance may be possible.

Teamsters Will Fight It Out

Indianapolis, Jan. 6.—"Within 10 days there will not be a cab wheel turning in the whole city of Chicago unless the Liverymen's association agrees with the demands of the drivers," said President Shea of the International Union of Teamsters. "With the expiration of the 10 days' truce we are going after the Liverymen's association and in this fight there will be no compromise. The $2 a day scale must be accepted."

Fire Drill Proved Effective

Toronto, Jan. 6.—The 500 children had just gathered in the Hamilton street public school when fire was discovered. The signal for "fire drill" was given, the teachers sprang to the head of each class and the children were marched out unharmed. The school was burned to the ground.

Many Postmasters Were "Shy"

Washington, Jan. 6.—The secretary of the treasury has transmitted to the house a statement of the accounts of postmasters who have retired from office during the year and who are short in their accounts. The total shortage amounts to $23,454 and is divided among 168 postmasters.

NEW COMMANDER.

George Wardwell Now at Head of Spanish War Veterans.

The new officers of Camp John A. Boyd, Legion of the Spanish War Veterans, were installed Tuesday evening at Grand Army hall in the presence of a large gathering. The installing officer was Assistant Inspector General Frank P. Pierce, who was assisted by Harry J. Mathews as mustering officer.

After the installation the mess call sounded and a bountiful collation was served. Remarks were made by Commander Wardwell; George E. Adams, the retiring Commander; Assistant Inspector General Frank P. Pierce, and others.

There were also songs and recitations by John V. Mead and Joseph Doherty. The new officers are:

Commander, George E. Wardwell.
Senior vice-commander, David Smith.
Junior vice-commander, Thomas Brown.
Adjutant, George F. Phillips.
Paymaster, Michael Gunderson.
Quartermaster, John Fitzgerald.
Officer of day, John R. McGrath.
Officer of guard, John Meade.
Officer of watch, Harry J. Matthews.
Delegates to convention, George E. Adams and George F. Phillips.

OBSOLETE TERMS.

Some Big Words That Have Been Consigned to Oblivion.

The number of obsolete words that are to be found in a complete dictionary of the English language is considerably larger than the people have any idea of. The following letter, written by an alleged poet to an editor who had treated his poetry with derision, furnishes some idea of them:

"Sir—You have behaved like an impetiginous scrogle—like those who, envious of any moral celsitude, carry their unglicity to the height of creating sympsically the fecund words which my polymathic genius uses with uberity to abligate the tongues of the weetless! Sir, you have crassly parodied my own pet words, though they were trangrams!

"I will not coascervate reproaches. I will oduce a veil over the atramental ingratitude which has chamfered even my indiscerptible heart. I am silent on the focillation which my coadjuvancy must have given when I offered to become your fantor and adminicle. I will not speak of the lippitude, the oblepsy you have shown in exacerbating me, one whose genius you should have approached with mental discalceation. So I tell you, without supervacaneous words, nothing will render ignoscible your conduct to me.

"I warn you that I would vellicate your nose if I thought that any moral diarthrosis thereby could be performed—if I thought I should not impignorate my reputation. Go, tachygraphic scrogle, hand with your crass, inquinate fantors! Draw oblectations from the thought if you can of having synchronically lost the existimation of the greatest poet since Milton."

And yet all these words are to be found in the dictionary.—Tit-Bits.

The Bridal Veil.

The origin of the bridal veil is a disputed question that will probably never be settled. Some see in it nothing more than a milliner's substitute for the usual flowing tresses which half concealed and half revealed a bride's beauty as she knelt at the altar. This opinion is countenanced by the fact that Elizabeth Stuart was not thought to require an artificial veil, as nature had given her an affluence of hair.

Others see its origin in the veil of the Hebrews' marriage ceremony or the yellow "flammeum" of old Roman brides.

A third source is the old "care cloth" of the Anglo-Saxons, a square vestment held over both bride and bridegroom till they received the nuptial benediction. So runs the use of the church of Sarum and the Hereford missal.

Lastly, it has been held to be merely an amplification of the coif which mediæval brides wore between the garland and their hair. Margaret Tudor wore this under her coronet on her marriage to the king of Scotland.

Evolution of the Bed.

Bedstead originally meant "the bed place." The truckle bed was the first advance on the bench, and then the tester suspended from the roof. Then came in the Arabian bed—a name perhaps derived from the crusades. The four poster came from Austria in the fifteenth century. The late Queen Victoria always carried her bedstead about with her, and so did the nobles in the middle ages. The coverlid or counterpoint, whence comes counterpane, was often splendidly embroidered. Yet the beds at this time were often only sacks of straw. Feather beds came from France in the fourteenth century, but straw was in general use long after. Blankets of wool were not introduced by Blanket of Bristol, who made them, for the word, in the sense of a coarse woolen fabric, existed before.

Very Absentminded.

The celebrated German historian Theodor Mommsen was the most absentminded of men. Once while going from Berlin to Charlottenburg, a half hour's journey, the trolley car in which he rode went off the track. The rest of the passengers took another car and went ahead, and the stranded vehicle was abandoned till help could be found. Mommsen remained reading his book. An hour or two later the sound of jacks, levers, derricks, etc., aroused him. Rising from his seat, he went to the door and, with the most complete unconcern imaginable, remarked, "I suppose we have come to a standstill!"

STORY OF A CRITICISM

[Original.]

"Great Scott! Who would have thought it? Helen Young an author! Well, I am in a pickle!"

So spoke Leslie Reid, tossing a note on his desk and leaning back disconsolately in his revolving chair. This was the letter:

My Dear Mr. Reid—You will be surprised to learn that I am the author of the story "The Veil Lifted," which you have dismissed with such a contemptuous notice in your paper. Wishing to get your unbiased opinion of my work, I said nothing to you about it, confident that your ignorance of the name under which it is published would insure an honest criticism. Far be it from me to find fault with you for that criticism. We who lay traps to learn the truth as to what our friends say of us and our works must not grumble at our success. Sincerely,

HELEN YOUNG.

"One who knows nothing about the inconsistencies of the sex," mused Reid, "would suppose this merely a woman's thanks for an ingenuous criticism. I know better. No woman is going to spend months or perhaps years on a cherished labor and have it knocked in the head with impunity, and if I know Helen Young this is the feather that breaks the camel's back. I have had uphill work against Bartlett anyway, and this episode will tip the scale in his favor."

Reid was right in his interpretation of the letter he had received. In proportion to her predisposition to him and her respect for his literary opinion was her wrath at his criticism. She deceived herself by the illusion that after all she preferred his rival and did not admit to herself that she would have a delicious revenge upon Reid when she permitted Bartlett to announce his engagement with her. This permission, given in an equivocal way, was taken advantage of immediately, and the announcement came to Reid's ears.

"They say," Reid muttered, "'O that mine enemy would write a book!' Better write the book yourself and have your enemy criticise it."

This sudden engagement so soon after the fatal criticism somewhat altered Mr. Reid's opinion of the best way to handle the matter. He had some doubts as to the engagement being bona fide, and it led him to act upon the adage, "All's fair in love and in war." He did not follow up his note to Miss Young by calling upon her and did not see her for several weeks. He then met her at the house of a friend. He bowed to her, assuming indifference. She smiled upon him—well, one cannot say graciously. Her smile was rather one of triumph.

"Oh, Mr. Reid," she said, "I'm so glad to meet you! Come, let us have a talk." And she led him away from the others. "Now, I want you to tell me why my book was so bad."

"I criticised your book," he replied, with dignity, "not you. I have no fault to find with you. Let us turn to a more pleasant subject."

"Not at all. I am entitled as an old friend to the benefit of your counsel and advice. They will aid me in my future work."

"Very well. Since you insist upon it I must say that your style is faulty and gives the impression that the work was done under different moods."

There was a flash in the girl's eye, a mounting of color to her cheek.

"Then you handled your love parts badly and disappointed your readers by making your hero marry a popinjay when the rival was, though commonplace, a fairly good fellow."

"Thank you," said Miss Young, biting her lips.

"Your man Mackinson"—

"Mackinson! Who's Mackinson? What are you talking about?"

"Your hero. You have made his feats as impossible as himself. Then your Lucy Tanglefield's career is as tangled as her name. So far as"—

"Will you please tell me who all these people are? I never heard of them."

"Your characters. As I was saying"—

"Will you stop? My characters are not Mackinson and Lucy Tanglewood or any such people."

"Are not they the characters of 'The Veil Lifted?'"

"They are not."

"Then," said Reid, "I must have been laboring under a mistake and got your book mixed with another. You see, we have so many to read that it often leads to serious mistakes. Mention some incident, some name, in your story by which I may recognize it."

"The hero's name is Adair, the heroine's"—

"Claudia Grammont! Do you mean to tell me you wrote that book? The style is perfect, the plot remarkable. In parts there is evidence of positive genius."

Miss Young's eyes were lighted. Her cheeks were glowing with a different motive from that of a moment ago. She was quite sure she had not made a mistake, after all, and that Reid was her choice. The meeting was interrupted by the hostess, and the two separated without further explanations, which were not necessary. Miss Young sent for Mr. Bartlett and rated him soundly for his premature announcement, and a few evenings later she accepted her critic, whom she admired all the more for his independence.

A dozen years had passed (Mrs. Reid was kept too busy with her five children to think of dabbling in literature) before her husband confessed that he had deliberately pretended to mix her novel with another. To his confession she replied carelessly:

"I certainly proved a better author than you a critic."

Reid winced. "The Veil Lifted" was one of the most successful books of its time. F. A. MITCHEL.

FROST BITTEN.

Chief Williams Suffering from Loyalty to His Department.

Chief Engineer Williams is confined to his home suffering from the effects

of being frost bitten at the fire at Norfolk Downs on Monday morning.

VORACIOUS CANARIES.

Appetite of a Bird Much Greater Than Average Man's.

When an old fashioned hostess urges her guests to eat, after the conventional manner of showing hospitality and remarks, "Why, you haven't the appetite of a bird," she really speaks the truth, though she does not intend to.

The average man, if he had a bird's appetite, would devour from thirty to thirty-one pounds of food a day, which would be a tax on the larder of his hostess.

Recent experiments have proved that the average bird manages to eat about one-fifth of his own weight daily with ease, if he can get so much food, and in a wild state, though the bird has to hunt for his daily provender, he is eating a large part of the time during the day and manages to get his full rations.

The smaller the bird the more voracious seems to be its appetite and its power of absorption.

A German scientist recently kept a canary under observation for a month. The little creature weighed only sixteen grams, but in the course of the month it managed to eat 512 grams weight of food—that is, about thirty-two times its own weight. The bird must therefore have eaten its own weight in food every day.

An ordinary man with a canary's appetite would consume 150 pounds of food a day.

But the canary is an extreme case. The ordinary bird, in good health, will be satisfied with one-fifth of its weight a day by way of food.—Answers.

A Reliable Remedy,

proved by thousands of sufferers to be unequaled for dispelling disorders of the stomach and liver, is

Beecham's Pills

Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c. and 25c.

TO LET

IN QUINCY, MASS.,

By H. H. FAXON.

Houses, Stores, Halls, Rooms, Offices, Stables, Land, Wharves, etc.

The Buildings are in Complete Repair.

HALL with ante-rooms and city water, No. 1355 Hancock street, opposite Post Office, and on the public Square.

HALF OF SLATED ROOF HOUSE at No. 6 Chester street, Wollaston.

4 TENEMENTS, 3 to 4 rooms each, No. 18 East Howard street. $8 to $9 per month.

COTTAGE HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 63 Field street.

HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 17 Kidder street.

HALF HOUSE, corner Howard street and Howard avenue.

HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 19 Kidder street.

HALF HOUSE, 6 rooms, city water, hennery, good yard, No. 59 Pond street, now occupied by James F. Mullin.

HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 15 Brackett street.

For particulars, apply to

HENRY H. FAXON,

Quincy, Mass.

Quincy, Dec. 8, 1903. 1m

The Quincy Ledger

FOR SALE AT THE

South Terminal Station News Stand

After 3.35 P.M.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED, LADIES AND GENTS—We pay $12 per 1,000 cash, copying at home; everything furnished; send stamp. Monarch Supply Co., Station 3, Worcester, Mass. Jan. 6-5t

WANTED—By mother and daughter in Wollaston or Wollaston Park, two rooms (one or both unfurnished) with board. References exchanged. Address Lock Box No. 2, Wollaston, Mass. Dec. 29-3t

EXPERIENCED HOUSEKEEPER wishes position as housekeeper in widower's small family, or care of invalid, best of references. Address MRS. S. E. HALL, Post Office, Wollaston, Mass. Oct. 20-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A Variety Store. Good Location. Apply 305 Water street, South Quincy. Dec. 31-6t

TO LET.

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30. 1p-tf

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 103-2. Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—48 Revere road, large front room, $3.00 per week; one medium size and one smaller room, $2.25 and $1.50 per week. Large bath room, all nicely furnished and heated. Quincy, Dec. 23-12t

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point recently occupied by L. C. Emmons & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 35 Greenleaf street. Oct. 8-tf

FOR SALE — OR — TO LET.

HOUSE, Parker street, in good repair. Here is a good chance for some one to get rent free, and also good investment on money, as one flat is well rented.

HALL & BURGESS,
Room 13, Adams Building
Quincy, Dec. 28. tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with use of at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24. tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,

Music Hall Block, QUINCY

JOHN STREIFERD & SON, FLORISTS.

Telephone 13-7 Braintree.

Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plants. Floral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.

Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. 1an26-1y

JOB PRINTING

AT THE

PATRIOT OFFICE

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 6. QUINCY, MASS., THURSDAY, JANUARY 7, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

Bad Condition of Affairs at Chicago's Ill Fated Theatre.

Bates and Guild Inaugurated for Second Term.

ALL GOODS WILL BE DELIVERED FREE AT RESIDENCES IN QUINCY.

John H. Pray & Sons Co.

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF

FLOOR COVERINGS

Assortment — COMPLETE
Prices — — — RIGHT
Work — — — PROMPT

It is generally known that we are ***Distributors of Floor Coverings*** of every description, and we desire it to be equally well known that we have all grades of ***Upholstery Fabrics, Lace Curtains, Furniture Coverings, etc.***

The advice of an interior decorator is at your service, if desired. Goods displayed either in our show-room or at residences. Estimates furnished for covering single pieces of furniture or for completely decorating either a single room or an entire house.

For eighty-six years, under the same firm name, we have distributed to the public, to our neighbors, to our friends, Carpets and Rugs, and until we added Interior Decorations and Upholstery Fabrics our sole and entire business has been Floor Coverings.

Does not this record make for intelligent confidence on your part?

Pray Building, Washington St., opposite Boylston St. BOSTON

Represented in Quincy by Mr. Otho A. Hayward: in Wollaston by Mr. W. J. Wellington

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in all parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

— OUR —

Capitol Shoe

FOR BOYS.

Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.

Sizes 12 to 2 $1.75
Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2.00

The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.

Every Pair Warranted.

GEORGE W. JONES,

Adams Building, - QUINCY.

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,
DRUGGIST,
1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

NO INSTRUCTIONS

Iroquois Employes Did Not Know How to Fight Fir(

ELEVEN EXITS BLOCKED

Bars and Bolts Prevented Panic-Stricken Audience From Escaping-- Terrible Condition of Affairs Revealed at Hearing

Chicago, Jan. 7.—By their own evidence given before Munroe Fulkerson, who is conducting the fire department investigation into the Iroquois theatre horror, the proprietors of the theatre showed that a worse condition of affairs existed than had heretofore been thought possible.

W. J. Davis, H. J. Powers and T. J. Noonan, active managers of the Iroquois theatre, were examined by Fulkerson. All of them pleaded ignorance of any precautions taken to prevent loss of life by fire at their theatre.

They admitted failure to instruct employes in fighting fire and failure even to provide suitable appliances for use against flames. Their statements were corroborated by the testimony of 20 employes of the theatre, none of whom had ever been told his duty in case of fire.

Noonan, who is the working manager of the theatre under direction of Davis and Powers, admitted that 11 of the theatre exits were locked and bolted. Two of these exits, leading to the front of the theatre, on the ground floor, were locked, three additional exits on the north side of the ground floor were bolted, three exits on the north side of the theatre from the first balcony were bolted and three exits on the north side of the second balcony were bolted.

The greatest losses of life from the fire was in the first and second balconies, where hundreds of people were suffocated through inability to get out or were trampled to death while trying to do so. Had these three exits in each balcony been available, according to Inspector Fulkerson, the loss of life must have been greatly diminished.

Noonan declared that no person had been named by the theatre management to superintend the operation of the ventilators of the theatre in case of fire, and that in consequence the flames had been permitted to sweep the place instead of seeking a natural outlet through the stage roof. It was said by Noonan that G. E. Dusenberry, the head usher, Archibald Bernard, chief electrician, and the theatre engineer know how to operate the ventilators.

It was proven by the evidence of these men, however, that two of them never went upon the stage and that the other had never been told to assume charge of the ventilators in case of fire. Dusenberry declared that his duty as usher kept him in the front of the house. The engineer was always below the stage, attending to his engine, and Bernard, the only one of the three knowing how to operate the ventilators, who was ever upon the stage during a performance, testified that he had never been told to assume charge of them.

From figures obtained from Noonan it became evident that almost one in three of the people who attended the matinee lost their lives, the percentage being a trifle over 31 percent. The theatre seated 1606 people and in addition to these 236 had been admitted after all seats were sold, making a total of 1842 people in the theatre, of whom 591 were killed.

Manager Noonan declared that the two balconies, including seats and people standing, held 889 persons. Only three persons were killed on the first floor. This would make, according to Noonan's statement, 558 deaths out of 889 people in the two balconies.

W. J. Davis testified that he had given no orders to place a fire alarm box in the theatre, that he had given no direction to place a pump upon the stage beyond the fact that any apparatus the firemen wanted should be provided as soon as possible. He declared that he could not say as to whether the building had been finally accepted from the Fuller company or not. He admitted that he never gave any instructions to anybody as to what should be done in case of fire. He had no knowledge as to whether the theatre had received a final certificate of inspection from the building department of the city before opening or not. Powers gave evidence substantially the same as that of Davis.

Noonan declared that Bernard, the electrician, was depended upon to operate the skylights and ventilators. Bernard, who followed Noonan in giving evidence, said that he had never been told to look after either the skylights or ventilators and that his post was at the switchboard, where he had several hundred lights to manage. The stage ventilator, which would have saved many lives had it been opened, was controlled, he declared, from the side of the stage opposite his post of duty.

Fifteen other witnesses who had worked on the stage declared that they had never received any orders from the management as to what they should do in case of fire. There was never a fire drill in the theatre and none of the stage hands was ever informed as to the location or use of fire appliances or the operation of the ventilators over the auditorium and stage.

That the employes in the front of the house were thrown into a panic by the fire was shown by the testimony of all the stage hands examined.

AT THEATRE FIRE.

How Albert R. Shedd Escaped—Witnessed Terrible Scenes.

Albert R. Shedd, New England Inspector of Machinery for the government, arrived home from Chicago on Wednesday, his train being eleven hours late.

Mr. Shedd was in Chicago during all the horrible scenes attending the Iroquois theatre fire, and was one of the 2,000 persons in attendance at that theatre on the fatal Wednesday afternoon.

In telling of the fire, Mr. Shedd said: With a friend we occupied seats in the second row back from the orchestra. It was during the second act that he heard a snap that resembled the noise made by the breaking of an electric circuit. Looking up, almost over his head, he saw that part of the scenery was burning, and that there were two men at work trying to beat out the fire with their hands.

The thought never entered his mind that anything of a serious nature was the matter, but as the sparks were dropping upon him and he noticed that some were getting uneasy, he and his friend went under the rail, separating the orchestra from the seats, and thence beneath the stage.

Once beneath the stage he did not know which way to turn, and even then thought that nothing was wrong. Suddenly the members of the orchestra came down on the run and made for the exit. He and his friend followed and were soon in the alley at the side of the theatre.

Fifteen minutes later it was all over. He says he then entered the theatre by the main entrance and went in quite a distance. The smoke, however, was so thick he could not see much, but stooping down he could see bodies lying about, and the sight was so sickening he turned about just as the firemen and police began to clear the theatre.

Then followed scenes which words cannot describe. Body after body was brought out. These were piled up in the street in the same manner that railroad sleepers are piled, until they were as high as his head.

Any body that showed signs of life was taken to the Hospital, but those who were dead were pilled up. Later each body was rolled up in a blanket and they were then loaded onto drags in the same manner and carried away.

Since the fire, Chicago seems to be in a trance. No one has the heart to attempt business, and some places have not opened at all. There was scarcely a person who directly or indirectly did not have some relative or personal friends who were lost.

Mr. Shedd personally knew many who lost their lives. Dozens of funerals have been held every day and it was impossible to obtain flowers.

He did not think there would be any great financial suffering as probably most of those who lost their lives were persons of some means. One well known club gave notice that it would give its check for $250 to all who needed financial aid to bury their dead, but only one person had applied for and received it.

Mr. Shedd told of many individual cases where almost the whole family were wiped out, but says that the daily papers have graphically told all of these incidents much better than he can.

He had seen many hard scenes but never anything so terrible as this, and never desires to see it again.

Two or three attempts to snow this morning were unsuccessful.

NEW SPEAKER.

And Also a New Sergeant at-Arms.

Large Number Hear the Governor's Address.

Senator Brackett and Local Representatives on Committees.

Boston, Jan. 7.—An unusually large number witnessed the inauguration at the State House this noon for the second term of Gov. Bates and Lieut. Gov. Guild. The address of the Governor seemed also to meet with hearty approval.

At the organization of the Senate yesterday President Jones was unanimously reelected.

After the decisive Republican caucus in favor of Louis A. Frothingham for

GOV. BATES.

Speaker, there were but six votes against him, J. F. Aylward, the Democratic candidate receiving but four votes.

Both branches of the Legislature decided that a change in sergeant at arms was desirable and David T. Remington had a majority of nearly 100 over Charles G. Davis.

All the officers elected, both in the Senate and House, were the nominees of the Republican caucus.

The caucus of the Democrats of the House was called to order by Representative Drinkwater of Braintree, who congratulated the party on its increased representation.

James F. Aylward of Cambridge was elected chairman. Mr. Deitrack of Cambridge moved that a candidate for speaker be nominated.

Mr. Drinkwater opposed the motion. He said such action would really only result in making the candidate the party leader on the floor. If there was to be such a leader, he said, he should earn the title by his work in the House. Moreover, the nomination would simply result in arousing party feeling. He moved to amend by authorizing the chair to appoint a committee of not over 10 to look out for the interests of the Democratic party on the floor of the House.

The amendment for a steering committee was adopted. The committee was empowered to call a conference at any time, and the caucus adjourned.

Later Mr. Aylward gave out the following as constituting the committee: Messrs. Aylward of Cambridge, Skerrett of Worcester, Donohue of Fall River, Davis of Salem, Coulthurst of Boston, Schofield of Ipswich, Drinkwater of Braintree, O'Brien of Lowell, Mitchell of Marlboro, Grody of Boston and Fahey of Pittsfield.

"EASY-SHAVE," the New Lather,

makes shaving a pleasure instead of a torture. Use "EASY-SHAVE," Shave yourself for two weeks and you will wonder how you ever got along without it. "EASY-SHAVE" makes the face soft and clear and keeps it so. At Druggists, 15c. Try it today.

At the session of the Senate, Senator Brackett of the First Norfolk district was chairman of the committee on ballot for sergeant-at-arms. Senator Bemis of the Second Norfolk district was appointed on the committee on joint rules.

In the House Representative Freeman of Quincy was on the committee

LIEUT. GOV. GUILD.

appointed to inform the Governor that the House was ready to be qualified.

Representative Drinkwater was on the committee on ballot for speaker.

The committee on rules on the part of the House includes the rival candidates for speakers as will be seen: Messers. Hayes of Lowell, Newton of Everett, Brigham of Marlboro, Taft of Worcester, Moseley of Westfield, Quinn of Boston, Garfield of Brockton, Parker of Springfield, Cole of Andover and Giddings of Great Barrington.

The first day since last Friday with temperature above the freezing point.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON

Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

NOVELETTES

Will be a Feature for Several Weeks

OF THE

SATURDAY EIGHT-PAGE LEDGER.

EVERY STORY

IS

COPYRIGHTED AND ILLUSTRATED

AND ARE BY

Distinguished Writers.

Some Are 6 and 7 Columns in Length.

W. A. BRADFORD,

Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting,

Jobbing promptly attended to.

Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.

Open Monday and Saturday evenings.

Telephone 111-3 Quincy. Jan. 7-tf

Strenuous Times

AT THE

DERBY STORE.

The Bankrupt Sale

Continues with Unabated Vigor.

Good Merchandise at *Wonderfully Low Prices* is the attraction.

Come see our MEN'S SUITS at
$4.49, $5.49, $6.50, $8 and $10

BOYS' SUITS, HALF PRICE.

Men's Stiff Hats, 98c., worth $2
Winter Caps, 35c., 42c., 79c

NOW IS THE TIME FOR

OVERSHOES and RUBBERS.

Keep out the snow for less money than it takes to buy a bottle of cough medicine.

4 BUCKLE ARCTICS, $1.75 PER PAIR
MEN'S RUBBERS, 50 CENTS
BOYS' RUBBERS, 25 CENTS

Other goods for Men and Boys at ruinously low prices to close out the entire stock at

C F. DERBY'S

OLD STAND,

Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple,	$8.00
Dry Pine Wood,	7.00
Dry Pine Slabs,	6.00
Green Hard Wood,	7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.

THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,

Yard between Miller and West Streets.
Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.
Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

Special Sale.

All Goods soiled and handled during the

Christmas Rush

And all Christmas Goods must be sold before NEW YEARS.

Very Low Prices.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.
Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1301 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

DANCING.
COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.
BASKET BALL
AND DANCING
THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all ormer pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assem blies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For farther particulars apply to ELMER W BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Daneing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m ipo

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER.
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

TELEPHONES
—FOR—
Suburban Residents

The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company offers, for a limited period, trial telephones in suburban residences of those who have never had telephone service.

Contract Department,
101 Milk Street.
Telephone, Main 6028.
Boston, Oct. 21. tf

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price. $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee in-ertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

A new feature is introduced into the Daily Ledger today, "Humor and Philosophy." It is all original matter contributed by Duncan M. Smith, who writes the famous "Hit or Miss" column of the Chicago Evening News. Publishers of the News, who know the popularity of Smith's column, consider him a worthy successors of the lamented Eugene Field.

The matter he writes for us is entirely different from his column in the News, which deals largely with local affairs. The man who could not enjoy it would not be entertained if he had a minstrel show and a circus all to himself. The keenest wit flashes from Smith's Pert Paragraphs, "shooting folly as it flies." His shots go straight to the mark and hit the bull's eye every time.

This feature will appear at least once each week in the Daily Ledger.

Drift of Opinion.

☞It happens, fortunately for the possibilities of journalism, that there is a well-grounded belief on the part of many newspaper owners that the conducting of a newspaper by men of convictions, in accordance with those convictions, is one of the ways—and that the most solid of all—for establishing it upon a sound commercial basis. The necessity of public support, of advertising support, is of course acknowledged; but that is not taken care of from day to day, or even from year to year; once for all, the fortune of the paper is staked upon the principle that the people will support a paper that is honest and fair and brave. Some people will dislike it today, and others tomorrow; but it will command respect all the time, and the confidence of the community in its sincerity will be its strongest asset. This principle once acknowledged, the rest is plain sailing; the voyage may often be tough, and sometimes it may be disastrous; but it is never aimless, and never delusive The men who conduct the paper know well enough that it would have to be discontinued if pecuniary support from the public failed; but they need no more be conscious of this consideration in their work than the preacher need think about his salary in determining his theology or his ethics, or the physician worry over his fee when dealing with the problems of life and death that daily confront him.—Baltimore News.

The Polite Germans.

We Germans are not only the most polite, but also the most ceremonious people in the world. Without ceremony it is not possible for us to present a friend, to take a seat in a restaurant or to drink or even to utter a single word. Consequently a people like the British, which ignores and utterly disregards these customs, must appear to us a herd of lubbers.—Frankfurter Zeitung.

A Line of Action.

"You see," said the young lawyer, "my client is accused of bigamy, and he's guilty; so I hardly know how to defend him."

"Why, that's easy," said the old lawyer. "Defend him on the ground of insanity and get a few henpecked husbands on the jury."—Puck.

Cause For Worry.

She—Why do you look so worried, Bertie? Did papa object?

Bertie—No. But he said: "It's all right. You'll soon find out it's useless to object when Nell is set on anything."

Invitations.

Archie—See how I am run after. All these are invitations.

Friend—Good gracious! All invitations? Invitations to what?

Archie—To call and settle accounts.

An economical way of disposing of stale bread is by eating it. It saves doctors' bills.—Detroit Free Press.

The manufacture of lamps has increased to a wonderful degree. There are today exclusive large lamp stores in almost every city of any size, and the manufacture and proper use of chimneys have developed into a science which few persons understand.

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you, in 6 to 14 days. 50 cents.

WITH A FIRM HAND

Americans In Island of San Domingo Will Be Protected

MARINES ARE ON GUARD

Action of Commander of Warship Detroit Likely to Have Powerful Influence Toward Restoration of Order

Washington, Jan. 7.—With a firm hand the Washington government, from now on, will protect American life and property in the Island of San Domingo. The following dispatch, received at the navy department from Commander Dillingham, commanding the Detroit, dated Puerto Plata, Jan. 6, was made public by order of the secretary:

"In this vicinity anarchy prevails; business at standstill. Puerto Plata quiet at present. Jiminez authorities collecting duties and dues. Jiminez at Santiago. Revolution not one of principle, but between factions. Will not allow interruption of commerce.

"Fighting at Sosua between Morales and Jiminez's troops took place on United Fruit company's property. Without notice houses were looted, lives of United States citizens absolutely disregarded, women and children had to flee for safety; property destroyed. Have forbidden any fighting or any armed force of any party within certain limits necessary to protect lives of United States citizens at Sosua. Commanding officers in the field near Sosua have been so instructed. Left one officer, 16 marines, Colt automatic gun and steam launch at Sosua to see my instructions carried out until my return. Am in signal communication with this force; can control situation. Consuls here want guard. Do not think it necessary at present. Am all ready when necessary. British steamer Pallas here. Have joined British captain in note to military commander here holding him responsible for any disorder and telling him that we would take such prompt action as we see fit in case of disorder."

It is said that the administration as yet has adopted no permanent policy for the conduct of affairs in San Domingo beyond that which it always has pursued of protecting American life and property.

The statement is authorized that the conduct of Commander Dillingham, while following only general instructions, is entirely endorsed and approved by the government, and it is believed that his intelligent handling of the situation will have a powerful influence toward the restoration of order in the island. It can be announced that the Washington government earnestly hopes that order will come out of chaos in the islands and a firm government established under which Americans and other foreigners will receive in the future adequate protection. It is realized by the administration that the Dominican problem must be taken up and disposed of in a way that will put a stop to what was described by a European ambassador as "an insufferable nuisance which the civilized world looks to the United States to clean up."

Seventeen Lives Lost In Wreck

Topeka, Jan. 7.—Seventeen persons were killed and 37 injured in the Rock Island passenger wreck at Willard. Superintendent Gruber of the Rock Island says that the engineer of the passenger train had orders to wait at Willard for the special stock train. He passed on, mistaking a freight train on the siding at that station for the stock train. This caused the wreck.

Traveler Perhaps Murdered

Paris, Jan. 7.—Henry Hazleton, who registered at a hotel here as from St. Louis, Mo., has been missing since Dec. 20. At the time of his disappearance he was to known to have in his pocket a letter of credit for a large amount. The hotel people are inclined to the belief that he was murdered and his body thrown into the Seine.

Simple Cause of Great Fire

Des Moines, Jan. 7.—Responsibility for the almost complete ruin of Iowa's $3,000,000 capitol building may rest upon a common laborer. There is strong evidence that a lighted match used for a pipe or cigaret and thrown carelessly into a corner caused the conflagration. Arrests may follow the inquiry.

Preacher Suspended For a Year

St. Louis, Jan. 7.—The action of the California Methodist Episcopal conference in suspending Rev. J. D. Hammond for one year because of his mismanagement of church funds has been adjudged proper by the judiciary committee of appeals of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Answer to Reyes Is Completed

Washington, Jan. 7.—Secretary Hay has completed his final revision of the answer to be made by the American government to the protest filed by General Reyes against the action of the United States regarding affairs on the isthmus. It will be made public probably next week.

Strikers' Ranks Increased

Barcelona, Jan. 7.—The strike of persons employed by the shipping interests is spreading and becoming general throughout the ports of Spain. Most of the unions connected with shipping are joining. Work at the port of Barcelona is entirely suspended.

PROVIDED BY NATURE

Nantucket Folks Have Source of Food to Fall Back Upon

Nantucket, Mass., Jan. 7.—Although, owing to the ice embargo, the stock of staple provisions is rapidly becoming low, the islanders have still a good source of food in great quantities of eels which are being obtained from the flats in the harbor through the ice. Immense flocks of wild fowl are constantly alighting on various parts of the island and several ducks and geese have been shot on the main street. Inquiry among the provision stores shows that the stock of meats is well nigh exhausted. There is enough flour, cereals, molasses and kerosene to last for two weeks, but the supply of butter, sugar and fruits will probably be exhausted within a few days unless replenished by the arrival of a steamer from the mainland.

The island to the north and west is completely hemmed in by a great field of ice which extends out five or six miles. The weather has moderated considerably and there are indications of another snowstorm.

Fire Scare In Tenement House

Salem, Mass., Jan. 7.—A general alarm of fire, sounded for a blaze in a tenement house at 2 o'clock this morning brought all the Salem apparatus to the scene and occasioned considerable excitement. The building in which the fire started was occupied by four French Canadian families, comprising 27 people. With the assistance of two police officers all the occupants were removed in safety, although the last of the 10 children to be taken out had to be passed by one of the policemen through the window to an adjoining tenement.

Unusually Bold Robbery

Boston, Jan. 7.—In response to a rap at the door Mrs. John McManus admitted an unknown man into her tenement at 160 O street, South Boston. As soon as the man was inside the door he pointed a pistol at Mrs. McManus and told her he would kill her if she made an outcry or refused to give him all the valuables in the house. The robber tore the wedding ring from the woman's finger, took her pocketbook and also broke open a child's bank and departed with the few pennies it contained.

Passenger Cars Burned

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 7.—Two passenger coaches attached to a Naugatuck division train were destroyed by fire last night while the train was on its way from this city to Bridgeport. The fire was caused by the explosion of a kerosene lamp in one of the cars. The conductor brought the train to a stop and the burning cars were detached from the rest of the train. The passengers alighted before the fire did much damage and no one was injured.

Killed by Gas While Asleep

Boston, Jan. 7.—Bartholomew Curran, a night freight car inspector, retired after lighting a gas stove to keep his room warm. According to the police an inspector from the gas company visited the house later in the day, shut off the gas and thawed out the pipes. Then he turned on the gas and went away. Last night the door of Curran's room was forced open and he was found dead in bed, while the valve of the gas stove was wide open.

Offer of Fifty Cents on Dollar

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 7.—The creditors' committee of the Worcester and Southbridge and Worcester, Rochdale and Charlton Depot Street Railway companies announce in a circular letter to the creditors its decision to recommend acceptance of the offer to pay 50 cents on the dollar on all claims against the roads, which are in the hands of receivers with a total indebtedness of about $1,300,000.

Steamer Sunk by Obstruction

New Haven, Jan. 7.—The local board of United States steamboat inspectors are investigating the sinking of steamer Erastus Corning, off Norwalk harbor. All the officers of the steamer who were on duty at the time have been summoned for examination. It appears that the cause of the sinking of the steamer was due to striking a hidden obstruction supposed to be a sunken wreck.

Oysters Are Scarce

New Haven, Jan. 7.—A shortage of oysters with a consequent rise in price is threatened as a result of the cold weather of the last week, owing to the thick coating of ice covering the beds here and at other points on Long Island sound. New Haven growers estimate that the loss to them through failure to fill contracts by reason of the ice blockade will reach $10,000.

Found Frozen In Schoolhouse

Westerly, R. I., Jan. 7.—The body of Thomas Smith, 52 years old, who has been missing from Arcadia for some days, was found in a schoolhouse at Tefft's Hill frozen stiff. The school has not been occupied for some time, and it is thought that Smith sought refuge there from the storm on Saturday and succumbed to the cold.

Dry Goods Men Burned Out

Augusta, Me., Jan 7.—Fire early this morning destroyed the dry goods store of Whitman & Adams, causing a loss to the firm of about $60,000. The loss to the building will be heavy. The stock of other occupants of the block was badly damaged by smoke.

To Assist Striking Brethren

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 7.—At a meeting of the local union of the Knights of Labor it was voted to assess all the members 15 cents a week for one year and to send the proceeds to St. Louis to assist the striking shoemakers in that city.

CITY BREVITIES.

Rain or snow is predicted.

The sleighing is improving.

The walking in Quincy is much better than it is in Boston.

A heavy rain just now would be more serious than was the snow storm.

Frank W. Flowers D. D. G. M. and suite will install tonight the officers of Winthrop Lodge, No. 101, I. O. O. F., of North Abington.

On the fourth page daily will be found illustrated humor and fashion hints illustrated, features crowded out for several weeks by holiday advertising.

The Junior I's of Bethany Church met with Miss Mila Bates of Dimmock street Wednesday evening. After an hour of pleasure they settled down to more serious thought. The next meeting will be held with Miss Ella Packard.

A SLIGHT FIRE.

In Basement of the Quincy Savings Bank Building.

The alarm from Box 26 at 6.25 Wednesday night was for a slight fire in a barrel of rubbish in the rooms of W. A. Bradford, the plumber, in the basement of the Savings Bank building. Mr. Bradford's clerk was at work in the room, and detecting the smell of smoke made an investigation but could find no fire. It seemed to him as though the smoke came from another part of the basement. He then went to find William Dewhurst, the janitor. While he was looking for him Mr. Dewhurst came through the alley and discovered the fire in the barrel of rubbish in Bradford's office. He ran down and extinguished the fire.

In the meantime some one pulled Box 26 and gave the alarm. In his excitement he left his lighted cigar on top of the box. After giving the alarm he vanished. Early arrivals at the box found no one there to tell where the fire was and the impression was that it had been a false alarm.

Two large pungs arrived from the Central station. One loaded with hose and the other with ladders and the Wollaston Hook and Ladder combination on wheels arrived in good season drawn by four horses. Good time was also made by the Quincy Point and Wollaston hose sleds. The fire did no damage.

Chief Williams although under the weather was promptly on the scene.

PRESENT IN A COFFIN.

Grewsome Method Used to Remember Popular Manager.

A coffin is not a very pleasant holiday gift, especially when it is presented while resting on a bier with lighted candles, says a Baltimore dispatch, and thus the feelings of the recipient can be imagined when he is told that the coffin contains the remains of a close friend.

Yet this odd method was recently used by some of the employees of a tobacco company at Baltimore in presenting one of the managers with a costly clock.

A few minutes after noon the manager was summoned to a private room, where he beheld what appeared to be a coffin resting on a bier draped with black drapery and lighted candles flickering around the casket in the semidarkness. He was informed the coffin contained the remains of one he liked very much, and the cover was removed to give him a last look.

As the manager stooped over he saw not the face of a corpse, but a very handsome clock, which the employees had purchased as a gift for him. The presentation was then duly made, and suitable remarks followed.

Carpeted His Room With Money.

Harry Shupe, aged thirty, employed as a farm hand at Chardon, O., left last summer to secure a legacy, says the Chicago Inter Ocean. He returned recently. Shupe ordered a room with a fire at the Park hotel. The clerk informed Shupe that the fire would be extra. Then Shupe exhibited rolls of currency that dazzled the patrons of the hotel. The clerk entered Shupe's room later and found he had carpeted the room with bills of large denomination and was walking over them. Shupe admitted that he had fallen heir to $80,000, but the source is unknown. "I have had a pretty good time the past few months," said Shupe, "but I intend to buy a farm before I blow in all of my roll."

How a Little Girl Acted Cupid.

At a luncheon given the other afternoon at the St. Nicholas hotel in Cincinnati the engagement of Miss Gretchen McCurdy Gallagher, a society belle and talented violinist of Cincinnati, to Professor John Morris of Athens, Ga., was announced in a novel way, says the Atlanta Constitution. A little girl, naked excepting slight drapery and gauze wings, representing Cupid, told of the coming marriage.

—The eagle which originally decorated the stern of the famous schooner yacht America, which won the America cup, is now the sign of a hotel at Ryde, Isle of Wight, it is said, overlooking the scene of the vessel's triumph over her English competitors in 1851.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Sleep For Sale.

Registered Trade Mark.
Copyrighted by Ostermoor & Co. N.Y.

The "Sleep that knits up the raveled sleeve of care." You can own it, can command this priceless witchery of restful sleep, if you will but own an Ostermoor patent elastic felt Mattress.

Nothing on earth you can own will give you more absolute comfort than a luxurious Ostermoor Mattress.

If you wish to travel all the way to old age without missing connection at any stage of the game you must command sleep, and you can't help sleeping if you own an Ostermoor Mattress.

Full Size, $15.00, in 2 parts, $15.50.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store,
Hancock Street, Quincy.
We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

IF YOU WANT PLAIN OR FANCY
CHEESE
GO TO THE
Meadowbrook Creamery,
QUINCY, MASS.
Most Complete Line in the City.

A 20 per cent. Reduction.

For dates in January and February the experiment will be tried of giving a special discount of 20 per cent. in the prices of Quincy Music Hall. The price scale as it is, though doubtless seeming high to some, is not really so when a fair account is taken of the many, many expenses of running a large hall and keeping it in first class condition, as well as the fact that at best such a hall can be rented only a small part of the time. The prices of Music Hall are not now changed, merely the experiment is to be made of giving this special discount to engagements coming in these two special months.

The Location is the best of any hall in the city. The street cars pass the door with a turn out right in front of the Hall.

The Floor is of selected maple laid with the greatest care, and is kept in perfect condition. being covered with canvas when not used for dancing.

The Ventilation—a most important consideration—is such as to keep the air pure with even a crowded hall and without causing any drafts.

The Hall is Lighted by electricity, brilliantly and pleasantly, and with a switchboard arranged so that all desired effects can be obtained in the Hall proper or on the stage. Gas is used as an auxiliary light.

The Heating is direct—indirect, ample, and giving the most healthful results.

The Stage has been designed with care, and is furnished with a particularly generous supply of attractive and appropriate scenery.

For Advertising, the Music Hall Billboards throughout the City are of very great value

To Darken the Hall, there are special window fittings so that at noonday the Hall can be made as dark as at midnight.

In case of fire there are pails of water and chemical fire extinguishers throughout the Hall. There is an asbestos fire curtain by which the Stage can be instantly cut off from the Hall proper. There are nine (9) doors opening from the Hall and five (5) separate exits.

As a whole, Quincy Music Hall has been carefully planned to meet the requirements of those who wish a ***large and really first class Hall.***

QUINCY MUSIC HALL
Dec. 23. tf

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.
OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
Jan. 31. tf

Worms?
Many children are troubled with worms, and treated for something else. A few doses of
Dr. True's Elixir
will expel worms if they exist, and prove a valuable tonic if there are no worms. 35c at druggists.
DR. J. F. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Me.

MAIN SPRINGS
Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.
Work called for and delivered.
SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

Hardware Supply Co.,
1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES
Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.

Dec. 29. tf

HALL and BURGESS,
Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

F. S. BUXTON,
TEACHER OF VIOLIN
WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE
Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

ANNOUNCEMENT.
EBEN HARDY,
Manufacturing OPTICIAN . .
of 21 Bromfield street, Boston, has opene a Jewelry and Optical store at 307 Newport avenue, Wollaston, opposite the depot.
Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silver Ware, Opera, Field and Marine Glasses.
Eyes examined and Glasses fitted. Broken Lenses matched and replaced in our own factory.
Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired by first-class workmen. All work guaranteed.
French Clocks called for and delivered. Send postal and we will call.

EBEN HARDY,
OPTICIAN,
370 Newport Ave., Wollaston.
Dec.15—1m

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
25 years' experience
Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.
Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.
Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marien's store.
Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence in Medford.

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

MISS SPEAR'S CLASSES,
148 Goffe Street.
Kindergarten and Day pupils received.
Music, Art, Sloyd, Basketry, Gymnastics, Shorthand and Tutoring taught by experts.
C. FOLLETT SPEAR, Directress.
Voice, Piano and Harmony. Oct. 15-3m

Famous Authors
We have secured for early publication a number of short stories by the following distinguished writers:
Jack London
Will N. Harben
Bret Harte
Shan Bullock
Henry Seton Merriman
Maximilian Foster
Edith Wyatt
A. W. Whitcford
Herman Whitaker
J. P. Coughlan
Every story copyrighted and illustrated, Keep your eye on our columns.

You can't buy it anywhere else.
LUCK
AT
PRATT'S,
10 cts. package.
Every Wednesday, 2 for 15 cts.

WOOD! WOOD! WOOD!
OF ALL KINDS.
DRY AND GREEN
At Lowest Possible Prices.
THOS. O'BRIEN & SONS.
Yard off Miller and West Streets, West Quincy.
Jan. 7. tf

CABINETS TO MEET

Affairs In the Far East Evidently Near the Climax

ATTITUDE OF ENGLAND

Would Be Almost Compelled to Go to War In the Event of Japan Suffering Great Naval Defeat at Russia's Hands

London, Jan. 7.—There are two indications that nothing definite has developed in the far eastern crisis and that nothing is likely to develop until the end of the week.

The first of these indications, according to the Tokio correspondent of The Daily Telegraph, is that an urgency meeting of the Japanese cabinet has been called for today, and the second is that the members of the British cabinet have been notified to assemble on Saturday

The meeting of the Japanese cabinet has almost certainly been called for the purpose of considering the reply of Russia to the last Japanese note, and it is equally certain that the meeting of the British cabinet will be for the purpose of discussing the attitude of Great Britain in the light of the Russian reply. This question is beginning to be most anxiously discussed by the British press. Editorials in this morning's papers are almost unanimous in admitting that even if the war shall be confined to Russia and Japan Great Britain cannot possibly see Japan crushed, and that, although not called upon to interfere by the terms of the Anglo-Japanese treaty, and that while hostilities may be confined to the two nations, yet in the event of Japan suffering a great naval defeat Great Britain would be almost compelled to go to her assistance.

"Thus," The Daily Telegraph observes, "the cabinet will be called upon to discuss not only the nature of the obligations arising out of the Anglo-Japanese alliance, but also the limits of British neutrality in the event of a Russo-Japanese war."

Some of the papers, apparently doubting from the record of the present government its ability to deal with such a difficult situation, urge that a plain indication of Great Britain's intentions would be most effective in averting war. The Morning Post asks: "What has the government done by way of preparation for a war on a great scale in 1904?"

The Daily Mail wants Russia notified that: "Under no circumstances will Great Britain permit the Russian Black sea fleet to pass the Dardanelles," and urges the admiralty to "see that the navy is quite ready for emergencies."

Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister, in an interview published this morning, makes an interesting reference to the report from St. Petersburg that peace is likely to be settled by the Russian Christmas. The minister said:

"That implies the belief, according to Russian expectation, that Japan will give her reply much quicker than the czar's government has been able to do. I notice that when it is Russia's turn to reply the Russian and some European papers are very pacific, but directly it devolves upon Japan to answer their tone suddenly becomes pessimistic. This is very significant."

The Daily Mail's correspondent at St. Petersburg says that the news is confirmed that the second rifle regiment has already left Mukden for Corea to protect Russian interests there.

The correspondent of The Daily Mail at Shanghai reports that Japan has learned that the Russian squadron at Bizerta has been instructed to shadow Japan's new cruisers and be in readiness to attack them in the event of war being declared.

The Tokio correspondent of The Daily Telegraph still expresses the belief that the Russian reply will not be satisfactory. The correspondent says: "It is regarded as most significant that both the American and Japanese treaties with China will be ratified, completed and exchanged within a week."

Emperor Preparing For Flight

Seoul, Jan. 7.—A Russian legation guard of 30 has been landed at Chemulpo, but the Japanese railway has refused to transport it to Seoul. It is reported preparations have been made for the Emperor of Corea to find an asylum at the French legation in the event of serious trouble. It is expected that France will send marines here to guard their legations.

Thinks Japan Is Safe

Rome, Jan. 7.—Japanese Minister Ohyama, in an interview, said his country was in a position to rapidly center 300,000 men in Manchuria, while Russia could with difficulty send there only 200,000 men. The naval forces of Japan, he said, were numerically superior to those of Russia, and from a military standpoint were worth double. "If war breaks out," said the minister, "it will last for only a few weeks."

An Embarrassing Situation

Washington, Jan. 7.—Naval officials are somewhat embarrassed as to the best disposition to be made of United States warships on the Asiatic station in view of the imminence of war between Russia and Japan. The policy of the administration is to observe the strictest neutrality and to keep hands off except in the single contingency of infringements upon American treaty rights.

Inquiry at the navigation bureau develops the fact that up to this moment Admiral Evans has received no special instructions for his guidance in the event of hostilities in the far east. It is now the purpose of the department to cable to the admiral a special set of instructions to meet the present conditions in the east and these instructions will be delivered to him at Guam, according to the present program. It is stated at the department that they will show no discrimination whatever as between the parties to any possible hostilities, but the admiral will be expected to so dispose his force as to maintain the appearance of strict neutrality as between the belligerents.

American Coal For Japan

Norfolk, Jan. 7.—British steamship Knight Errant passed out the Virginia capes last evening laden with 11,500 tons of steam coal, shipped to an important firm in Yokohama, but for the use, it is said, of the Japanese navy. Captain Kendall expects to reach Yokohama inside of 50 days, and said before sailing that precautions had been taken which would render it impossible for the voyage to be interrupted.

An Unexpected Summons

London, Jan. 7.—A cabinet meeting has been called for this week, probably for Saturday. The summons was unexpected, Premier Balfour and other ministers having arranged for a fortnight's absence from London.

To Return Home to Fight

Cheyenne, Wyo., Jan. 7.—Several hundred Japanese trackmen and miners employed in Wyoming, it is reported, are arranging to obey an order of the mikado to return to their native land and enter the army.

Deafness Cannot be Cured
by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.
We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that ca nnot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

PICTURES
FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street
South Quincy, Aug 20. tf

FULL BASKET
$1.00
FULL BASKET.
$2 00
Worth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.
9 DAYS' SALE
JANUARY 7--16

4 Quarts Potatoes,	.01
2 lbs. Sugar,	.01
Can Tomatoes	.01
500 Parlor Matches,	.01
12 Clothes Pins,	.01
Pkg. Ginger,	.01
6 Nutmegs,	.01
3t. Ammonia,	.10
1 Soap,	.05
1-2 lb. Mocha and Java Coffee,	.15
Pkg Pop Corn,	.10
Pkg. Gelatine, Homestead,	.11
1-4 lb. Tea,	.15
Pkg. Cocoa Shells,	.07
Bag Salt,	.05
1 Scouring Soap,	.05
Box Blue, Sawyer's,	.04
1 Basket in which to carry all,	.06

$1.00
Each article shall be fresh and good and exactly as advertised.
Full Weight and Full Measure,
$2 00
Worth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.
V. E. MILLER,
CASH GROCER,
Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass.

JOHN STREIFERD & SON,
FLORISTS.
Telephone 13-7 Braintree.
Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.
Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.
JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.
HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

Dr. Emmons'
Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively saves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

LIFE IMPRISONMENT

Sentence Which Malachi Barnes Will Have to Serve

Keene, N. H., Jan. 7.—The jury in the trial of Malachi Barnes, charged with the murder of Asahel Dunton at Sullivan, returned a verdict late last night of murder in the first degree. The jury did not report for the death penalty and the conviction means life imprisonment for Barnes. It is optional with the jury in this state to return a verdict of murder in the first degree, which carries with it the sentence of life imprisonment, to report a verdict of murder in the first degree with the death penalty recommended.

Barnes was charged with having fatally assaulted Dunton at the Barnes home on Sept. 19 last. At the time of the crime Mrs. Barnes was also terribly assaulted. After receiving several blows she escaped from the house and warned the neighbors. Those who went to the home found Dunton lying upon the sofa fatally injured. He died later at a hospital.

Lemley Sued For Damages

Washington, Jan. 7.—Robert B. Rodney, a paymaster with the rank of lieutenant commander on the retired list of the navy, has brought suit for $50,000 damages against Judge Advocate General Lemley of the navy for alleged long continued "pecuniary and naval grade losses" and indignities. The complaint alleges that Lemley has usurped practical supremacy in the navy department and is depriving the complainant of legal rights under his commission.

Looking For Perry Heath

Salt Lake City, Jan. 7.—The Desert News says government inspectors have been in the city for two weeks in an endeavor to subpoena former First Assistant Post master General Perry S. Heath, but have not yet succeeded in serving the papers. It is said that the papers have been placed in the hands of a United States marshal. Heath's presence, it is stated, is required in the east in connection with phases of the postoffice investigation.

Blaze In School Cloakroom

New York, Jan. 7.—Fire was discovered in the cloak room on the fourth floor of a public school in Harlem. Pupils extinguished the blaze, however, before the alarm spread throughout the school. The principal, after investigating, caused the arrest of Arthur Donovan, 11 years old, and James Revino, 14 years, who were seen running out of the building just before the blaze was discovered.

Railway Passengers' Rights

New York, Jan. 7.—In a test case as to the legality of street car passengers being compelled to "take the car ahead" the supreme court in Brooklyn decided that the passengers are entitled to be carried to the end of the route indicated by the sign board on the car. The decision is noteworthy in view of many similar cases pending in the courts.

Safety In Asbestos Curtains

St. Louis, Jan. 7.—The asbestos curtains of all the St. Louis theatres were tested by fire and all stood the test. Building Commissioner Heimburger applied the test with a painter's "blow pipe" hand furnace, subjecting each curtain to the fire for from one to four minutes. The intense flame caused each curtain to glow with a red spot, but the fabric did not burn.

Office May Be Abolished

Washington, Jan. 7.—Secretary of Interior Hitchcock has recommended to the president that the office of railroad commissioner, held by the late General Longstreet, be abolished. It seems probable that the recommendation will be adopted. The powers of the office have practically been absorbed by the interstate commerce commission.

Disaster on British Cruiser

Sydney, N. S. W., Jan. 7.—Forty-three persons were killed by the explosion of the boilers of the British cruiser Wallaroo.

The Wallaroo is a third-class cruiser of 2575 tons displacement used for Australasian trade protection. She was formerly named the Persian.

Bank Closed--Cashier Arrested

St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 7.—Cashier Marcell of the Bank of Highlands, Kas., charged with forgery, was released yesterday on bonds and last night was again arrested on a charge of uttering forged paper which it is said will aggregate $60,000. The bank's doors are closed. Marcell has been a speculator on the Chicago board of trade.

Gotham's Theatres Are Safe

New York, Jan. 7.—The inspectors sent out to look into the condition of the theatres of the city have reported that they inspected 50 of the 63 places of amusement in New York and have not found a single theatre in which there were violations of the building code of sufficient importance to warrant closing orders.

Bandits' Trial Begun

Chicago, Jan. 7.—The trial of three of the car barn bandits, Marx, Neidermeyer and VanDine, has commenced before Judge Kersten, and after a day's struggle in the effort to procure jurors court adjourned without a man having been accepted.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Friday, Jan. 8.
Sun rises—7:14; sets—4:28.
Moon rises—11:18 p. m.
High water—3 a. m.; 3:30 p. m.

The cold weather in the northeast districts has been replaced by more moderate temperatures. It is 20 to 30 degrees warmer in New England, where rain or snow will occur.

POSTOFFICE FRAUDS

Senators Have Spirited Debate Over the Carmack Resolution

Washington, Jan. 7.—Alleged irregularities in the postoffice department constituted the only theme in the senate Wednesday. The question came up on motions by Messrs. Lodge and Penrose to refer the Carmack resolution looking to a senatorial investigation of the postoffice department to the committee on postoffices and postroads. The Democratic senators resisted the motion and contended that the country would not be satisfied with an investigation of a department made by the department itself.

The debate was extremely spirited from start to finish. Mr. Carmack charged that Postmaster General Payne had been lukewarm at the beginning of the department inquisition, and Mr. Spooner replied in defense of that official, saying that he had asked for money for an investigation and when it was undertaken had given every assistance.

Mr. Clay said that the tenor of the Bristow report had convinced him that Bristow considered former First Assistant Postmaster General Heath more guilty than any one else connected with the postoffice irregularities. Further consideration of the subject was deferred until Friday.

The only measure considered in the house was a bill introduced to ratify an act of the Hawaiian legislature authorizing the manufacture and distribution of electric light and power on the island of Oahu. Owing to objections made to the bill in the form presented, it was recommitted to the committee on territories.

Chicago Jeweler's Experience

Chicago, Jan. 7.—With persons busy in offices all about him, David Freeman, a jeweler, with offices on the 16th story of the Masonic Temple building, was held up by two men and robbed of $4300 in currency, diamonds and watches. A dagger was pointed at Freeman's heart and he was threatened with instant death, he says, and forced to go down on his knees and open his safe.

Audience Driven Out

Omaha, Jan. 7.—Chief of Police Donahue closed Washington Hall theatre during a performance and cleared the auditorium of several hundred people. The building inspector had declared the building unsafe in case of fire and the mayor issued an order to close it forthwith. Other theatres have been ordered to comply with city ordinances at once.

Palma Vetoes Lottery Bill

Havana, Jan. 7.—President Palma has signed his veto of the lottery bill. The president, in stating the reasons for his action, holds that a lottery is a lowering and corrupting device and that the government would be culpable in taking the money of the people for the furtherance of such a scheme, no matter what the end at which the lottery aimed.

Tobacco Barred From College

Delaware, O., Jan. 7.—When the young men attending the Ohio Wesleyan university returned from their holiday vacation they were required to sign a pledge to abstain from the use of tobacco during the coming term before being permitted to return to the university. Many of the students accepted the condition, but many are undecided.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The Addison County Agricultural society, the oldest organization of its kind in Vermont, has received and accepted from Colonel S. A. Ilsley of New York property at Middlebury valued at $25,000, and which is to be used as fair grounds for the annual exhibition.

Rear Admiral Taylor, chief of the bureau of navigation, has urged the house naval affairs committee to establish a naval training station in the Great Lakes, for which an appropriation of $250,000 is recommended by the department.

Salt Rheum
You may call it eczema, tetter or milk crust.
But no matter what you call it, this skin disease which comes in patches that burn, itch, discharge a watery matter, dry and scale, owes its existence to the presence of humors in the system.
It will continue to exist, annoy, and perhaps agonize, as long as these humors remain.
It is always radically and permanently cured by
Hood's Sarsaparilla
which expels all humors, and is positively unequalled for all cutaneous eruptions.

Hote Greenleaf
Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

SKATES SHARPENED.
Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .
24 Granite Street,
NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.
Dec. 21. 1m

W. G. CHUBBUCK,
Furniture and Piano Mover
IN AND OUT OF TOWN.
Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.
JOBBING.
Orders left at Judge's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.
lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

Copyright, 1904, by Sampson-Hodges Co.

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

A pair of twins have a wonderfully chastening effect upon the recipients.

—

High finance does not affect the digestion of the man behind the snow shovel.

—

A checkbook is a handy adjunct to the library.

—

Lazy people are good natured because it is too much like work to be otherwise.

—

A woman of weak sentimentality is never so happy as when she is miserable.

—

It is all a question of time with the money lender.

—

All is not gold that glitters, but what is the difference if you cannot detect the imitation?

—

Never send a boy to mill, particularly if it is a gin mill.

—

The man who dyes his whiskers thinks that he has fooled somebody.

—

Never try to discover the age of a gift lion by looking at its teeth.

—

The course of true love runs smooth when a smooth man courts a rich girl.

—

It used to be "Ho, for Kansas!" but now it is necessary to take along a twine binder.

—

Even the adulterations to the adulterations are sometimes adulterated in this commercial age.

—

Can a one armed man only love a girl half as much as a fellow not thus afflicted?

—

It is foolish to lose sleep because the man next door is living beyond his income.

Oh, Woman!

Oh, woman, in our hour of ease
You always break the spell
By saying, sweetly, "Will you please
Fetch water from the well,
And chop some kindling wood up fine,
And bring the clothes in off the line."

A Chance For Him.

"Would you advise me to go west and grow up with the country?" asked the young man of an inquiring turn of mind.

"You might go west and blow up with it," replied the disgusted citizen who had just returned from the cyclone belt.

At the Ball.

"I wonder if Jack
Will ever come back,"
She thought as she smoothed up her hair.
"I told him he couldn't;
So, now, if he shouldn't
I'll just let him know I don't care.

"'Twas simply absurd,
That story he heard;
It wasn't a bit of it true.
At least not the part
That 'most broke his heart
And made him so jealous of Hugh.

"Of course I could never,
Although I am clever,
Make Jack understand about Hugh.
Poor Hugh! He adores me,
Though sometimes he bores me,
But Jack shouldn't make such ado."

A flip and a flirt
She gave to her skirt
And fluffed out her bodice with care;
Her ruffles she shook
And took a last look
And then made her way down the stair.

Jack chanced to be standing
Upon the first landing
With morbid and desolate air.
She tried to ignore him
In passing before him,
Then let him escort her downstair.

The music was swelling;
Jack's eyes were compelling;
A twostep was just in full swing.
His arm stole about her;
Oh, how could he doubt her!
And Hugh was forgotten, poor thing!

It Relieved Her.

"What was your father swearing so about in the other room a little while ago?"

"He struck his thumb with a hammer."

"Oh, was that all? I was afraid the collector had called with my millinery bill."

A Mystery Cleared.

The census man upon the scene
To solve the case appears;
He finds that Ann is sweet sixteen
And has been for twelve years.

How It Works.

"You married men have a gay old time when your wives are out of town."

"Yes, in theory, but in actual practice it keeps us hustling to send them money with which to have a gay old time."

Spoils the Romance.

The lady in the spangled tights
Swings gracefully above,
And as you watch her airy flights
You straightway fall in love.
But when you get a closer view
And more correct advice
You find she has a son or two
And is a grandma twice.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Oct. 18, 1903, trains will run as follows:

(Subject to change without notice.)

TO BOSTON				FROM BOSTON			
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.		Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.	
r *5 19	abcdefghi	5 47		*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19	r
r 6 12	abc	6 32		6 28	cba	6 49	r
r 6 42	abc	7 02		6 58	cba	7 19	r
r 7 12	abc	7 32		7 28	cba	7 49	r
r 7 33	ad	7 52		8 28	cba	8 49	r
7 29	Exp.	7 45		8 58	cba	9 19	r
r 7 42	a c	8 02		9 28	cba	9 49	r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15		10 28	cba	10 49	r
r 8 12	abc	8 32		11 28	cba	11 49	r
r 8 26	abd	8 45		12 28	cba	12 49	r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05		12 45	Exp.	1 02	
r 9 12	abc	9 32		12 58	cba	1 19	r
r 9 42	abc	10 02		1 28	cba	1 49	r
r 10 12	abc	10 32		1 58	cba	2 19	r
r 0 42	abc	11 02		2 28	cba	2 49	r
r 11 12	abc	11 32		2 45	cba	3 06	r
r 12 12	abc	12 32		3 28	cba	3 49	r
r 1 12	abc	1 32		3 45	cba	4 06	r
r 1 42	abc	2 02		4 28	cba	4 49	r
r 2 12	abc	2 32		4 50	edcba	5 16	r
r 3 12	abc	3 32		5 16	dba	5 36	r
r 3 42	abc	4 02		5 26	a	5 45	r
r 4 12	abc	4 32		5 28	cba	5 49	r
4 59	Exp.	5 15		5 45	dba	6 06	r
r 5 12	abc	5 44		5 46	ihgfdcba	6 15	
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57		5 58	cba	6 19	r
r 6 12	abc	6 32		6 15	da	6 36	r
r 6 42	abc	7 02		6 28	cba	6 49	r
6 59	Exp.	7 15		6 58	cba	7 19	r
r 7 12	abc	7 32		7 28	cba	7 49	r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07		8 28	fedcba	8 58	r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32		9 28	cba	9 49	r
r 9 12	abc	9 32		10 28	tedcba	10 53	r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02		10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19	r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32		11 28	cba	11 49	r
r 11 12	abc	11 32					

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02		6 28	cba	6 49	
r 8 42	abc	9 02		8 58	cba	9 19	r
r 9 12	abc	9 32		10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45	r
9 33	a	9 51		12 28	cba	12 49	r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44		2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45	r
r 1 12	abc	1 32		3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45	r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44		4 28	cba	4 49	r
r 5 12	abc	5 32		5 28	cba	5 49	r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44		6 58	cba	7 19	r
r 7 12	abc	7 32		8 28	fedcba	8 53	r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32		8 43	Exp.	9 00	
9 00	Exp.	9 15		9 28	ihgfedcba	9 57	r
10 18	Exp.	10 33		10 25	feucba	10 53	r
r 10 22	abcdefghi	10 50					

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stores East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.0 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.1 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P.M. Su 9.46 A.M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stores East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 9. A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 6.16 6.46 7.16 9.16 11.16 P.M. SUNDAY—8.16 8.46 A.M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P.M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A.M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P.M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A.M. 1.21 5.21 7.21 9.21 P.M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P.M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A.M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P.M.

Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

Corrected to Nov. 20th, 1903.

(Subject to change without notice.)

LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 1 .00 A.M. 12.00 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 5, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 810 A.M then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M. then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON 7.15, 7.45 A M. then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

J. T. CONWAY, Division Supt
H. E. REYNOLDS, Asst Gen. Supt.
Quincy, Mass., Nov. 20, 1903.

What It Costs
... AND ...
What It Pays
are two values of newspaper advertising that the merchant has to consider. But the most important thing is
WHAT IT PAYS.
The merchant can get space in papers of small circulation and little influence for a little less money than the same size space would cost in the DAILY LEDGER and the QUINCY PATRIOT.
DOES IT PAY
to throw away the certainty of the profitable returns which are sure to LEDGER and PATRIOT advertisers, because it costs less to advertise in a

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

A Mighty Small One.

Gentleman of the Old School (to new athletic daughter-in-law)—My dear, I want you always to look to me as your father and protector.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	4	10	42	23	39
Monday,	8	18	42	22	54
Tuesday,	11	23	40	44	59
Wednesday,	24	35	38	47	41
Thursday,	35	32	31	27	34
Friday,	—	36	37	46	29
Saturday,	—	31	18	24	28

New Advertisements Today.

W. A. Bradford—Plumbing and Heating.
Probate Notice.
Frederick E. Goss—Bills Collected.
Novelettes—Saturday Ledger.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Messrs. Sprague will commence harvesting their ice today or tomorrow.

Arthur Gray of Botolph street who sprained his ankle during Christmas week is able to resume business.

The Meadow Brook Ice Co. commenced work today harvesting their crop of ice. They have about ten inches of handsome ice.

People were surprised to see Chief Williams respond to the fire alarm last night, but on such occasions it is almost impossible to keep the Chief at home, although under the weather.

The Social Five were entertained by Miss Belle Stronach, at her home 213 Liberty street Wednesday evening. A game of whist was enjoyed after which a dainty collation was served.

A wagon load of barrels capsized on Saville street Wednesday afternoon. The team was drawn off the street for the night. This morning it was loaded up and started for Boston, only to be again capsized.

The lot next to Thomas Gurney's grocery store has at last been purchased for the site of the new school building in Atlantic. It speaks well for the old school house, however, that during the cold weather of the last few days the building has been heated without difficulty.

Evangelistic Meetings.

The evanglistic meetings in progress at the United Presbyterian church under the direction of the pastor are of an unusually interesting character. A service for children Wednesday at 3.30 was well attended and enthusiastic. Another meeting for children will be held tomorrow at the same hour. Evangelist E. W. Kenyon of Lynn begins with the pastor next Sabbath and will be here during the week. Mr. Kenyon is a very helpful preacher of the gospel. The public are cordially invited to invited to these services.

TODAY'S COURT.

Archibald Munn and James Paton were arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Cased continued until Jan. 18.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Nov. 2. 6mos.

SOME IDEALS.

Paper on the Training of Children at Mother's Meeting.

That the value and helpfulness of the Bethany church Mothers' meetings is appreciated is shown by the large number who braved the wintry weather Wednesday, twenty-seven being present. They were well repaid by listening to a most enjoyable program.

Mrs. Sheppard read in opening, "Thoughts for the New Year," and Miss Fannie Ellsworth gave two vocal solos, which gave much pleasure.

The paper of the afternoon was by Mrs. William W. Hill of Woburn, on "Some ideals in the training of our children."

She said that our ideals help us to reach higher than we could without them, even if we cannot attain to all that they represent.

Aim to teach children self control first of all. From this come honesty, courtesy and unselfishness. Cultivate a love of nature and the Bible, so closely allied in showing the love of God. Do not demand obedience but try to make it spontaneous. Remember that we must not expect of our children what we cannot be ourselves.

After the reading of the paper, tea was served by Mrs. McKnight, and a social half hour closed a delightful and helpful meeting.

J. W. Beal, Secretary.

THEY WERE SEEN.

And the Joke Did Not Come Where They Anticipated.

Five well known South Quincy young fellows visited City Square Wednesday night, and thinking to have a little fun they took a sign from Auctioneer Johnson's room and placed it at the entrance to the Hotel Greenleaf.

Officer Goodhue saw the act but was not near enough to apprehend them. He telephoned a description of them to the Police station and Inspector McKay went out and intercepted the young men at the corner of School and Granite streets. They were somewhat surprised that they should have been found out so quickly and acknowledged that they did the job.

Inspector McKay then marched them to City Square in Indian file and made them take the sign from the Greenleaf steps and put it back from where they had taken it.

Meanwhile quite a few had gathered on the Greenleaf steps to see the fun, and they gave the young fellows the laugh as they meekly returned the sign.

Day Nursery.

Because of the drop in the mercury the ladies of the Day Nursery association adjourned to the committee room at City Hall Tuesday afternoon and there held the regular monthly business meeting followed by a very acceptable talk by Miss Elizabeth F. Merrill of Dorchester.

It was voted to make and send to the officers of the association rough draughts of the revised constitution and bylaws that an intelligent vote o articles therein may be taken with as little discussion as possible.

The committee who were to learn of families wishing the benefits of the Day Nursery, reported several mothers found who will be glad to avail themselves of the privileges of the rooms on Elm street, especially if care of children to and from Nursery can be provided, as in many instances the distance is too long to allow of the mother's care and give her time to get to her work promptly.

The association wishes to acknowledge with thanks last month's donations.

The nucleus of a class for parliamentary drill was formed after the meeting, and any ladies interested are cordially invited to join.

Boiler Makers' Union.

The Boiler Makers' and Ship Builders' Union has elected these officers:

P.,—James Meade.
V. P.,—Charles Deaver.
C. S.,—H. Senior.
J. S.,—Alexander Stewart.
J. C.,—Angus Cameron.
R. S.,—Chester Nichols.
I.,—James Burke.
Trustees,—H. Senior, Joseph Miller and Michael Collins.

Hiram P. Abbott Fined.

Hiram P. Abbott of Boston was before the Abington court on Wednesday, on the charge of soliciting orders for liquor in a no-license town. Mrs. Mary Sheehan of Abington testified that Abbott visited her home on town meeting day and solicited an order. Abbott was found guilty and fined $200. He appealed.

DIED.

MILFORD—In Quincy, Jan. 7, Mrs. Catherine, widow of Mr. John Milford, of 4 Kent street.

LEAGUE BOWLING.

Quincys and Weymouths Win Two Out of Three.

The leaders gained in the Old Colony league Wednesday evening, but the percentage of the Quincys is not as good as a week ago.

The standing to date is:

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Quincy	27	23	4	85
Weymouth	27	17	10	62
E. Weymouth	27	10	17	38
Quincy Point	27	4	23	15

At East Weymouth.

The Quincys visited East Weymouth and defeated East Weymouths two out of three games, losing the first game by one pin. The last two games were easy for Quincy. Moorehead was high man of night with 269, also getting the best single of 102. Flanery was high man for the locals rolling 252.

The score:

QUINCYS.

	1st	2d	3d	Total
Morton,	87	81	92	260
Grant,	69	78	82	229
(Ferris)	72	80	83	235
Moorchead,	84	83	102	269
White,	86	98	74	258
Totals.	398	420	433	1251

EAST WEYMOUTHS.

Flannery,	85	88	79	252
Levangie,	74	67	64	205
Farrar,	73	82	65	220
Newcomb,	85	77	86	248
Smith,	82	81	83	246
Totals,	399	395	377	1171

At Quincy Point.

The Weymouth team came to Quincy Point and defeated the Point team two games out of the three. The first two games were quite easy for Weymouth, but the last was a bummer; Quincy Point took a brace and broke the record for single team string, rolling 447, beating record held by Weymouth by seven pins. Lyons of the Point created a new single string record of 112, beating the best string held by Glover of Weymouth by one pin. Lyons was high man of night, rolling 276, but was hard pressed by Burrell of Weymouth, who was only two pins behind.

The score:

WEYMOUTHS.

	1st	2d	3d	Total
Burrell	90	80	104	274
Peleran	71	95	73	239
Turner	81	98	71	250
Tracey	73	75	71	219
Glover	93	86	80	259
Totals,	408	434	399	1241

QUINCY POINTS.

G. Dunn	76	80	89	245
Caldwell	71	76	77	224
Lyons	84	80	112	276
A. Dunn	79	86	92	257
Flynn	85	83	77	245
Totals,	395	405	447	1247

TRY
Karo
CORN SYRUP
The Great Spread for Daily Bread.

BILLS COLLECTED

On commission and reports made to clients every thirty days.
Associated with a firm of Quincy lawyers.
Mail claims or drop a postal card and I will call.
FREDERICK E. GOSS,
Quincy, Jan. 7-3t 8 Chestnut Street.

10 cents.
LUCK
AT
PRATT'S,
Every Wednesday, 2 Packages 15 cts.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

CHARLES N. DESHAYES,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Louis Bernier of Quincy, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-seventh day of January, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

Jan. 7. 3t—7, 11 18

THE PRIVILEGES OF THE RICH

[Original.]

Several young men were sitting in the cafe of a city club.

"I tell you, gentlemen," said Gregory, "the laws are made for the rich. It is the poor who are ground to pieces under them."

"You say that, Gregory, you a multimillionaire!" cried Townsend.

"Yes, I say it. Observe the poor devils who come up daily in a morning police court. How quickly they are sent to the various jails, usually on suspicion! I'll bet any man in this party $10 that I can put on a ragged suit and get myself arrested within two hours, and yet I will transgress no laws. I will behave myself as a good citizen."

"I'll take that bet," said Townsend.

"As soon as I can get the rags."

An hour later a man in tatters, followed at a distance by several young fellows in immaculate costumes, entered a store and desired to be shown some portieres and window hangings.

Reluctantly the floorwalker himself took the customer to the curtain counter and remained there while he looked over the goods, purchasing $500 worth and producing bank notes with which to pay.

"Where will you have them sent?" asked the merchant, aghast.

"Clinton Gregory, 225 —th avenue."

When Gregory left the store he was followed by a detective. Passing the opera house, he went to the office and selected the most expensive box for the evening's performance.

"For whom do you want it?" asked the clerk.

"Myself."

"Yourself?"

"Yes. Don't you understand English?"

"You get out of this mighty quick or you'll get fired."

Since Gregory was not to transgress any law he departed. As he left the opera house the detective who had shadowed him and heard the conversation went out a short distance behind him. Passing down the street, Gregory from time to time took off his hat politely to several ladies who rolled by in their carriages. Those who noticed him stared at him and were thankful that they were not further exposed to his attentions by being on foot. Happening to come up to a lady just as she was alighting to enter a store, he lifted his hat and offered to hand her from her carriage. She brushed past him and reported the matter in the store. A policeman was called, but Gregory had departed.

Turning into the principal jewelry store in the city, he pulled a solitaire diamond ring from his vest pocket and, handing it to a clerk, asked its value.

"We know nothing of the value of paste or crystals," said the clerk, turning away.

"Will you kindly examine this one? I think it's a genuine diamond."

The clerk took the ring, scrutinized it, looked suspiciously at the man in rags, wedged a glass in his eye, which he turned on the stone, then looked seriously at its owner.

"How did you come by this?" he asked.

"I bought it."

"H'm. Bought it in this store?"

"No; a year ago in London."

"Wait."

Calling for one of the firm, the clerk whispered to him that it would be well to examine the stock of diamond rings to learn if any of them had been stolen. No deficit was discovered, and Gregory was permitted to depart in charge of a detective. There were now two detectives on his track, and they soon discovered that they were watching the same man. The first gave a history of the case to the second up to the moment the suspect had entered the jewelry store.

"Shall we take him in?" asked the second.

"Better wait. We've got him sure. He'll give us more evidence of the same kind. May as well have it all."

Gregory turned into a minor street and entered a pawnshop.

"What will you loan me on this scarf pin?" he asked, producing a pin set with a ruby as big as a pea.

The broker examined it.

"Vat I gif you? I gif you ten dollar."

"Why, the stone is worth fifty times that."

"Yes, my frient, but I don't ask no questions."

"Ask all the questions you like. The stone is mine, and I came by it honestly."

The two detectives, who were standing at the door, advanced.

"Come, my man, we want you." And Gregory was led off to a police station, where the following charges were entered:

First.—Having in his possession large sums of stolen money.

Second.—Purchasing goods with money supposed to be counterfeit.

Third.—Insulting ladies on the street.

Fourth.—Attempting to pawn stolen jewelry.

The prisoner was about to be led off to a cell when several young men in respectable costumes advanced and explained matters, whereupon the suspect was permitted to depart in their company. Gregory got himself into evening dress, and the party dined together at the club.

"You see, gentlemen," said the winner, "the poor man has not only his poverty to contend with, but constant suspicion. In other words, as a poor man I would not have the same privileges under the law that I would have as a rich man."

"It does seem to work that way at times," remarked the loser.

EMERY STRONG TORBERT.

The Only Place in QUINCY
Where you can buy the Famous
WINGOLD FLOUR
Harbor Light Coffee
--AND--
Star Brand Coffee
IS AT THE
CONSOLIDATED
ADAMS BUILDING,
Headquarters for High Grade MEATS and GROCERIES.

THE NEW SPEAKER.

Louis Adams Frothingham has Many Quincy Connections.

The Hon. Louis Adams Frothingham just elected speaker, has many connections with Quincy. His grandmother, the wife of Rev. Nathaniel Frothingham, was a sister of Mrs. Charles Francis Adams and of Mrs. Edward Everett. His name was given in memory of Miss Louisa Adams, the intimate friend of his mother, the daughter of Rev. William P. Lunt, and sister of Mrs. Revere. He was fitted for college at Adams Academy, where he received the Adams gold medal for speaking, and was captain of the base ball nine. He entered Harvard college from the Academy in 1889 and has since been President of the Adams Academy Alumni Association.

FASHION'S FRILLS.

The New Moleskin Coats—The Season's Stocks Plainer.

The very fancy stock has been relegated to the ranks of forgotten neckwear. Instead we have the rather severe cravat with the street tailor made and the soft tie of lace or of chiffon to wear with the dressy visiting costume. Little stocks of white taffeta or chiffon have rounded ends, and these are embroidered with French knots in black or white silk. This is about as elaborate a piece of neckwear as the smart woman cares to wear.

The clasps on some of the fur stoles are very handsome, being of gold or silver, richly jeweled. This is especially the case with the stoles of ermine and fine sable, where the price of the clasp is often a serious item. Occasionally muff buckles are seen to match, the fullness of the top of the muff being drawn up through one of these jeweled affairs.

Coats of moleskin are made with the skins vandyked into little points, and this gives a very handsome effect. Such

BROWN CLOTH GOWN.

coats are three-quarters in length and loose, the full sleeves being held in with cuffs of embroidery or lace and the coat being faced for some distance back with the same trimming.

The French are trying to inaugurate a theater headdress not unlike the Dutch cap, only much tinier. It is composed of a band of lace embroidered in silk or gold and having a gold or a silver rose on each side of it. This is fastened directly back of the pompadour and gives a very jaunty effect when worn by the right person.

Gold and silver flowers are the latest, by the way, in hair decorations.

The illustration shows a gown of brown cloth trimmed with bias bands of chiffon velvet.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

School Attendance.

The Massachusetts Fields school had the best record for school attendance for the four weeks ending Dec. 23 as will be seen by the report of Supt. Parlin:

	Whole No. at Date.	Av. Daily Attendance.	Per cent. of Daily Attendance.	Tardinesses.	Dismissal.	Truancy.
High	564	507.7	90.8	67	33	2
Adams	427	317.8	75.1	61	22	—
Coddington	388	346.5	87.0	13	12	—
Cranch	286	261.4	90.4	56	15	—
Gridley Bryant	318	292.2	90.9	12	20	—
John Hancock	362	328.6	90 0	19	21	—
Lincoln	440	408.0	91.7	47	26	1
Mass. Fields	393	365.1	92.2	14	52	—
Quincy	485	433.6	89.3	20	34	—
Washington	407	367.4	90 5	30	23	—
Willard	862	793.1	91.1	18	10	—
Wollaston	373	343.1	92.0	20	44	—
	5,306	4,761.5	89.4	377	322	3

Foresters' Installation.

The following officers of Abigail Adams court of Foresters were installed Wednesday evening by the officers of Morning Star lodge of Charlestown:

C. C.,—C. Cotter.
S. C. C.,—Mrs. F. Richmond.
T.,—E. McGregor.
F. S.,—Mrs. Margaret Stewart.
R. L.,—Mrs. A. M. Burns.
L. S.,—Mrs. Helen Burns.
I. G.,—Mrs. E. A. Pierce.
Trustee,—Mrs. E. Powers.
Physician,—Dr. J. H. Ash.

Mrs. Mary Pritchard was presented with an alligator shopping bag for having secured the largest number of members.

The name of John A Welch appears in the Herald voting contest in the class for members of the postal service.

CARD.
Mrs. F. H. Hewins,
—: Formerly in the :—
Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.
Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations
METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.
Offices:
128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.
Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903. tf

Don't Wait for it any Longer.
10 cents buys a package of
LUCK
AT
PRATT'S.
Every Wednesday, 2 Packages 15 cts.

TO LET
IN QUINCY, MASS.,
By H. H. FAXON.
Houses, Stores, Halls, Rooms, Offices, Stables, Land, Wharves, etc.

The Buildings are in Complete Repair.

HALL with ante-rooms and city water, No. 1355 Hancock street, opposite Post Office, and on the public Square.
HALF OF SLATED ROOF HOUSE at No. 6 Chester street, Wollaston.
4 TENEMENTS, 3 to 4 rooms each, No. 18 East Howard street, $8 to $9 per month.
COTTAGE HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 63 Field street.
HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 17 Kidder street.
HALF HOUSE, corner Howard street and Howard avenue.
HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 19 Kidder street.
HALF HOUSE, 6 rooms, city water, hennery, good yard, No. 59 Pond street, now occupied by James F. Mullin.
HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 15 Brackett street.
For particulars, apply to
HENRY H. FAXON,
Quincy, Mass.
Quincy, Dec. 8, 1903. 1m

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED, LADIES AND GENTS—We pay $12 per 1,000 cash, copying at home; everything furnished; send stamp, Monarch Supply Co., Station 3, Worcester, Mass. Jan. 6-6t

WANTED—By mother and daughter in Wollaston or Wollaston Park, two rooms (one or both unfurnished) with board. References exchanged. Address Lock Box No. 2, Wollaston, Mass. Dec. 29-8t

EXPERIENCED HOUSEKEEPER wishes position as housekeeper in widower's small family, or care of invalid, best of references. Address MRS. S. E. HALL, Post Office, Wollaston, Mass. Oct. 20-tf

TO LET.

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent, $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30. lp-tf

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec 29. tf

TO LET—48 Revere road, large front rooms, $3.00 per week; one medium size and one smaller room, $2.25 and $1.50 per week. Large bath room, all nicely furnished and heated. Quincy, Dec. 28-12t

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24. tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

FOR SALE
—OR—
TO LET.

HOUSE, Parker street, in good repair. Here is a good chance for some one to get rent free, and also good investment on money, as one flat is well rented.

HALL & BURGESS,
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 28. tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust.
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 7. QUINCY, MASS., FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

THE BEST BY THE TEST.

NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT

In 10c Packages with List of Valuable Premiums.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON

Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in all parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

If You Have a House to Let

Advertise It in the Ledger.

JOHN STREIFERD & SON,
FLORISTS.
Telephone 13-7 Braintree.

Cut flowers. Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.

Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

CARD.

Mrs. F. F. Hewins,

—: Formerly in the :—

Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations • • •

METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.

Offices:

128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.

Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903. tf

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.

OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.

Jan. 31. tf

Hote Greenleaf

Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.

Dining Room Strictly First Class.

MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.

Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

PICTURES

FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.

Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.

H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street. South Quincy. Aug. 20. tf

MAIN SPRINGS

Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.

Work called for and delivered.

SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.

Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

Hardware Supply Co.,

1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES

Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.

Dec. 29. tf

W. G. CHUBBUCK,

Furniture and Piano Mover

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.

JOBBING.

Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.

lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

JAMES F. BURKE,

REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.

MORTGAGES.

Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.

Room 4, Savings Bank Building.

June 5. tf

LECISLATURE.

Committee Appointments Expected Today.

Extracts from Address of Governor.

Representative Fallon Had His Way at Caucus.

It is expected that President Jones and Speaker Frothingham will announce the committees at the session of the Legislature today.

The committee on rules has decided on a new body, a joint standing committee on the relations between employers and employes. To this will go the special committee's report on these relations. The new body will consist of four senators and eleven representatives.

Representative Fallon of Quincy took a prominent part at the caucus of the Democratic members of the House on Wednesday. The Post says: "the Democratic caucus to choose a leader developed the fact that the Democrats have not only one but a score of leaders, and as Representative Fallon of Quincy put it, "if some of these young men would save their speeches for some debate in the House the need of a leader would not be so apparent. It is when legislation is pending that we should hear their voices, and not in a caucus." Fallon's words hit hard, for the caucus sat down on the proposition with a dull thud and killed the leadership plan, and instead asked for a steering committee.

The number of Massachusetts ex-Governors is small, and all were pleased to see Hon. George S. Boutwell, Hon. John D. Long, Hon. John Q. A. Brackett and Hon. W. Murray Crane at the inauguration at the State House on Thursday. Gov Bachelder of New Hampshire and ex Governor Charles S. Allen of Porto Rico were also present. Among the invited guests was Hon. William B. Rice, a former member of the Governor's Council.

It was a pleasure also to see the family party of Gov. Bates which included his father and mother, the Rev. and Mrs. John Lewis Bates; the Governor's wife, and their children Master John Harold and Miss Dorothy.

The Governor occupied forty minutes in the delivery of his address. Perhaps the most important part is that relative to executive responsibility, which concludes as follows:

"The men composing the state commissions have given the state such satisfactory service and have been men of such high character that the evils which might naturally be expected from such a system have not appeared in any large degree; yet I believe it would have been better, would have resulted in more uniformity, would have in some cases been less expensive because preventing the multiplication of unnecessary offices and clerks, and would have been more in accord with the ideas of those who drafted our constitution, to have provided for the carrying on of the work of these commissioners by the executive, through subordinate agencies immediately responsible to him.

"We shall return to such a system eventually, and I call your attention to it now, that in future legislation the principle may be recognized, if it meets with your approval, and that whenever new work is undertaken, or a new line of activities pursued, it may be done in such a way as to insure responsibility to the people through the executive."

The Governor notes: "The result of the change provided for by the statute four years ago is that, beginning with this year, the expense of the state for the care of the insane will be increased by about $1,100,000 per year, and that of the municipalities will be reduced to the same extent. Hence the state tax must be largely increased each year, beginning with the present, in order to pay this extra expense, unless the Legislature shall devise some new source of revenue."

A larger portion of the corporation tax, and revenue from liquor licenses is suggested for the State.

Relative to Municipal indebtedness, the Governor said: "For more than a quarter of a century there have been upon our statute books provisions limiting the debt of cities and towns, except for specified purposes, to a certain percentage of the assessors' valuation of their taxable property. The object of the statute was most commendable. It was intended to

(Continued on page 4.)

REBEKAH OFFICERS.

Many Lodges Represented at the Installation Last Evening.

The installation of the new officers of George L. Gill Rebekah lodge on Thursday evening was the occasion of a large gathering, including 110 members of the order. There were visitors from Braintree, Wollaston, Neponset, Boston, Weymouth, Newport and West Virginia.

The installing officer was Annie Sawyer of Boston who was accompanied by a suite from that city.

The following officers were installed:

N. G.,—Mrs. Annie B. Jones.
V. G.,—Mrs. Melissa McCormick.
Secretary, Mrs. Adeline Young.
Financial Secretary, —Miss M. Jennie Davis.
Treasurer,—Miss M. Lizzie Furnald.
Warden,—Mrs. Helen Flowers.
Conductor,—Mrs. Elizabeth L. DeForest.
I. G.,—Mrs. Sadie J. Mitchell.
L. S. N. G.,—Mrs. Beatrice Porterfield.
R. S. N. G.,—Aubrey R. Keith.
R. S. V. G.,—Miss Grace Turner.
L. S. V. G.,—Miss Lena Hadden.
Chaplain,—Mrs. Addie F. Dewhurst.
O. G.,—E. Frank Mitchell.

The district deputy was presented a bouquet by the new officers, and Mrs. Kate A. Prout, the retiring Noble Grand was presented an elegant past grand's collar.

Interesting remarks flattering to George L. Gill lodge followed and then came a grand turkey supper, for which Miss Furnald and her assistants received much praise.

Driggs Is Convicted

New York, Jan. 8.—After deliberating 45 minutes a jury found former Congressman Driggs guilty of accepting money to procure a contract between a private company and the government while serving as a member of congress. The jury recommended mercy. In response, Judge Thomas said that as Driggs undoubtedly violated the statute unwittingly, he believed he was only guilty in a technical sense.

Public Opinion Favors Lottery

Havana, Jan. 8.—The reading in the senate of the text of President Palma's veto of the lottery bill provoked strong opposition and an attempt will be made to pass the bill over the veto, to which public opinion is generally opposed. It is expected that the bill will narrowly fail by the two-third's majority which is now required.

DO YOU COUGH
DON'T DELAY
TAKE **KEMP'S BALSAM**
THE BEST COUGH CURE

It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.

Don't Get Left!

THE BARGAINS IN

Men's and Boys' Clothing

And Furnishings

AT THE

C. F. DERBY Store

Are going rapidly, many lines of goods are ENTIRELY CLOSED OUT.

A few Winter Caps left at 35c., 42c. and 79c

Men's Heavy Working Shirts, 35c. worth 60c

A Lot of Boys' & Children's Suits

WILL BE SOLD THIS WEEK.

$5 Suits, $3 75, $3 Suits, $2.25 and Suits as low as 98c.

Men's Suits, 4.49, 6.50, 8 and $10

Worth Double the Money.

Only a few Men's and Boys' OVERCOATS left.

Come in and get fitted.

We'll Make the Price RIGHT

AT THE

Great Bankrupt Sale

Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

A CENTRAL STATION.

Importance of the New Street Railway Power Plant.

Reference has frequently been made in this paper to the new power plant of the street railway building at Quincy Point. The Herald says the Massachusetts Electric Companies are installing a complete new high tension system for supplying current to all the lines included in their properties, power for the system to be generated in three new steam turbine alternating current central stations which are to supersede some thirteen engine driven direct current stations scattered over the territory served.

The lines north of Boston now receive power from ten separate power stations, five of which will be replaced by one steam turbine station aggregating 9,000 horse power, located at Danvers. The southern division is now operated from eleven direct current stations distributed irregularly over the territory served, and these will be superseded by two steam turbine central stations, one of 12,000 horse power at Fall River and one of 15,000 horse power at Quincy Point.

The alternating current from the two central stations will be received in nine sub-stations so placed that each will serve an area five miles in each direction. These sub-stations will be located at Quincy Point (in the main power house), Brockton, Milton, Abington, Bridgewater, Taunton, Fall River, Lakeville and Portsmouth, R. I.

It is the intention to have the Quincy Point turbine station in partial operation in the spring. The Brockton sub-station will go into operation about Feb. 1, 1904, and the other sub-stations will follow as soon as they can be built and equipped. Meantime, a temporary power house is being built on property adjoining the Quincy Point station, which will supply 13,200 volts current to the Brockton sub-station, until the turbine plant at Quincy Point is completed.

COUNCIL TO MEET.

Special Meeting Called by the Mayor for Monday Evening.

Mayor Bryant has called a special meeting of the City Council for next Monday evening. The business for the meeting as announced in the call is to act upon reports of the special committee on the order for printing the calendar, the order borrowing money in anticipation of taxes, the order for printing the Mayor's inaugural address, and to confirm the appointments of certain constables.

Old Colony Jr. League.

The Quincy Jrs. defeated the Quincy Point Jrs. two games out of three at the Granite street alleys, Wednesday evening. Haynes of the Point was high man rolling 251, also rolling best single of 93. French was high man for the Quincy Jrs., rolling 232.

The score:

QUINCY, JRS.

	1	2	3	Totals.
Brown,	76	70	69	215
McClay,	78	74	72	224
French,	80	81	71	232
Moran,	73	69	77	219
Nash,	72	77	80	229
Totals,	379	371	369	1119

QUINCY POINT JRS.

Dorley,	73	67	73	213
Brown,	72	69	69	210
Conrad,	73	72	63	208
Pitts,	70	77	61	208
Haynes,	93	78	80	251
Totals,	381	363	346	1090

Funeral of Mr. King.

The funeral of Mr. John S. King was held Thursday afternoon from Christ church at 2 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. William E. Gardner the rector, and attended by Granite lodge, Sons of St. George, and a delegation from the Granite Cutters' Union. The remains were escorted to Mt. Wollaston by the Sons of St. George, who performed its burial services at the grave.

TODAY'S COURT.

John S. Gallagher was fined $3 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Patrick Brennan was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until Jan. 22.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Nov. 2. 6mos.

Mrs. Goodfriend—"Are you hungry?" Frozen Stiff—"Hungry! Heavens, mum! I'm so hungry dat I could eat health-food!"—Puck.

BIG INCREASE.

Quincy Savings Bank Gaining Rapidly in Amount of Deposits.

The increase in deposits at the Quincy Savings Bank is remarkable. In ten years they have nearly doubled, having increased from $1,756,021.87 to $3,231,125.66. The increase during the last year was over $200,000, and in five years lacks only $36,000 of being a million dollars.

The assets of the bank have kept pace with the deposits, being nearly twice as large as ten years ago. The surplus Jan. 1, 1904, was $240,447.45, over twice what it was in 1894.

The following summary, showing ten years progress, will be of interest:

Jan. 1.	Assets.	Deposits.	Surplus.
1894	1,857,027.25	1,756,021.87	101,005.38
1895	1,954,057.26	1,841,836.32	112,190.94
1896	2,036,255.78	1,917 050.21	119,205.57
1897	2,111,348.93	1,975,004.74	136,344.19
1898	2,283,829.56	2,133,237.23	150,592.33
1899	2,436,838.50	2,266,708.46	170,130.04
1900	2,665,430.38	2,477,385.98	188,044.40
1901	2,796,790.20	2,594,895.22	201,894.98
1902	3,017,214.86	2,803,229.44	213,985,42
1903	3,257,996.20	3,024,535.69	233,460.51
1904	3,471,573.11	3,231,125.66	240,447.45

G. A. R. OFFICERS.

Past Commander Warner Again at Head of Paul Revere Post.

The following officers of Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R. were installed Thursday evening by Past Commander John D. Williams, assisted by Warren Monroe as officer of the day:

Commander,—William H. Warner.
Senior Vice Commander, — Thomas Ring.
Junior Vice Commander,—Samuel D. DeForest.
Officer of the Day,—Warren Dunbar.
Quartermaster,—Andrew W. Gardner.
Adjutant,—Franklin Curtis.
Officer of the Guard,—W. M. Bird.
Sergeant Major,—George L. Phillips.
Quartermaster Sergeant,—Charles A. F. Stoddard.
Chaplain,—Henry Chubbuck.
Surgeon,—James W. Pierce.

After the installation mess was served and there were brief remarks by Dr. C. M. Marstin, Commander of Post 87 of Braintree, Commander Warner and other comrades of Post 88.

MILTON.

Installation of Sons of Veterans—Local Items of Interest.

Camp 74, S. of V., held its annual installation of officers at Town Hall, Milton, Wednesday evening. The following officers were installed by Past Commander Walter F. Dove of Camp 30:

Commander,—Frank M. Chubbuck.
Senior Vice Commander,—Frank S. Leavitt.
Junior Vice Commander,—Charles Bradlee.
Chaplain,—Charles L. Weaver.
First Sergeant,—Charles A. Cook.
Quarter Sergeant,—Jesse B. Baxter.
Sergeant of the Guard,—Arthur W. Houghton.
Corporal of the Guard,—Leonard Bradlee.

Members were present from Camp 30, Dorchester, and Post 102, and a light lunch was served.

Hon. John D. Long, ex-Secretary of the Navy, spoke to the members of the Thursday evening club this week at their smoke talk.

Rev. Mr. McGann of Mattapan preached at the Mission of Our Saviour Sunday evening. The service was well attended, considering the weather.

The annual roll call meeting of the members of the East Milton Baptist church was held this week. Supper was served from 5.30 to 6.30. This was followed by a roll call of members and address by the pastor.

East Milton people had a hard time getting home from Boston last Saturday night, and it was 4.30 o'clock Sunday morning before some of them arrived.

A whist party in aid of the Free Home for Consumptives will be given by the East Milton Branch of the Y. L. C. A. at Ellsworth Hall the first of next week.

Owing to the severe cold weather the first of the week, schools were in session but part of the day.

Several cases of mumps are reported at East Milton.

George Clements, driver of Hose 2, has been laid up this week with a severe cold. Clarence Leavy has been taking his place.

A meeting of the Milton Woman's club will be held at the Town Hall next Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at which Grace Godfrey of the Simmons college of Boston will give a lecture on "Foods for school children."

John Graham is confined to his home by illness.

MAYOR REELECTED

As Commodore of the Squantum Yacht Club.

The annual meeting of the Squantum Yacht club was held Thursday evening. It was one of the largest attended meetings in the history of the club.

Reports of the several officers showed the club to be in a good financial condition.

COMMODORE BRYANT.

Commodore Bryant reported that work on the new $6000 club house was progressing favorably and that it would be ready for occupancy when the season opened.

At the election of officers Mayor Bryant was reelected as Commodore, the officers being:

Commodore,—Charles M. Bryant.
Vice Commodore,—C. J. Hendrie.
Rear Commodore,—George F. Sawyer, Jr.
Secretary,—Ernest M. Tribou.
Treasurer,—A. L. Hill.
Measurer,—Fred M. David.
Trustee for three years,—George S. Hallowell.
Regatta Committee,—Eleza F. Drew, E. J. Paterson and L. H. Brown.

The lockers in the new club house were auctioned off and netted $275.

ORDER YOUR
SUNDAY DINNER
—AT—
PRATT'S

The Best of Everything and Money Saved.

Fresh Eastern Fowl,	15 cts. lb
Face Rump Roast,	14 cts. lb
Fresh Pork Roast,	14 cts. lb
Best Rump Steak,	25 cts. lb
N. Y. Rump Steak,	12 1-2 cts. lb
Hebron Potatoes,	30 cts. pk
Fancy Celery,	20 cts. bunch
Large Prunes,	3 lbs. 25 cts
Bordeaux Catsup,	3 bot. 25 cts.
Baltimore Peaches,	15 cts. can
Pea Beans,	8 cts. qt

The Coffee we like to sell is
OUR VERY BEST
Mocha and Java, 35c. lb
We have others at lower prices.

L. M. PRATT & SON.

FULL BASKET
$1.00
FULL BASKET.

$2 00
Worth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.

9 DAYS' SALE
JANUARY 7--16.

4 Quarts Potatoes,	.01
2 lbs. Sugar,	.01
Can Tomatoes,	.01
500 Parlor Matches,	.01
12 Clothes Pins,	.01
Pkg. Ginger,	.01
6 Nutmegs,	.01
Bt. Ammonia,	.10
1 Soap,	.05
1-2 lb. Mocha and Java Coffee,	.15
Pkg. Pop Corn,	.10
Pkg. Gelatine, Homestead,	.11
1-4 lb. Tea,	.15
Pkg. Cocoa Shells,	.07
Bag Salt,	.05
1 Scouring Soap,	.03
Box Blue, Sawyer's,	.04
1 Basket in which to carry all,	.06
	$1.00

Each article shall be fresh and good and exactly as advertised.

Full Weight and Full Measure,

$2 00
Worth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.

V. E. MILLER,
CASH GROCER,
Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass

BILLS COLLECTED

On commission and reports made to clients every thirty days.
Associated with a firm of Quincy lawyers.
Mail claims or drop a postal card and I will call.
FREDERICK E. GOSS,
Quincy, Jan. 7-3t 8 Chestnut Street.

W. A. BRADFORD,

Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting,
Jobbing promptly attended to.
Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.
Open Monday and Saturday evenings.
Telephone 111-3 Quincy. Jan. 7-tf

ANNOUNCEMENT.

EBEN HARDY,

Manufacturing OPTICIAN . .

of 21 Bromfield street, Boston, has opene a Jewelry and Optical store at 307 Newport avenue, Wollaston, opposite the depot.

Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silver Ware, Opera, Field and Marine Glasses.

Eyes examined and Glasses fitted. Broken Lenses matched and replaced in our own factory.
Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired by first-class workmen. All work guaranteed.
French Clocks called for and delivered. Send postal and we will call.

EBEN HARDY,
OPTICIAN,
370 Newport Ave., Wollaston.
Dec.15—1m

F. S. BUXTON,

TEACHER OF VIOLIN

WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.
Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

MISS SPEAR'S CLASSES,

148 Goffe Street.
Kindergarten and Day pupils received.
Music, Art, Sloyd, Basketry, Gymnastics, Shorthand and Tutoring taught by experts.
C. FOLLETT SPEAR, Directress.
Voice, Piano and Harmony. Oct. 15-3m

HALL and BURGESS,

Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
25 years' experience
Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.
Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.
Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marien's store.
Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence in Medford.

FRANK W. BAILLIE,

PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

You can't buy it anywhere else.

LUCK

AT

PRATT'S,

10 cts. package.
Every Wednesday, 2 for 15 cts.

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.

JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.
HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

Dr. Emmons'

Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively cures no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 179 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.
THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted,
At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST.,
City of Quincy, Mass., by
GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee in ertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF
The Quincy Patriot.
A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the
Braintree Observer and Reporter
A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

The action of the Mayor of Omaha, in ordering the closing of a theatre during a performance because it had been declared unsafe, looks like an invitation for a panic. It would have been much better to have waited until the close of the performance. Perhaps he was seeking notoriety.

The Fifty-eighth Congress resumed its session on Monday at noon. Not more than half the members were present and the movement was sluggish. The house will wait for the appropriation bills to be reported from committees, and Republican leaders discourage other legislation. Smoot's case will have to be decided in the Senate, and the Panama canal treaty will be given a tiresome discussion. Senator Lodge's speech eulogizing the President's action as necessary and even conservative will be followed by Senator Morgan, who is always prepared to speak in behalf of the Nicaragua route. It is probable that not much will be talked about but the Panama canal in either house for some weeks.

The Massachusetts board of managers for the Louisiana purchase exposition has planned the Massachusetts building at St. Louis with special reference to the suitable housing of a representative exhibit of historical relics. We have already called attention to their appeal for a comprehensive and creditable showing of relics. There is enough good material in the Old Bay State, owned by societies or by individuals, to make up an exhibit that would appeal strongly to the people of other sections of the country, who still look with reverence, even though that reverence may sometimes be coupled with scoffing, at Massachusetts and its past. The commonwealth guarantees all expense of transportation, and constant protection and supervision of all articles connected with the history of Massachusetts which may be contributed. The director of the historical exhibit will be Miss Helen A. Whittier, 281 Dartmouth street, Boston, who has the matter now actively in charge.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Theatres are beginning to open all the emergency exits after each performance so as to accustom audiences to their use. A Brooklyn audience, without previous warning, was dismissed in this way in 3 1-2 minutes Friday night. At several Pittsburg theatres on the same night a record of 2 1-2 minutes is claimed. This is an idea that ought to be adopted everywhere, though of course even that may not entirely avert a fatal panic.—New Bedford Standard.

☞ With all their life untried before them, the passing of the milestones brings only pleasant anticipations to the young. They celebrate the turning of new pages in the book of years with delight and joy and listen with merry hearts and laughter to the ringing of the bells to welcome the glad New Year. Joy bells to them, with no low solemn cadence—the undernote of sorrow and the sadness which echoes in the ears of their elders. And it is well for them there comes no memory pictures of sorrow, disappointment and failure—well for them that as they merrily and hopefully step across the threshold no ghosts walk at their side that will not down.—Manchester Union.

Mascagni Again In Hot Water

Rome, Jan. 8.—A court at Pesaro passed a sentence evicting Signor Mascagni from the apartment occupied by him at the Rossini lyceum, which he refused to abandon, although removed from the directorship of the lyceum before going to the United States.

The Wallaroo Explosion

Sydney, N. S. W., Jan. 8.—The British cruiser Wallaroo has arrived here. It appears that the signals were misread and that only four were killed and three injured by the explosion of the ship's boilers.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

CHAFING AT DELAY

Japanese Public Sentiment Is For War With Russia

LATTER'S REPLY AT HAND

Said to Have Practically Removed All Hope of Peaceful Settlement--Japanese Minister at Paris Wants Our Aid

Tokio, Jan. 8.—The attitude of Japan toward the response of Russia is still undefined. Premier Katsura, the minister of foreign affairs, the minister of war, the minister of finance and the minister of naval affairs, held a council last evening. It was decided that the cabinet confer with the older statesmen before deciding on a course of procedure.

It is manifest that Russia's proposals are unsatisfactory. It is believed that Russia will make concessions in one direction and impose new conditions in another. The Japanese nation is deeply stirred. Public sentiment favors the abandonment of negotiations, believing them to be useless, and urges a resort to arms.

By Way of London

London, Jan. 8.—The Daily Mail's Tokio correspondent says: "Governor Taft of the Philippines had a secret conference with the Marquis Ito at the United States consulate in Yokohama. I understand that Governor Taft assured the marquis that the United States will observe friendly neutrality towards Japan in the event of war, and that if necessary it would grant the use of American ports in the far east to the Japanese fleet."

The Daily Mail's Tokio correspondent also learns that Russia has made new demands which it will be impossible for Japan to entertain. The correspondent says that all the powers are landing troops in Corea and that the British bluejackets landed at Chemulpo are expected to go to Seoul immediately.

The Daily Mail's Yokohama correspondent says that Russia's reply to Japan practically removes all hope of a peaceful settlement.

Looking Toward United States

Paris, Jan. 8.—The Japanese minister says that he has received nothing from Tokio indicating the view of his government upon the Russian communication. He added:

"The attitude of the United States will mean much. She has negotiated a treaty with China for the opening of three ports in Manchuria to the commerce of the world. These ports have been occupied by Russia and thus her treaty rights have been violated. Japan is not guided by selfish motives, but is acting in the interest of all nations. I hope the United States will clearly understand our position and will favor us with their support."

The Chinese legation claims to be without information in regard to the attitude of China in the event of war. It was said that at the outset it was certain that neutrality would be proclaimed, but in case of Japanese victories it would not surprise the legation if the Chinese should throw in their lot with Japan. This would seriously embarrass Russia, because of the danger of the interruption of the Russian communications.

The Chinese diplomats strongly deprecate war, for the reason that whether Russia or Japan is the victor they fear a final separation of territory.

The action of the United States in sending marines to Seoul is regarded here as being a "significant indication of the trend of its sympathies" and it is known to be gratifying to Japan, because it establishes a precedent which the Japanese can follow, if necessary, in debarking a strong force on the peninsula.

Denby Thinks War Certain

Pekin, Jan. 8.—General Yuan Shai Kai, commander in chief of the Chinese army and navy, has sent his chief foreign adviser, Charles Denby, Jr., of Indiana, son of the ex-United States minister to China, to investigate the report as to the probability of war. Mr. Denby has reported that according to the best opinions obtainable based on diplomatic information war cannot be averted.

Buying Arms In Italy

Rome, Jan. 8.—The presence of Admiral Miri and other Japanese officers in Italy is officially ignored by the government, as none of the officers have visited the naval or war offices and as their presence has not been announced by the Japanese legation. The government, however, is aware that they are making contracts for the purchase of arms.

Poor Railroad Facilities

Pekin, Jan. 8.—Major Nathan, an officer of the British army, who was second in command of railway transportation in the Transvaal during the Boer war, has arrived here. He travelled over the Siberian railway with the special view of ascertaining the possibilities of the road for the transportation of troops and supplies in the event of war. Major Nathan made careful observations and collected a great amount of data. His opinion, based on his observations, is that the railroad would break down and that its administration would find itself hopelessly confused within a week under the stress of war emergencies.

WAS WHITE HOUSE PET

Death of Ruth, Eldest Child of Former President Cleveland

Princeton, N. J., Jan. 8.—After a few days' illness, which began with an attack of tonsilitis, and developed suddenly into diphtheria, former President Cleveland's oldest daughter, Ruth, died suddenly. Dr. Bryant, who has for many years been the family physician of the Clevelands, was summoned from New York,, but did not arrive until after Miss Cleveland's death. Mrs. Cleveland is prostrated at the death of her daughter.

Ruth Cleveland was born on Oct. 3, 1891, in her father's residence at New York after Mr. Cleveland had served his first term as president. She was named after Mrs. Cleveland's grandmother, and as "Baby Ruth" was a great favorite in Washington society during her father's second term in the White House.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland have four remaining children, Esther, who was born in the White House in 1893; Marion, born at Gray Gables, Buzzards Bay, in 1895; Richard F., born at Princeton in 1897, and Francis Grover, born at Gray Gables in 1903.

It is now understood that Ruth's illness prevented Mr. Cleveland's attendance at the dinner to Mayor McClellan in New York on Jan. 4.

Passengers In a Panic

Buffalo, Jan. 8.—A panic following the blowing out of a controller on a Broadway street car last evening resulted in the injury of a score of persons, six of them seriously. When the explosion occurred the front platform was soon in flames and the heat was so intense that all the windows in the car cracked and fell to pieces. The 28 people in the car made a rush for the door. A woman fell; others stumbled over her and the doorway became jammed. Some of the panic-stricken crowd jumped through the windows, while others clambered over the prostrate woman and succeeded in getting out of the door. The blazing car ran five blocks before it was brought to a standstill.

Morgan Talks on Panama

Washington, Jan. 8.—Mr. Morgan occupied the time of the senate in a reply to the speech of Mr. Lodge, delivered last Tuesday. Mr. Morgan again criticised the president and the attitude of this government in connection with the Panama republic. He introduced numerous newspaper extracts to bear out his contention that the revolution was assisted by officers and citizens of the United States. Mr. Morgan said that if the United States should withdraw from the isthmus Colombia would quickly drive out the few revolutionists and their supporters.

Lineage of Joan of Arc

Rome, Jan. 8.—Documents have been found tending to prove that Joan of Arc was the daughter of an Italian, Ferrante Ghisilieri, who came from Constantinople in 1413 and settled in Bologna. After the estates of Ghisilieri had been usurped he emigrated to France, where he had three children, one of whom was Joan. The documents say it is difficult to ascertain the truth because Ferrante Ghisilieri, after his arrival in France, changed his name to D'Arc.

Volcano Frightens Mexicans

Guadalajara, Mex., Jan. 8.—Violent eruptions on Mount Colima volcano have alarmed the inhabitants of the adjacent country. Many of the people have left their homes and sought safety from the ashes and lava. The most terrorizing feature of the eruption is the earthquake shocks which are felt in the region of the volcano. These seismic disturbances are of unusual severity.

Fire at National Capitol

Washington, Jan. 8.—A fire in the electric duct on the senate side of the Capitol building last night burned the insulation off the wires and left that portion of the structure in total darkness. The firemen were busy about an hour before the flames were under control. The fire probably was the result of crossed electric light wires. The amount of damage is not known.

Explosion In Gas House

Glens Falls, N. Y., Jan. 8.—Four employes of the Glens Falls Gas and Electric Light company were badly injured by an explosion in the gas house of the company. A leak in the main leading from the purifying tanks to the storage tanks caused the trouble. The evening papers, which depend on gas for power, were not issued until late last night.

Christians' Lives In Danger

Salonica, Jan. 8.—An order has been received from Constantinople to hold the third army corps in readiness. There is great military activity in Seres. Troops are leaving Monastir for Uskub. A massacre of Christians at Monastir is expected in the event of the departure of Hilmi Pacha, the inspector general of the sultan's reform movement.

Engineers Returning to Work

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Engineers have returned to work in four hotels out of the 12 where strikes were called because of the refusal of members of the Hotel Men's association to sign an agreement with the union members for a higher wage scale.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Saturday, Jan. 9.
Sun rises—7:14; sets—4:29.
Moon's last quarter—4:10 p. m.
Moon's last quarter—4:10 p. m.
The temperature in eastern districts has reached normal conditions. The weather in New England will be unsettled, with rain or snow.

CITY BREVITIES.

This is installation week with the fraternal societies.

City teams are carting the surplus snow out of City Square.

It did not look very cold out this morning but one had only to be out a few minutes to learn that it was quite frosty.

Services were held in all the Wollaston churches last Sunday although zero weather prevailed. At the Methodist church six gathered; at the Baptist, twelve; at the Unitarian, 21, and at the Congregational 30.

The next meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian Club will be held on Tuesday evening, January 12. Dinner will be served promptly at six-thirty. The club will be addressed by Mr. Alfred Farlow on the "Essentials of Christian Science."

Against Smokers.

Brockton has a new city marshal who would probably please Henry H. Faxon, who has written often of political smokers.

City Marshal William A. Boyden, who came into office at Brockton on Monday, has issued an edict that so-called smoke talks and other gatherings at which tickets are sold entitling the holders to intoxicating refreshments, will not be allowed.

Members of one of the labor unions had planned to give such a "smoker" for the benefit of a needy member, and asked permission of the new city marshal to have several barrels of beer delivered at the hall. His ruling was absolute and the "smoker" was declared off. It is asserted that previous city marshals have allowed such social affairs.

F. of A. Officers.

The following officers of Court Roger Wolcott, F. of A., were installed Wednesday evening:

C. R.,—James O'Dowd.
S. C. R.,—J. T. Reinhalter.
P. C. R.,—Alex McIntosh.
T.,—H. L. Bouton.
F. S.,—S. McCormack.
R. S.,—A. Martell.
S. W.,—W. J. Hebert.
J. W.,—R. Watson.
S. B.,—A. Porper.
J. B.,—J. DeCoste.
Physician,—Dr. J. H. Ash.
D.,—J. E. Quimby.
Trustees,—P. Carew for one year, A. Adams for 2 years, J. Moriarty for 3 years.
Pianist, George Anderson.

OPERA FAD IN PARIS.

Headdress of Consonance All the Rage Among Women.

The latest fad for the opera and playhouse is the headdress of Consonance, says a Paris dispatch to the New York American. When Wagner is given the women powder their hair with gold and adorn it with oak leaves, because these things harmonize with "Rheingold" and "Gotterdammerung." On other evenings brunettes decorate their hair with wreaths of American Beauty roses, cherries and coral twigs, while blonds select laurel or evergreen leaves, adding small white flowers or silver acorns.

At the theaters devoted to classical productions a Desdemona cap is much seen on the heads of pretty women, some of whom add colored precious stones or a white feather aigret. When Ibsen is on the stage Hedda Gabler's wine leaves are worn and antique diadems.

Emma Calve appeared the other day with four enormous golden grapes on her black tresses, and the fashion is gaining ground. Two were fastened on both sides of the head in front, two others behind the ears among reddish vine leaves.

Mme. Laborl, the pretty American wife of the great lawyer, is often seen evenings wearing a little cap of colored velvet incrusted with silver or gold coins.

The parliament building in Wellington New Zealand, is the largest wooden structure in the world. In Wellington, and some other New Zealand towns, almost every house is constructed of wood. Large churches and important business premises are built of the same material.

Dragged-Down Feeling

In the loins.
Nervousness, unrefreshing sleep, despondency.
It is time you were doing something.
The kidneys were anciently called the reins—in your case they are holding the reins and driving you into serious trouble.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Acts with the most direct, beneficial effect on the kidneys. It contains the best and safest substances for correcting and toning these organs.

SKATES SHARPENED.
Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .
24 Granite Street,
NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.
Dec. 21. 1m

WOOD! WOOD! WOOD!
OF ALL KINDS.
DRY AND GREEN
At Lowest Possible Prices.
THOS. O'BRIEN & SONS.
Yard off Miller and West Streets, West Quincy.
Jan. 7. tf

Sleep For Sale.

Registered Trade Mark.
Copyrighted by Ostermoor & Co. N.Y.

The "Sleep that knits up the raveled sleeve of care." You can own it, can command this priceless witchery of restful sleep, if you will but own an Ostermoor patent elastic felt Mattress.

Nothing on earth you can own will give you more absolute comfort than a luxurious Ostermoor Mattress.

If you wish to travel all the way to old age without missing connection at any stage of the game you must command sleep, and you can't help sleeping if you own an Ostermoor Mattress.

Full Size, $15.00, in 2 parts, $15 50.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store,
Hancock Street, Quincy.
We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,
DRUGGIST,
1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

NOVELETTES

Will be a Feature for Several Weeks
OF THE
SATURDAY EIGHT-PAGE LEDGER.

EVERY STORY
IS
COPYRIGHTED AND ILLUSTRATED
AND ARE BY
Distinguished Writers.

Some Are 6 and 7 Columns in Length.

— OUR —
Capitol Shoe
FOR BOYS.
Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.

Sizes 12 to 2 $1 75
Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2.00

The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.

Every Pair Warranted.

GEORGE W. JONES,
Adams Building, - QUINCY.

A 20 per cent. Reduction.

For dates in January and February the experiment will be tried of giving a special discount of 20 per cent. in the prices of Quincy Music Hall. The price scale as it is, though doubtless seeming high to some, is not really so when a fair account is taken of the many, many expenses of running a large hall and keeping it in first class condition, as well as the fact that at best such a hall can be rented only a small part of the time. The prices of Music Hall are not now changed, merely the experiment is to be made of giving this special discount to engagements coming in these two special months.

The Location is the best of any hall in the city. The street cars pass the door with a turn out right in front of the Hall.

The Floor is of selected maple laid with the greatest care, and is kept in perfect condition being covered with canvas when not used for dancing.

The Ventilation—a most important consideration—is such as to keep the air pure with even a crowded hall and without causing any drafts.

The Hall is Lighted by electricity, brilliantly and pleasantly, and with a switchboard arranged so that all desired effects can be obtained in the Hall proper or on the stage. Gas is used as an auxiliary light.

The Heating is direct—indirect, ample, and giving the most healthful results.

The Stage has been designed with care, and is furnished with a particularly generous supply of attractive and appropriate scenery.

For Advertising, the Music Hall Billboards throughout the City are of very great value

To Darken the Hall, there are special window fittings so that at noonday the Hall can be made as dark as at midnight.

In case of fire there are pails of water and chemical fire extinguishers throughout the Hall. There is an asbestos fire curtain by which the Stage can be instantly cut off from the Hall proper. There are nine (9) doors opening from the Hall and five (5) separate exits.

As a whole, Quincy Music Hall has been carefully planned to meet the requirements of those who wish a *large and really first class Hall.*

QUINCY MUSIC HALL

Dec. 26. tf

IF YOU WANT PLAIN OR FANCY

CHEESE

GO TO THE

Meadowbrook Creamery,

QUINCY, MASS.

Most Complete Line in the City.

The Only Place in QUINCY

Where you can buy the Famous

WINGOLD FLOUR

Harbor Light Coffee

--AND--

Star Brand Coffee

IS AT THE

CONSOLIDATED

ADAMS BUILDING,

Headquarters for High Grade MEATS and GROCERIES.

A RESERVE FUND.

Provided for by Wollaston Foundry Relief Association.

The semi-annual meeting of the Wollaston Foundry Relief Association was held at Music hall, Atlantic Tuesday evening.

Amendments were adopted to the constitution and by-laws authorizing the association to hold a reserve fund of at least $500.

The auditing committee reported the financial condition of the treasury as excellent, with a substantial balance on hand, not withstanding the large amount paid out to sick beneficiaries during the past year.

Election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows.

President,—Daniel McGrath.

Vice President,—Cornelius Duggan.

Recording Secretary,—Cornelius O'Connell.

Finaucial Secretary,—Fred L. White.

Treasurer,—William Crump.

After the business session, an entertainment was given by the members during which refreshments were served. The program included:

Opening address by President McGrath.

Selections on the phonograph by the courtesy of H. P. Furnald of Quincy.

Fife and drum team, Sullivan and Madigan.

Monologue T. A. Whalen.

Accordion and Bagpipe duet, Charles and J. P. Bevis.

Vocal solos Messrs Brennon, Duggan and Hannon.

Vocal duet, "The Tanyard Side" by C. O'Connell and D. A. Golden.

The serpentine dance by Arthur Johnson evoked uproarious applause.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condiuon, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that ca nnot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

EXPLOSION OF GAS

Store and Home Above It Are Blown to Pieces

SACRIFICE OF TWO LIVES

Firemen Reached Woman Who Was Roasting to Death, but Were Unable to Extricate Her From Ruins--Many Injured

Montague, Me., Jan. 8.—Without a moment's warning the store and home above it of James and Thomas Cleary was blown to pieces by a gas explosion in the basement. Two persons were killed, five others severely injured, while a score of persons on the street sustained cuts from flying glass. James Cleary, who was in the basement, was burned to death, while Miss Nettie Platt, a clerk, was caught in the ruins, and despite the frantic efforts of a score of men to release her, suffered a similar fate.

The escape of Thomas Cleary, who was in the store at the time, and of his mother, Mrs. James Cleary and her baby, James Varney and Robert Clancy, all of whom were in the rooms above the store, was almost miraculous. Those in the rooms above were hurled with terrific force onto the snow outside the building and the elder Mrs. Cleary was severely, if not fatally, injured. Varney had his head badly cut, and Clancy had a leg and arm dislocated, but neither Mrs. James Cleary nor her baby was injured. Thomas Cleary, who happened to be in the front of the store at the time, was blown into the street and badly bruised and he is suffering so severely as to be delirious.

The force of the explosion hurled some of the pieces of the building a distance of a quarter of a mile and broke glass in nearly every house in town. Every pane in a drug store directly opposite was demolished and a large number of bottles were also broken.

The explosion is believed to have occurred while James Cleary was arranging the gas machine for the night. He was downstairs at the time, and on the ground floor was his brother, Thomas Cleary, and Miss Platt. So far as known there was no other person in that part of the building when the explosion occurred. The ruins took fire almost immediately and burned with great fierceness. Miss Platt was caught between the counter and a heavy wall, and while the firemen were able to get near enough to grasp her hand, they could not cut her out from the timbers which pinned her down before the flames drove them back. Her pleadings to be saved were heartrending. She died before their eyes.

The building was somewhat isolated from the rest of those on the main street, so that the flames did not communicate to any other property. The Cleary brothers carried a heavy stock of millinery goods, as well as a variety of merchandise, and the loss on the building and its contents is estimated at $25,000.

Lost Bonus by Striking

Philadelphia, Jan. 8.—S. M. Wetherly, treasurer of the Keystone Type foundry, announces that the strike inaugurated by the Union Type Founders throughout the United States has been declared off by the union and that the men have been instructed to return to work at the best terms they can get. The men will not be given a bonus of 5 percent on their wages offered them, but will receive the same wages and work the same hours they did before the strike was declared.

Odell to Act For Roosevelt

New York, Jan. 8.—The World says: As a result of the recent conferences between President Roosevelt, Governor Odell and Senator Platt, the World can announce that Governor Odell will be in command of the Roosevelt campaign for re-election in New York state this year. The plan has the sanction of both the president and Senator Platt and the governor has consented to accept the responsibility.

Philippine Farmers Prospering

Manila, Jan. 8.—This is the first year since the insurrection in 1896 that the crops of rice and other cereals in Bulucan, Pamanga and Tarlac provinces of Luzon have been large and of good quality. This is attributed to the fact that the farmers are now protected from the raids of the insurgent tax collectors.

Marine Insurance Advanced

San Francisco, Jan. 8.—A leading insurance broker says that prominent insurance companies have received cablegrams stating that war is inevitable, and in consequence the war risks on immediate sailings have been advanced to 4 percent and on sailings during the latter part of this month to 10 percent.

Wanted In South America

Philadelphia, Jan. 9.—Russell Beckett, the fugitive bank clerk who is wanted in Chile for robbing the bank of Tarapaca of $15,000, Chilean money, was remanded to the custody of the Chilean consul here, pending habeas corpus proceedings.

Engineer Held Responsible

Chambersburg, Pa., Jan. 8.—The coroner's jury returned a verdict holding Engineer Shenabrough responsible for the wreck on the Cumberland Valley railroad in which three people were killed and nearly a score injured.

GLINES' DOWNFALL

Speculation by Haverhill's City Treasurer Led Him to Steal

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 8.—The citizens can hardly believe the confession of John A. Glines, who resigned from the office of city treasurer while under arrest, after admitting the theft of $43,000 worth of bonds belonging to the city.

Stock speculation caused the downfall of the man who for nearly 14 years has been in control of the city's finances, with his word accepted as gospel and honored and respected alike in commercial, social and religious life. Never has the breath of suspicion attached to the man, who has been long regarded as a paragon.

His stealings were accidentally discovered. A few days ago the city auditor found his books apparently correct, and when members of the sinking fund commission visited Boston yesterday and saw their city's bonds advertised for sale they made investigation. Great was their astonishment when they were told that Glines had pledged them. Sorrowfully they returned home and confronted him. His confession and arrest followed in rapid sequence.

Last night the man who was looked upon as an ideal citizen and model official occupied a cell beneath the office in which he labored in the morning, while his wife and 16-year-old daughter weep at the stunning blow which has befallen them. Their grief is shared by the entire community.

Diet of Pork and Eels

Nantucket, Mass., Jan. 8.—Despite a warm southerly wind the ice embargo about the island still continues and there seems little prospect of a steamer reaching the island with provisions. What food there is here is holding out well, although the last of the beef sold at 40 cents a pound. Pork and eels will probably be the main staple until a steamer arrives.

Came Back Without Farmer

Boston, Jan. 8.—State Detective Hammond, who went to Philadelphia after Arthur M. Farmer, who is under arrest in that city, has returned to Boston for requisition papers. Farmer is wanted at Newburyport on the charge of polygamy. He was arrested last fall in Denver, but escaped from the officers while being brought east.

Cotton Mills Resume Work

Montville, Conn., Jan. 8.—The cotton mills of the Uncasville Manufacturing company at Uncasville, which have been shut down because of the spinners and doffers' strike, have resumed operations, the strikers voluntarily returning to work. The strike was caused by a reduction in wages. The shutdown was the first one in 18 years.

He Found the Leak

South Hadley, Mass., Jan. 8.—While endeavoring to inspect a gas generator at the works of the South Hadley Gas company with the aid of a lighted match, Clarence T. Snow had the top of his head blown off. Snow's body was blown some distance, and the top of his head taken off by a flying piece of iron.

Bank President to Retire

Fitchburg, Mass., Jan. 8.—Henry Allison, for 30 years president of the Safety Fund National bank, has agreed to sell the 381 shares of stock owned and controlled by himself and members of his family to a syndicate representing directors of the bank, who asked recently for the president's resignation.

Lived to Be Nearly 104

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 8.—Mrs. Harriet B. Littlhale, the oldest resident of Tyngsboro, is dead, lacking but three months of being 104 years old. Two children, 12 grandchildren and many great grandchildren survive. Before her death there were five generations represented in the family.

Hemmed In by Ice

Vineyard Haven, Mass, Jan. 8.—Nantucket sound and the shoals south of Chatham are still blocked with ice, and the four tugs which have been laying at anchor here waiting for clear water have made no effort to leave with their tows.

WHY MOTHERS WORRY

Did you ever hear a mother worry over a plump child? There is no better bank of health for a child to draw from than a good supply of healthy flesh.

Scott's Emulsion not only gives a child weight and plumpness, but it feeds the brain, bones and nerves with strength and active power.

Fewer mothers would worry if they knew more about Scott's Emulsion.

Scott's Emulsion is substituted by cheap emulsions and so-called wines, cordials and extracts of cod-liver oil. They can do you no good and are dear at any price. Why buy them? Scott's Emulsion has been the one reliable preparation of cod-liver oil for nearly thirty years.

We'll send you a sample free upon request.
SCOTT BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York.

A COLOMBIAN MESSAGE

Secession of Panama Occurred Through Plan of Bribery

Bogota, Jan. 8.—Nineteen senators have addressed the following dispatch to United States Senator Gorman:

"The undersigned Colombian senators heartily congratulate you and those who support you in defending the ideas of justice and the respect for rights proclaimed by General Washington and sustained by all your great statesmen. The Colombian senate disapproved the Hay-Herran canal treaty because it impaired our national jurisdiction and was contrary to our laws.

"The secession of Panama did not take place as the result of a generous impulse, but through the treacherous plan of bribing the public forces, and it simply subsists by the intervention of President Roosevelt, who, occupying the adjacent seas with a powerful navy, impedes Colombia's access to an integral part of its territory. If this deed were to be consummated Colombia would lose materially, but the United States would lose her moral greatness.

"We still confide in the dignity of that honest school which cherishes and conserves the spirit of the founders of liberty in the new world against the false right of conquest which is today veiled under the name of imperialism."

Dietrich Raises Fine Point

Omaha, Jan. 8.—The trial of United States Senator Dietrich on an indictment alleging bribery in connection with the appointment of a postmaster at Hastings progressed rapidly until a point was reached where the first witness for the government was placed on the stand when Mr. Cowin, chief counsel for Dietrich, interposed a demurrer, on the ground that Dietrich had not taken the oath and was not, therefore, a United States senator when the alleged bribery occurred. The court will hand down an opinion today. The point raises the question of whether a member of congress is amenable to the United States government as a member of congress between the time of his election and the date of his qualification as a member of the house to which he is elected.

A Decision on Wind Shields

New York, Jan. 8.—The joint committee of the National Trotting association decided to disallow Lou Dillon's record of 2:05 to a high-wheeled ball-bearing sulky, made at Cleveland Sept. 12 last. In regard to the use of wind shields the committee's finding is as follows: "No record can be made with a 'wind shield,' other than the ordinary dirt shield and pacemaker in front. A performance with pacemaker in front, with dirt shield, shall be recorded with a distinguishing mark, referring to a note stating the facts."

Twenty-Five Hundred Guests

Washington, Jan. 8.—The reception in honor of the diplomatic corps, the first formal evening social event of the season at the White House, was given last night by President and Mrs. Roosevelt. It was very largely attended, about 2500 persons crowding into the house during the two hours of the reception. Invited to meet the diplomatic corps were the members of the cabinet, the supreme court, the entire representation in both houses of congress, officers of the army and navy and others.

Fighter, Diplomat and Editor

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 8.—General Victor Vifquain, a pioneer of Nebraska, died last night. He served throughout the war of the rebellion and was one of the few men whom congress by vote commended for bravery. He was United States consul respectively at Barranquilla and Colon, during the first and second administrations of President Cleveland. For a number of years he was editor of the Lincoln Democrat. General Vifquain was born in France 67 years ago.

Posted on Postal Affairs

Washington, Jan. 8.—Postmaster General Payne has appointed former Representative Loud of California as the United States delegate to the international postal congress to meet in Rome next spring. A congressional appropriation of $7500 is available for the expenses of the delegate. Loud was chairman of the house committee on postoffices for some years.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Dr. James F. Ferguson, one of the best known of the old school of surgeons, died at his home at Central Falls, N. Y. He was born in 1839. He saw a great deal of service and was wounded in the Civil war. He was a man of large fortune.

Edward Wilson 35, was instantly killed by an explosion of dynamite in a well that was being dug in the village of Linwood, Mass.

General John B. Gordon is dangerously ill at his home, Biscayne, Fla. The attack is inflammation of the stomach, caused by an acute attack of indigestion.

Siegfried Wurzburg, a former police commissioner of Mount Vernon, N. Y., committed suicide at that place by shooting.

Dr. John H. Batchelder, prominently identified with dental associations throughout New England, died at his home at Salem, Mass. He was 87 years old and a native of Beverly, Mass. Dr. Batchelder was a representative to the Massachusetts legislature in 1866 and 1867.

Amos E. Dolbier, representative to the legislature from Kingfield, Me., in 1859, died at Farmington, Me., aged 84.

Secretary Root has made an adverse report on the bill providing for the purchase of the McLean property at Appomatox, Va., in commemoration of the surrender of the army of northern Virginia to General Grant.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

Special Sale.

All Goods soiled and handled during the

Christmas Rush

And all Christmas Goods must be sold before NEW YEARS.

Very Low Prices.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER.
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

DANCING.

COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.

BASKET BALL

AND DANCING
THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all ormer pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For further particulars apply to ELMER W BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple,	$8.00
Dry Pine Wood,	7.00
Dry Pine Slabs,	6 00
Green Hard Wood,	7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.

THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,
Yard between Miller and West Streets.
Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.
Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.
Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

TELEPHONES

—FOR—

Suburban Residents

The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company offers, for a limited period, trial telephones in suburban residences of those who have never had telephone service.

Contract Department,
101 Milk Street.
Telephone, Main 6028.
Boston, Oct. 21. tf

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. F. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store, Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St. W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BRESVER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Encouragement.

Pupil (after repeated attempts)—Oh, I'm sure I never shall be able to!

Professor—Oh, yes, you will. I was just as big a donkey myself at first!

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	4	10	42	23	39
Monday,	8	18	42	22	54
Tuesday,	11	23	40	44	59
Wednesday,	24	35	38	47	41
Thursday,	35	32	31	27	34
Friday,	27	36	37	46	29
Saturday,	—	31	18	24	28

New Advertisements Today.

Great Bankrupt Sale—C. F. Derby's Store.
For Sale—Second Hand Sleigh.
Wanted—Swedish Girl.
L. M. Pratt & Son—Sunday Dinner.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Miss Marion Barker has returned to Philadelphia to resume her work.

A baby boy has come to bless the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Soule.

Master Wellington Read, youngest son of Mr. Harry Read of Squantum street, continues critically ill.

Mrs. Winthrop Crocker of Arlington street has for her guest her mother, Mrs. Bates of Brockton.

A meeting of the special committee appointed by President Nichols at the inauguration of the city government will be held tonight.

Miss Lillian Waterhouse of the Massachusetts Fields school has been called away several days to Portland on account of the death of a relative.

Miss Katherine M. Shea, Common street, entertained the members of St. Ambrose Court, M. C. O. F., Wednesday evening, in a delightful manner at her home.

A church conference and prayer meeting was held at Bethany Congregational church at 3 P. M. Thursday. The rewards and blessings of discipleship, was the subject of the day.

The executive committee of the Quincy Yacht club has arranged for a club dinner to be held at the American House, Boston, next Tuesday evening. Dinner will be served at 6.30.

A visitor from a small town the other side of Boston commenting on the wretched condition of the sidewalk leading from City Square to the depot said: "Such a condition would not be surprising in our little town, but in a city like Quincy, why it ought not to be allowed. Are not the abutters obliged to clear the snow from their sidewalks in the business sections?"

Owing to the extreme cold weather there has been little or no business in the granite district this month. The manufactuers, however, do not care much. They are well supplied with orders for spring delivery and while they would keep their gang at work if weather permitted they are not over and above anxious to do much work now as it would tie up too much money.

The members of F. L. F. society held their first meeting at the home of Miss Mollie Starr, Thursday evening. The officers elected were: President, Alice Galvin; Treasurer, Carrie Blanding. Refreshments were served and a very enjoyable evening was passed. The committee for games and amusement are Kathie McDonald, Ella Blanding and Mollie Starr.

Harris Barber, Fred Thayer and Robert Wright have returned to college.

Celebration of the Lord's Supper at Bethany church at 11.30 Sunday morning.

L. M. Pratt & Son quote prices at which they will furnish your Sunday dinner.

It will cost about $1,875 to repair the house of Charles F. Marr damaged by fire on Monday.

The carpenters will probably raise the new Quincy Adams freight house on Presidents avenue today.

The Republican State Committee organized on Thursday by reelecting Maj. Thomas Talbot of Billerica as chairman and H. H. Atherton, Jr., of Saugus as secretary. H. C. Gallagher of Milton again represents this district.

The flag on the Atlantic schoolhouse was at half mast two days this week for the death of a pupil, Miss Helen E. Daly, aged eight years. She was the daughter of Mr. R. W. Daly of Holmes street, Norfolk Downs.

"The Japanese Drama" will be the subject considered at the Unity club tonight with Mrs. Herbert Gurney as director. The music for the evening is to be furnished by Mr and Mrs. Otis Allen. A cordial invitation is extended to all interested to be present.

HOME TEAMS WIN.

Basket Ball at the Coliseum and at West Quincy.

The basket ball game at the Coliseum Thursday evening between the Quincys and Bowdoin A. A. team was rather one-sided as the local team won 38 to 3. For the Quincys 9 goals were scored from the floor by Cushing, 5, by Collins 4 by Mahoney, and one by Jones. For the visitors, Curran scored a goal from the floor and Godfrey one from foul. Mr. Parker was referee.

The other game was close, the Quincy, Jrs., winning 12 to 10 from the Riversides. For the Quincys the goals from the floor were made by Dawson 2, Martell 2, and Turner 2. For the Riversides,—Geary 4, and Herbert one.

At West Quincy.

The St. Marys had it all their own way with the Tufts '04 team Thursday evening, winning 36 to 6. The goals for St. Marys were scored as follows. By Barry 9, by Donovan 4, by McGilvray 2, by Morril 3. For the visitors: by Hennelly 1, and by Davis 1. Both teams secured two goals on fouls.

The St. Marys, Jr., defeated the Saratoga team from East Boston 20 to 2. Goals from the floor were scored for the home team by Duggan 5, Keating 2, Amet 2 and McLaughlin 1. The only score of the visitors was a goal from foul. The attendance was large.

PITTSBURG'S PLAID CRAZE.

Many Residents of Scotch Descent Hunt Up Histories of Clans.

Pittsburg is threatened with an invasion of the vogue of Scotch plaid. Cravats, neckties, shirt waists, mitts, tailor made costumes and bows fashioned after the patterns of the tartans of Scottish ancestors are fast taking a firm hold in Pittsburg.

Pittsburgers whose forefathers mingled with the clansmen and wore the time honored kilts revere the striking colors of the old tartans and with the growth of family pride comes a still greater admiration for the bright hued costumes of the Scots. In Scotland this reverence for a good name and a distinguished lineage finds expression in the adoption of the tartan's colors in modern apparel, and among the Scottish descendants in the United States, and more particularly in Pittsburg, the same veneration for ancestry is shown by many families.

The consequence is that Scotch-Americans and the descendants of Scotch-Americans are ransacking books on heraldry and the history of the clans in search of the patterns of the tartans which the highlanders wore in the days of Wallace and Bruce. In this they have little difficulty. In Scotland the same plaids are worn today, and the weaves are similar in most minute detail to those worn in the days when the tartan was the badge of courage and undying patriotism.

Of course the kilt would hardly be accepted favorably in the Fifth avenue promenade even if the lovers of the plaid could be constrained to risk rheumatism and influenza. However, the colors of the tartans are adaptable in hundreds of ways to the latest cuts of clothes for men and women, and the feminine descendants of Flora McDonald are especially alert to see how fetchingly they can be used.

"Is Henry any better off than he used to be?"

"No, rather worse if anything."

"Why, I thought he had his salary increased?"

"Yes, but not in proportion to his wife's ideas. They used to try to lead a champagne existence on a beer income but now they are going in for liquid air on the champagne basis."

DIED.

ELLIS—In West Quincy, Jan. 7, Mrs. Eliza, wife of Mr. Robert Ellis, 2d, of 11 Robertson street, aged 62 years.

MAHON—In Milton, Jan. 7, Mr. John F. Mahon, of Central avenue, aged 26 years.

LEGISLATURE.

(Continued from page 1.)

make certain that the rivalries of towns and cities, their desire for buildings, parks and other improvements, should not so far involve them in debt as to endanger their credit, or to make their rates of taxation a burden.

"There is a similar statutory provision in many of the states of the Union and in several it has been made a part of the constitution, so as to absolutely prevent the Legislature from making any exception. We shall have less burdensome conditions if the law is more strictly adhered to. I find that during the last 10 years there have been passed scores of special bills, permitting the borrowing of money outside of the debt limit. I filed with the General Court last year my objections to certain bills of this character. I trust that in your action you may deem it wise to maintain the general law, and permit no exceptions thereto except in the case of some extraodinary emergency, where undoubted harm would result from your refusal."

Quincy is mentioned in the Governor's address in connection with the Fore river improvements.

IN COLLISION.

Conductor Cleveland and a Brakeman Seriously Injured.

There was a serious accident to the 6.42 inward train from Quincy this morniag caused by that train being run into by an express train.

The 6.42 came to a stop near Crescent Avenue station and Conductor Cleveland and a brakeman got beneath the train to make some repairs. They neglected, however, to send a flagman back, and while beneath the train the express ran into them.

Both Conductor Cleveland and the brakeman were injured, the conductor more seriously. The injured men were put aboard the train and taken to Boston. The passengers escaped serious injuries.

Poisonous and Harmless Snakes.

There is a certain physiological difference between the poisonous and harmless snakes which exists very plainly in their manner of dentition. All snakes are objects of aversion and dread to mankind, so much so that to be bitten by a snake has at times been so fearful to the victim as to have produced death although the snake was harmless. Such is the instinctive dread with which these reptiles are thought of that it may be desirable to have some easy mode of distinguishing the one kind from the other. This distinguishing characteristic is afforded by the teeth In all poisonous snakes there are only two rows of teeth, the fang or fangs being arranged either within the two rows or outside of them. The harmless snakes have four distinct rows of teeth, and when the bite shows this kind of wound and not any single deeper or larger puncture there need be no apprehension.

Walking For Malaria.

Obstinate cases of malaria that have withstood the ocean voyages, mountain heights and quinine dosing are said to have been conquered by systematic and continued walking. What the malarial patient wants most to do is to sit indoors, nurse his aches and pains or to lie down and doze. Advocates of the walking cure maintain that fresh air is an antidote not only to the malaria itself, but to the blues, which usually accompanies it. Their advice to the sufferer is to dress up warmly if the weather is damp or rainy and go out to walk. Wear flannel next to the skin, stout shoes and simple hat. If it is warm, dress lightly, but carry a wrap to throw around the shoulders against drafts and too rapid cooling off. When one comes to think of it, there are few maladies on earth that fresh air and moderate exercise are not good for.

The Spectroscope.

Originally the spectroscope was applied only to chemistry, and in that limited field proved itself an invaluable aid in accurate analysis. By holding in a Bunsen flame a platinum wire moistened by contact with the skin the presence of a few grains of salt swallowed a few minutes previously can be detected with the spectroscope. Indeed, so wonderfully refined is the work of the spectroscope chemist that he can discover in a substance the presence of one three-millionth of a grain of metal.

Didn't See Them.

"How did your nephew's wedding pass off?"

"Just splendid."

"Were there any contretemps?"

"I don't think so. I didn't see any. You see, we had the church thoroughly cleaned up before the wedding took place."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Their Haste.

"Their marriage was a hasty affair, I understand."

"Yes, indeed. They told the minister to hurry, as they had engaged a cabman by the hour."—Judge.

Custom may lead a man into many errors, but it justifies none.—Fielding.

The hook and ladder truck at Wollaston now has a four-horse hitch, and the hose is on a sled drawn by two horses.

IROQUOIS INQUEST

The Merits of Asbestos Curtains Under Discussion

CAN'T STAND HIGH HEAT

Witness Professes Anxiety to Examine Theatre Ruins to Sustain Contention That Curtain Is In Good Condition

Chicago, Jan. 8.—One dozen people appeared as witnesses in the coroner's inquest over the victims of the Iroquois theatre fire, which opened in the city council chamber in the city hall. No person was admitted to the council chamber without an order or a subpoena from the coroner. Even members of the city council who applied for admission were turned away.

The chief witnesses of the day were Edwin Foy, the comedian of the "Mr. Bluebeard" company, and George W. Stetson of Hingham, Mass., a representative of the company which manufactured the asbestos curtain. The evidence of Foy did not differ greatly from the statements which have been published heretofore concerning his action on the day of the fire.

Mr. Foy declared that he was satisfied in his own mind that the fire was caused by sparks from the "spot" light, but that he had no personal knowledge of the fact. He testified that the only precaution against fire that he knew of was the rule against smoking.

Mr. Stetson said that there were two kinds of asbestos curtains, one in which a fine brass wire was interwoven, the other being without the wire. Both curtains were of equal use against flames, the wire being merely to provide greater tensile strength to the fabric. When asked by Coroner Traeger how he accounted for the burning up of his fireproof curtain, Mr. Stetson replied that he did not believe it had burned up and that he had every reason to believe that it had not.

Mr. Stetson and Coroner Traeger became involved in a lengthy discussion as to the merits of asbestos curtains, during which Stetson admitted that asbestos curtains, if subjected to an extremely high heat, would lose their "life" and crumble. When shown a portion of the curtain brought from the theatre he declared that it had evidently been subjected to a very high temperature, but that he could not say as to whether it had endured a sufficient great heat to cause it to crumble. He declared that in his opinion the greater portion of the asbestos curtain in the Iroquois theatre was still in good condition and was lying at the present time upon the theatre stage, covered with soot and frozen. He expressed himself as anxious to make experiments to prove the truth of his assertion.

It is believed that the bodies of those killed in the Iroquois theatre fire now remaining in the county morgue will not be identified, and in a short time they will be buried by the city of Chicago. The bodies are four in number, two being women and two boys. The police have, however, numerous reports of missing people, but none of the descriptions tally with the bodies now in the morgue.

The investigation into the safety of places of public assembly still continues and but few of them are able to meet the requirements of the law. Building Commissioner Williams has issued orders closing 15 additional halls. The Coliseum, in which the Republican national convention will be held, has been declared safe and entirely fireproof, and has been allowed to open.

Engine Struck Street Car

Chicago, Jan. 8.—A street car was struck last night by a railroad train at Fifty-Ninth street. Eleven people were taken to their homes by the police ambulances and about as many more were cut by flying glass. The engine struck the car squarely in the centre, hurling it to one side, wrecking a switch shanty and breaking off a telegraph pole. Fire started from the overturning of a stove in the wreckage. No one was fatally hurt. Slippery rails are given as the cause of the accident.

Another Chicago Fire Scare

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Fire in a four-story building occupied by the Rauch Office Desk Manufacturing company caused excitement among the 45 persons working in the building and there was a rush for the exits. One man jumped to the sidewalk and was severely injured. Loss $35,000.

Harriman Succeeds Burt

Omaha, Jan. 8.—President Burt of the Union Pacific last night received notice of E. H. Harriman being elected to succeed him and stated that the change would take effect Jan. 15. No other changes, it is stated, will at present be made among other officials.

Mississippi For Canal Treaty

Jackson, Miss., Jan. 8.—The lower house of the Mississippi legislature passed the joint resolution, previously adopted by the senate, instructing the Mississippi senators to vote for the Panama treaty, now before the United States senate.

No Jury Yet Chosen

Chicago, Jan. 8.—The second day of the trial of the car barn bandits ended without a juror having been accepted. Three men have proven satisfactory to the defense and may be accepted by the state.

READING IN BED.

A Custom That Has Been Followed by Many Writers.

Johnson told Boswell once in the course of a conversation, in which he praised the "Anatomy," that a man, if inclined to melancholy, should have a lamp constantly burning in his bedchamber during the night "and if wakefully disturbed take a book and read and compose himself to rest." There can be little doubt that in thus indicating an appropriate course for any one afflicted with "constitutional melancholy"—his own trouble—he was stating his own practice. Many a book the wakeful doctor must have turned over in the silences of the night, and this increases the wonder that a desire to read any particular work should take him out of bed unusually early.

Gray must surely have been a reader in bed. A man who wished to be forever lying on sofas, reading "eternal new novels of Crebillon and Marivaux," must have been familiar with the faces of his favorites in the night hours. Elijah Fenton, a now forgotten coadjutor of Pope, was accustomed to lie abed at his lodgings, we are told, and be fed with a spoon, but Gray's love of ease was not of this type. Gray was a bookman, and most bookmen probably have indulged in the habit of reading in bed. Lamb apostrophized his folios as "my midnight darlings," but those "huge armfuls," as he calls them, were not bedside books. They were the companions of the long hours of candlelight in the back room of the quiet little "gambogish colored" house beside the Chase at Enfield. Wycherley, one of the "artificial" dramatists for whom Lamb wrote a quaint defense, made a habit of reading himself to sleep. Nightly he shared his pillow with his favorite authors—Seneca, Montaigne and Rochefoucauld—and in the mornings made a practice of writing on those subjects which had caught his attention during the previous night's reading, with the curious though not unnatural result, as Pope has testified, that his writing was unconsciously a mere echo of his reading.

Somewhat later, when Grub street flourished, if so inappropriate a verb may be allowed, many a poor wretch of a hack author was glad to write as well as to read in bed for the all sufficient reason that seemly clothes were lacking for going abroad.—London Globe.

EPIGRAMS OF NOVELISTS.

One crawls into friendship, one occasionally drifts into matrimony, but in love one falls.—Frankfort Moore.

There is no place like the top, especially when it is narrow and will not hold many at a time.—Anthony Hope.

Love and friendship are stronger than charity and politeness, and those who trade upon the latter are rarely accorded the former.—Seton Merriman.

It is the American's regret that at present he can do nothing with his feet while he is listening at the telephone, but doubtless some employment will be found for them in the coming age.—Ian Maclaren.

There are two unpardonable sins in this world, success and failure. Those who succeed can't forgive a fellow for being a failure and those who fail can't forgive him for being a success.—G. H. Lorimer.

There are two classes of people in the world, the people who are clever and the people who are keen, and you must never mix the two. They meet and touch, they are necessary to each other, but they never, never blend.—Katherine Cecil Thurston.

Her Coats of Arms.

Concerning a very modish woman the late Julian Rix, painter and critic, had this story to tell:

"Mr. Rix, I've come to ask you a great favor," she said as she fairly burst into his studio one fall day.

"Everything I have is at your command, madam."

"I want to show you some coats of arms and ask your advice about making a choice."

"Which side of the family do you wish to follow, maternal or"—

"Oh, neither! The herald says I can choose any of these. I want something that will look well on whist counters."

"Yes. Well, what about this?"

"That will do nicely. But don't you think I ought to have more than one? I do tire so quickly of things, you know."—New York Times.

Canals In England.

Canals in England date back to an early period, for the Romans built two in Lincolnshire—the Foss dike, forty miles long and still navigable, and the Caer dike. The first British made canal was constructed in 1134 by Henry I. and joined the Trent to the Witham. It was toward the end of the eighteenth century that the greatest amount of energy was expended in the building of canals, mainly due to the Duke of Bridgewater and the skill of his engineer, James Brindley. In the last decade of that century a canal mania raged.

Rebuking an Emperor.

Once, so the story goes, Emperor Nicholas of Russia asked Liszt to play in his presence. The musician complied, but during the performance the czar started a conversation with an aid-de-camp. Liszt stopped playing at once. The czar asked what was the matter. "When the emperor speaks," said Liszt, "every one must be silent." The czar smilingly took the hint, and the playing proceeded.

Purely Business.

"Are you sure," asked the captain of industry, "that you love my daughter?"

"Come, I say," replied the duke, "you're not going to be sentimental at your time of life, are you?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

SEPARATE WAISTS.

They Are Elaborately Made of Velvet, Chiffon and Lace.

The few blouses seen are of the most elaborate description. They are made of fine all over lace or crepe de chine or fine yellow net applique, with yellow insertion.

Chiffon velours and spotted velvet form some of the warmer blouses, and these are mingled with lace and sable or chinchilla edging. Blouses of green chiffon velours combine very handsomely with old yellow lace and chinchilla

DOTTED CHIFFON EVENING GOWN.

They are worn either with skirts of cloth or of velvet. Blouses pouched back and front are among the latest things. They are made of accordion plaited chiffon trimmed with a narrow edging of good fur and a chemisette of fine lace. Such a waist carried out in white would be most dressy and effective worn with a white cloth skirt made very full and trimmed with applications of the same lace as the vest.

Ruchings will take the place of fur trimmings in the early spring, and they are very fashionable as it is on the lighter gowns, such as crepe de chines, veilings, etc.

Gowns of brown chiffon voile are considered very smart for restaurant dining and theater wear. They are trimmed with Persian chiffon and tiny gold or silver tassels.

Hats in pale shades of beaver are very smart and require but little trimming, a few flowers or a knot of ribbon, to render them complete. The great thing is to find a smart and becoming shape in a good quality.

One of the most effective hats is of black beaver trimmed with two beautifully shaded roses attached to the underside of the brim, while the upper part of the hat is simply trimmed with a big satin or velvet bow.

The illustration shows a dotted chiffon evening gown trimmed with ruchings of silk and diamond shaped medallions of lace.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

—Just when the day became divided into hours is not known, nor is the process explained. The Greeks and Romans measured time by the waterglass and the sundials. The hourglass, filled with sand, was the outgrowth of these vessels, from which the water dripped through tiny openings.

The society of Total Abstainers just formed in Vienna is the first ever established in Austria Everybody drinks in Austria. An Austrian baby begins to sip beer at the age of 3 months, and, as it grows up, learns to consume the liquor in ever increasing quantity until a full-grown man he can drink it by the gallon.

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

Famous Authors

We have secured for early publication a number of short stories by the following distinguished writers:

Jack London
Will N. Harben
Bret Harte
Shan Bullock
Henry Seton Merriman
Maximilian Foster
Edith Wyatt
A. W. Whiteford
Herman Whitaker
J. P. Coughlan

Every story copyrighted and illustrated, Keep your eye on our columns.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—In East Milton, a Swedish Girl for general housework who can speak English. Enquire at Ledger office. Jan. 8. 6t

WANTED, LADIES AND GENTS—We pay $12 per 1,000 cash, copying at home; everything furnished; send stamp, Monarch Supply Co., Station 3, Worcester, Mass. Jan. 6-6t

EXPERIENCED HOUSEKEEPER wishes position as housekeeper in widower's small family, or care of invalid, best of references. Address MRS. S. E. HALL, Post Office, Wollaston, Mass. Oct. 20-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Second hand two seated Sleigh in good condition. JOHN VOGEL, 65 Willard street, West Quincy. Jan. 8. 6t

TO LET.

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent, $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30. lp-tf

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec 29. tf

TO LET—48 Revere road, large front rooms, $3.00 per week; one medium size and one smaller room, $2.25 and $1.50 per week. Large bath room, all nicely furnished and heated. Quincy, Dec. 28-12t

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished Apply 26 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24. tf

TO LET

IN QUINCY, MASS.,

By H. H. FAXON.

Houses, Stores, Halls, Rooms, Offices, Stables, Land, Wharves, etc.

The Buildings are in Complete Repair.

HALL with ante-rooms and city water, No. 1355 Hancock street, opposite Post Office, and on the public Square.

HALF OF SLATED ROOF HOUSE at No. 6 Chester street, Wollaston.

4 TENEMENTS, 3 to 4 rooms each, No. 18 East Howard street. $8 to $9 per month.

COTTAGE HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 63 Field street.

HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 17 Kidder street.

HALF HOUSE, corner Howard street and Howard avenue.

HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 19 Kidder street.

HALF HOUSE, 6 rooms, city water, hennery, good yard, No. 59 Pond street, now occupied by James F. Mullin.

HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 15 Brackett street.

For particulars, apply to

HENRY H. FAXON,
Quincy, Mass.

Quincy, Dec. 8, 1903. 1m

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

...ts in this column inserted at the
...less, one day, - - 25 cents
...ree days, - - - 50 cents
...e week, - - - - 75 cents
...es will be charged for pro rata...
...al a line. Long term rates fur...
...ation.

ANTED.

...In East Milton, a Swedish ...general housework who can ... Enquire at Ledger office. 6t

... LADIES AND GENTS—We ...2 per 1,000 cash, copying at ...ing furnished; send stamp, ...y Co., Station 3, Worcester, Jan. 6-6t

...CED HOUSEKEEPER wishes ...as housekeeper in widower's ... care of invalid, best of refer... MRS. S. E. HALL, Post ...n, Mass. Oct. 20-tf

OR SALE.

...—Second hand two seated ...n good condition. JOHN ...illiard street, West Quincy. 6t

TO LET.

...Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all ...ents, at 22 Blake street. Rent, ... Apply to F M. TORREY, ...e street, Wollaston. lp-tf

...ice tenement containing five ...bath, furnace heat, situate No. ...et, Quincy. Apply to JAMES ...al Estate Agent, Savings Bank ...4. Dec. 31-tf

...Tenements, all improvements. ... J. W. PRATT, 74 Indepen... Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. tf

...Revere road, large front rooms, ...week; one medium size and one ... $2.25 and $1.50 per week. ...oom, all nicely furnished and Quincy, Dec. 28-12t

...Two Rooms, furnished or un... Apply 26 School street. ...23. tf

...The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, ...occupied by L. C. Embree & ...W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf Oct. 5-tf

...SEASON of 1904.

OR RENT.

...7 rooms and bath, all modern ...emen's, electric lights, with stable ...int. Within one minute of the ...and within ten minutes' walk of ...er Ship and Engine Company ...office of FRANK F. CRANE, ...et, Quincy, Mass. tf

O LET

...N QUINCY, MASS.,

...I. H. FAXON.

...ores, Hall, Rooms, Offices, ..., Land, Wharves, etc.

...gs are in Complete Repair.

...ante-rooms and city water, ...ock street, opposite Post Office, ...ic Square.

...SLATED ROOF HOUSE ...r street, Wollaston.

...NTS, 3 to 4 rooms each, No. 18 ...reet, $8 to $9 per month.

...HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 63

...SE, 5 rooms, No. 17 Kidder

...SE, corner Howard street and

...SE, 5 rooms, No. 19 Kidder

...USE, 6 rooms, city water, ...yard, No. 59 Pond street, now ...es F. Mullin.

...SE, 5 rooms, No. 15 Brackett

...lars, apply to HENRY H. FAXON, Quincy, Mass. ...8, 1903. 1m

O LET.

...*Offices* in the new ...dg. City Square. A good ...r lawyers.

...*Ante-Rooms* in the ...ck. These are all furnished ...and will be let permanently ...vilege of sub-letting, or for ...each month

...*Lodging Rooms* in ...n-Merrill block. Most con...

...*ices* in the Durgin-Merrill ...one flight up, and right at the ...stairs. These will be let separ...ther. A good chance for a

...in Music Hall Block.

...*a Store.* Price very

...*ment*—recently papered—four ...besides ample closets, etc.—city ...ranite street, in the rear of ...al.

...*e* in Hancock Chambers—up ...d at the head of the stairs.

...*shed Lodging Rooms* ...venient.

...*or Shop* on Granite street,

...*or Shop*—just put in good

...on the ground floor, in the ...e Hall Block.

Real Estate Trust,
...Block, QUINCY.

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 8. QUINCY, MASS., SATURDAY, JANUARY 9, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

The Social Realm of Quincy and Vicinity.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON

Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

— OUR —

Capitol Shoe

FOR BOYS.

Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.

Sizes 12 to 2 $1.75

Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2.00

The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.

Every Pair Warranted.

GEORGE W. JONES,

Adams Building, - QUINCY.

The Social Realm.

The happiest heart is childlike,
It never quite grows old;
It sees the sunset's splendor
As it saw the dawning's gold.
It has a gift for gladness,
Its dreams die not away—
Oh, what a foolish, happy heart,
The worldlier people say!
—Ripley D. Saunders.

* * *

The engagement is announced of Miss Mollie Ethel Fairbanks, daughter of ex-Mayor and Mrs. Henry O. Fairbanks of Wollaston, to Mr. Kenneth Burnham Lewis, Harvard '04.

* * *

After a long recess during the holidays the Study club of Christ church is to resume meetings at the rectory next Tuesday evening. Mrs. William E. Gardner is chairman of the evening and the subject is: "Book of the Bible: Esther," with papers on "Form and Contents of the Bible" and "Story of the Book.

* * *

Mrs. William M. Chase of Norfolk Downs, won the second prize at the whist party at the Cochato club, Braintree, on Tuesday afternoon, the third in a series of afternoon whist parties being given by the ladies of the club. Mrs. Baker of Wollaston won the third prize.

* * *

The ladies of First church are to serve a turkey supper next Wednesday evening at the first of the monthly suppers given during the winter season for the people of the parish.

* * *

Mrs Henry Hall of Adams street, Dorchester, announces the engagement of her daughter Alice Newbury, to Mr. Walter S. Fox, of Dorchester.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. H. Johnson, nee Miller, who have been at the Granite House, East Milton, since their return from abroad, have taken a house on Brook road, Milton.

* * *

Next Tuesday night is Harvard night at the Cochato club, Braintree, when there will be a concert by the Pierian Sodality of Harvard University, followed by dancing.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Rice of Adams street, have gone to Boston for the rest of the winter and are at The Windemere, corner Boylston street and Massachusetts avenue.

* * *

Rev. Thomas Van Ness of Boston, is to address the Woman's Alliance of First church, on Monday afternoon on "Russian Unitarians," or "My visit to the Molokains." This is the first meeting since the middle of December and a large attendance is hoped for.

* * *

Dr. and Mrs. Willard have given the use of Livermore hall for Monday evening, January 11, to Prof. Whittemore of Tufts college who will give a reading of Milton's Comus, illustrated by music. Those who wish to attend this reading will find Prof. Whittemore very enjoyable.

* * *

The Philergians met at the home of Mrs. C. S. Bates Braitree, Jan. 5. Goldsmith's play "She Stoops To Conquer," was read by the club members. Refreshments and a social hour closed the afternoon.

It must have been very gratifying to Mayor Bryant to have present at the inaugural ceremonies on Monday Mr. H. H. McQuillen, editor of the Dedham Transcript and father of his partners, Mr. William F. McQuillen and Mr. Robert C. McQuillen; also his partners and their wives. Other guests of the Mayor were John S. Clark, Jr., of the Prang Educational Co., and Dr. Alpheus R. Brown, who had an office on the same street in Lowell as the Mayor and has always been a close friend. Mrs. Bryant entertained the party at luncheon after the inaugural. Covers were laid for twelve and included City Solicitor and Mrs. Blackmur.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Brown, formerly of Wollaston, have taken rooms at Hotel Greenleaf.

* * *

Real regret is felt throughout Atlantic that Rev. J. H. Whitaker severs his connection with the Memorial church the first of February. Many hoped that he would reconsider his resignation.

* * *

The Quincy Home Science dance at Quincy Music hall on the evening of Friday, January, twenty-second, will as usual be the social event of the winter in this city. Among the ushers and those assisting in making it a success are Mr. Gordon Adams, Dr. F. Ramon Burke, Mr. William I. Dewson, Mr. George B. Dewson, Mr. Delcevare King Mr. Carleton C. Lane, Mr. George E. Plaffmann, Mr. Charles A. Price, Dr. Robert B. Porter, Mr. Harry E. Russell.

* * *

Rev. and Mrs. William Kirkby announce the marriage of their daughter, Marion Ella to George Alfred Pearson on December the thirty-first at Pawtucket, Rhode Island.

* * *

Miss Alice Appleoneo is visiting Miss Corinna Wilde of Billings street.

* * *

The Monday Evening club of Atlantic which was to have its first meeting last Monday, was postponed on account of inability to heat Memorial church. The tickets for the club sold as rapidly as they did last year and the meetings bid fair to be of interest both in literature and music.

* * *

Mrs. E. C. Butler, of Russell park, returns today from a week's visit with friends in Beverly.

* * *

Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Davis of Chestnut street are to entertain their whist club next Wednesday evening.

* * *

On Monday afternoon the Junior Friday club will be entertained by Mrs. Jesse I. Litchfield of Brook street, Wollaston. Miss Alice Keith Prescott is chairman for the afternoon, and the causes, first outbreak, first continental congress and England's attitude during the Revolutionary war, will be the subject of papers.

* * *

The Whist club met with Mr. and Mrs. George Stevens. of Braintree Tuesday evening. Mrs. Harry Thayer took the lady's prize and the gentleman's prize went to L. W. Thayer.

* * *

Miss Leonora Remington of Brookline has been a guest of Miss Laura Hall of Newbury avenue this week.

* * *

With a supper each month and entertainments every other week, to say nothing of regular meetings of the Fragment society and Alliance, the social side of First church is well cared for.

* * *

The fourth in the series of travel talks being given by Mrs. Marie A. Moore, will be on Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. Emery L. Crane, Whitney road, with Paris as the subject.

* * *

Mrs. F. H. Bishop of Wollaston and Miss Annie L. Prescott were reelected on the finance committee of the New England Woman's Press association at the annual meeting held on Wednesday afternoon at Hotel Vendome, Boston.

* * *

Between the arduous meetings from fall to spring, in midwinter, the Pickwick club allows itself a little recreation in the way of an anniversary dinner, which will be held this year on Wednesday evening, January thirteenth.

(Continued on page 5.)

Norfolk County Men Get Good Appointments.

FREEMAN--FALLON

The Former Gets a House Chairmanship.

Senator Brackett at Head of Two.

Senator Bemis Chairman of Metropolitan Affairs.

Senator Brackett of this district is chairman of the joint standing committees on Public Service, Counties, and a member of the committees on Harbors and Puplic Lands, Prisons and Towns.

Senator Bemis of the Second Norfolk district is chairman of the important committee on Metropolitan Affairs and a member of the committees on Constitutional Amendments, Employers and Employees, Mercantile Affairs, and Public Lighting; also a member of the Senate committee on Rules.

Representative Freeman is chairman of the joint standing Committee on Harbors and Public Lands, and also a member of the Committee on Constitutional Amendment.

Representative Fallon is again on the Committee on Water Supply.

Representative Pierce of Milton is a member of the Home Judiciary committee.

Representative Drinkwater of Braintree is a member of the House Committee on Elections, and of the joint Committee on Metropolitan Affairs.

Representative Barnes of Weymouth is a member of the House Committee on Engrossed Bills, and of the joint Committee on Public Lighting.

Representative Whitcomb is with Representative Fallon on the Committee on Water Supply.

Representative Walker of Brookline is a member of the Ways and Means committee of the House.

Representative Thayer of Franklin is House chairman of the Committee on Libraries and the new Committee on Employers and Employees.

Representative Richardson of Millis is on the Committee on Liquor Laws.

Representative Southworth of Stoughton is House chairman of the Committee on Towns, and also on the joint Committee on Parishes and Religious Societies.

Representative Dunbar of Hyde Park is on the Committee on Public service.

Representative Weatherbee of Westwood is House chairman of the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

Representative Maintern of Wrentham is on Election Laws.

There are 33 joint standing committees of the Legislature and Norfolk County is without representation on the following 17, over half the total number:

Banks and Banking.
Cities.
Drainage.
Education.
Federal Relations.
Fisheries and Game.
Insurance.
Labor.
Military Affairs.
Printing.
Probate and Chancery.
Public Charitable Institutions.
Public Health.
Railroads.
State House.
Street Railways.
Taxation.

THE UNITY CLUB.

A Japanese Play by Mrs. H. J. Gurney Given.

Those who braved the rigors of the storm and were present at the Unity Club last evening, felt amply repaid for their efforts. Mrs. Herbert Gurney was the director, and in her absence Mr. Gurney took charge of the program.

The first thing was a piano solo, Godard's Waltz, by Mrs. Otis Allen, whose rendering of it was marked by brilliant execution.

Miss Ethel Randall followed with an essay on "Japanese Dramas and Dramatic." She made an apology for not giving an original paper, as it is a difficult and dangerous task to do justice to Japanese literature. She quoted largely from the writings of famous authors who had made a study of Japan.

Intermission followed.

Mr. Otis Allen opened the second part of the program with a vocal solo, and was so applauded that he responded to an encore.

Mr. Gurney read from a French translation, something pertaining to Japan's plays. This was followed by a play entitled, "Gorodayn's Vase." This play was a little tradegy based on some classical Japanese theme and written by Mrs. Herbert Gurney. The cast included:

Gorodayn, A Maker of Porcelain, Mr. Hull.
Hanna, his daughter, Miss Hubbard.
Oyazi, his sister, Miss Simmons.
Benten, A Goddess, Miss Thomas.
Drummer, Mr. Litchfield.

The meeting adjourned at ten o'clock with an attendance of sixty-two.

SAY GOOD-BYE TO BARBER SHOPS

The man who uses "EASY-SHAVE" and shaves himself does not care how many there are in the barber shop or who is "next." "Easy-Shave" is a boon to the man with a beard. It softens the beard and leaves the skin clear and smooth. At Druggists, 15c. Try it today.

MUSIC HALL, - - - QUINCY.

ONE BIG NIGHT, FRIDAY, JAN 15th,

STETSON'S BIG DOUBLE

Uncle Tom's Cabin Co.

The World-Renowned Tennesseeans, Jubilee Singers, in Quartette, Refrains, Banjo Playing, Imitations, Camp Meeting Songs, etc.

Cotton Picking and Plantation Scenes in which are introduced many Artists with Laughter-Provoking Specialties.

Pack of Full-blooded Cuban Bloodhounds Trained to take part in the Drama, are used in the Thrilling Scene showing Eliza's Escape from the Slave-Hunters.

Beautiful Tableaux and Transformation Scenes are displayed thr ughout the Play, the one representing Little Eva's Ascent into Heaven, being pronounced by Critics the Finest ever Presented.

PEOPLE'S PRICES, 25, 35, 50c.

Seats now on sale at Music Hall Pharmacy Jan. 9. 6t

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

OUR FIFTEENTH ANNUAL JANUARY

Mark Down Sale

Now in Progress.

A Beautiful Calendar with every Dollar purchase.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

The Quincy Ledger

FOR SALE AT THE

South Terminal Station News Stand

After 3.35 P.M.

Third Subscription Party.

One of the prettiest of this season's dancing parties was held in Faxon hall, last evening, under the auspices of several of Quincy's young people, namely: Miss Bertha Richards, Miss Abbie G. Barnes, Miss Ethelin Powell, Miss Edith L. Brett and Miss Grace Batson.

The hall was prettily decorated for the occasion with garlands of red and green, while on the stage, and back ground, portieres of orange and red formed a very pretty picture, which lent enchantment to the scene.

The young ladies were handsomely gowned, and with the gentlemen in evening dress, formed a very charming picture.

During intermission refreshments of ice cream and frappe were served.

Craig's orchestra furnished the music for the party and gave excellent satisfaction.

Among the dancers were many friends of the young people who gave the social from Quincy, Braintree, South Braintree, Weymouth, Wollaston, Atlantic, Neponset, East Milton and Boston.

—The Athol Chronicle says: "All bachelors in the country will be in danger of losing their liberty at any time within this year, whether they are willing or not. It is Leap year, and the ladies may do the courting and proposing also, and there are mighty few bachelors living who would be mean spirited enough to say nay to a fair lady's request.

ICE CUTTERS.

LAND to lease near Sheppard's ice houses, South Braintree. Trespass has been forbidden. MRS. C. L. BELL, Quincy. Jan. 9. ol-1t

ORDER YOUR

SUNDAY DINNER

— AT —

PRATT'S

The Best of Everything and Money Saved.

Fresh Eastern Fowl,	15 cts. lb
Face Rump Roast,	14 cts. lb
Fresh Pork Roast,	14 cts. lb
Best Rump Steak,	25 cts. lb
N. Y. Rump Steak,	12 1-2 cts. lb
Hebron Potatoes,	30 cts. pk
Fancy Celery,	20 cts. bunch
Large Prunes,	3 lbs. 25 cts
Bordeaux Catsup,	3 bot. 25 cts.
Baltimore Peaches,	15 cts. can
Pea Beans,	8 cts. qt

The Coffee we like to sell is OUR VERY BEST

Mocha and Java, 35c. lb

We have others at lower prices.

L. M. PRATT & SON.

Famous Authors

We have secured for early publication a number of short stories by the following distinguished writers:

Jack London
Will N. Harben
Bret Harte
Shan Bullock
Henry Seton Merriman
Maximilian Foster
Edith Wyatt
A. W. Whiteford
Herman Whitaker
J. P. Coughlan

Every story copyrighted and illustrated, Keep your eye on our columns.

The Lighter Sides of Washington Life

Breezy Stories Told In the Corridors of the National Capitol

[Special Correspondence.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—During a lull in the proceedings of the senate the other day one of the employees of that body secured a newspaper and comfortably seated himself in the corner of the chamber by the desk of Acting Assistant Doorkeeper B. W. Layton. To emphasize his comfortable frame of mind this employee cocked his feet on a projection from the senate wall and was oblivious to all the world till Senator Kean of New Jersey invaded his territory.

"TAKE YOUR FEET DOWN."

"Take your feet down," said he in good humor. "This is not the house of representatives."

Representative Hildebrant tells of a Republican meeting in Wilmington, O., his home town, where Senator Hanna was billed to speak. On the day before the meeting he met an Irishman who is a pronounced Democrat, but a good friend of Hildebrant's.

"Larry," said Hildebrant, "are you coming into the meeting tomorrow?"

"No, sor," Larry replied; "I'm too busy."

"But Senator Hanna is going to be here and speak."

"Sinator Hanna, eh?" said Larry. "Then I'll come. I won't have another chance soon to see the whole governmint."

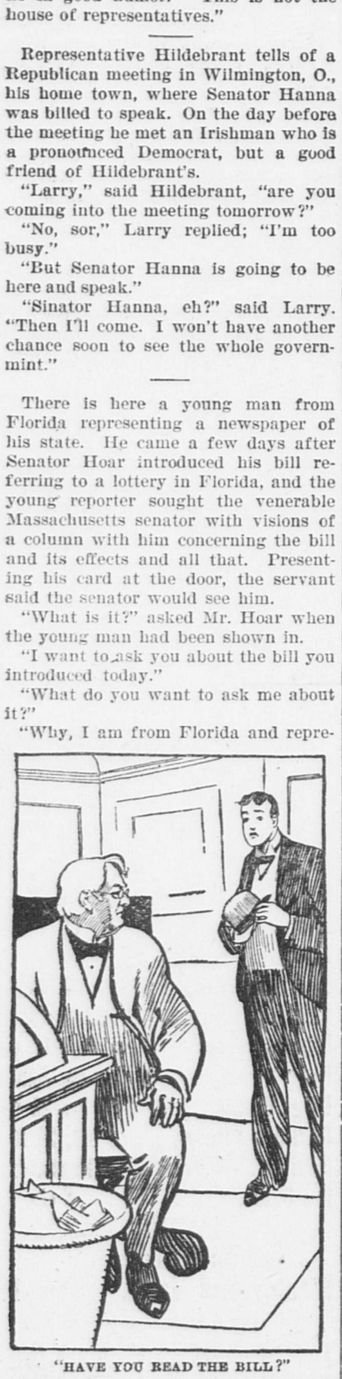
There is here a young man from Florida representing a newspaper of his state. He came a few days after Senator Hoar introduced his bill referring to a lottery in Florida, and the young reporter sought the venerable Massachusetts senator with visions of a column with him concerning the bill and its effects and all that. Presenting his card at the door, the servant said the senator would see him.

"What is it?" asked Mr. Hoar when the young man had been shown in.

"I want to ask you about the bill you introduced today."

"What do you want to ask me about it?"

"Why, I am from Florida and repre-



"HAVE YOU READ THE BILL?"

sent a Florida paper, and I thought you might give me an explanation."

"Have you read the bill?" asked Mr. Hoar.

"Yes, sir."

"Do you understand it?"

"I think so, sir."

"Well, if you do not, no explanation I could make would help you to. Good evening."

This was another of those interviews that were never printed.

During a debate the other day Representative Thompson of Alabama dropped into poetry, reciting with great declamatory effect this quatrain:

One by one the roses fall,
Drop by drop the spring runs dry;
One by one, beyond recall,
Summer roses droop and die.

The next morning when the house met an unknown poet-statesmen started around the chamber these additional stanzas for Mr. Thompson's poem:

One by one our thirsts are growing,
Day by day our tongues get dry;
One by one the boys are going
To get drinks upon the sly.

One by one they learn to do it,
And it makes them travel far.
Holy Moses, how they rue it—
Rue the day they closed the bar!

Speaking of liquid refreshments, lovely devices in cupboards are very much the rage at the house end of the capitol. Most of them are done in mahogany. It is regarded as superlative if the door thereof is cleverly adjusted so as to conceal the refreshing drinkables that repose far within.

One fine outfit of the cupboard class, within range of the glitter of a magnificent chandelier once resplendent at the White House, has a beveled French plate mirror as its front. You approach a wash basin, done nicely in marble, and touch a secret button. Presto! The mirror swings on its hinges, and there are hospitable bottles prominently in view.

To be a chairman of committee and not to have a cupboard is to argue oneself in the rear of the procession at the south end of the United States capitol. Therefore cupboards abound. They are on the gallery floor, and they are far down in the bowels of the building, under the terrace and along the subterranean corridors. One needs not suffer for a drink—if he has a congressional friend with a cupboard.

The game of penuchle appears largely to have superseded poker in congressional circles, and "meld" and "100 aces" and "forty jacks" are heard in the cloakrooms as often as "Panama canal." Representative Bartholdt of

SULLIVAN AND M'ANDREWS IN BATTLE ARRAY.

Missouri has generally been regarded as the champion penuchle player of congress, but this distinction is contested by Representative Timothy Sullivan of New York.

"I've only got to beat Bartholdt to be champion now," declared Sullivan the other day.

This announcement was made after a meeting of Representative Sullivan and Representative Jim McAndrews of Chicago at the Regent hotel, where the following incident took place:

"Ever play penuchle, Tim?" asked McAndrews.

"Some," answered the New York east side leader.

"Well, come on and I'll show you anything you do not know about the game," McAndrews volunteered.

While Sullivan was shuffling the cards McAndrews volunteered the information that he is the "champion penuchle player of Chicago and the house of representatives."

"I've never beaten Bartholdt yet, but I can," McAndrews said.

Play began, and as neither Representative Sullivan nor Representative McAndrews ever took a drink of liquor bellboys were soon running to the room carrying bottles of mineral water.

In the first game Sullivan "melded" a sequence of trumps and "100 aces," which gave him a good lead over McAndrews. For four games he "melded" the "100 aces" and kept his lead so well that at the end of the seven games the score stood: Sullivan, 6 games; McAndrews, 1 game.

"Comment is unnecessary," declared Sullivan when the tournament closed in the small hours of the morning. "I guess I'll get that championship all right," he added, "if I can get Bartholdt's mind off the St. Louis fair long enough to make him play."

President Roosevelt's well known regard for children was again illustrated the other day when a sturdy young chap of five years unceremoniously walked into the executive offices of the White House and said to Captain Loeffler, who was on guard:

"Please, sir, may I see the president?"

"MAY I SEE THE PRESIDENT?"

The captain thought he could and took him in. President Roosevelt cordially shook hands with the youngster, said he was "delighted" and ascertained that the lad was Albert Taylor of Wilmington, Del. Albert's parents were out in the White House grounds walking about and were much astonished when he told them what had happened to him.

FRANCIS M. ADAMS

DIETRICH IS FREE

Had Not Taken Oath When Alleged Crime Occurred

WIDE-REACHING DECISION

Election to Congress Does Not Make a Man Amenable to Laws of That Body Until He Has Been Sworn Into Office

Omaha, Jan. 9.—The trial of Senator Dietrich for alleged bribery in connection with the appointment of a postmaster at Hastings came to an abrupt end when the United States circuit court, Judge Vandevanter presiding, decided that Dietrich was not a senator at the time the alleged acts occurred.

The opinion was a lengthy one and is said to be a precedent. Upon this decision District Attorney Summers entered a nolle in other cases against the senator, with the statement that the construction placed on the law by the court precludes further proceedings against either Senator Dietrich or Postmaster Fisher, both of whom were discharged.

District Attorney Summers stated to the court that the government had not within his knowledge ever placed a man on trial on what might be termed a technical violation of the law. He said that under the construction placed upon section 1781 Dietrich had enjoyed the lease but a short time after he had become a United States senator, that is, after taking the oath. He said that although he had received rentals from April 24 to Dec. 2, under the court's construction of the section, there had been no violation of the law. The property was deeded to Senator Dietrich's daughter shortly after Dec. 2, 1901. Mr. Summers said:

member of congress until after Dec. 2, 1901, and the court has held that he was not, then Jacob Fisher cannot be put upon trial for or on account of agreeing to pay or paying certain sums of money to him or performing contracts for him during the months from July to October, 1901, under a contract made with him as a member of congress, whereby Jacob Fisher was to be appointed postmaster."

"I would not," said the district attorney, "ask a jury to return a verdict of guilty against a man under any circumstances unless I believed such a verdict to be in the interest of justice."

The court, therefore, on motion of the district attorney entered a nolle to the indictment, which cleared the docket of the cases against Dietrich and Fisher.

Regarding a statement made to the press on behalf of Senator Dietrich, to the effect that he did not wish to take advantage of any technicality and wished the case tried on its merits, in order that he might be fully vindicated, Mr. Summers said:

"Officially this office has nothing to say; the court has settled the matter. If Senator Dietrich desired to secure a vindication through a trial of the case on its merits, he had an opportunity to do so by not raising the technical point of whether or not he was a member of congress from the time of his election to his taking the oath of office."

A War Pension Decision

Washington, Jan. 9.—Commissioner of Pensions Ware has decided that all rights to pension are barred by conviction of crime and sentence to prison for life. The decision is made in the case of William B. Marsh, serving a life sentence at Detroit for robbing the United States mail. But for this, claimant's 10 months of army service would entitle him to pension.

Ashore on Nova Scotia Coast

Parrsboro, N. S., Jan. 9.—Schooner Demozelle, from Harvey, N. B., for Boston with a cargo of rock plaster, is ashore at Cape Meranguin. The main boom is broken, sails torn, anchors lost and she is half full of water. The crew suffered much hardship from the extreme cold and several of them were frostbitten.

Landed Only Part of Supplies

Halifax, Jan. 9.—Steamer Lady Laurier has arrived from Sable island. She succeeded in landing only the mails and part of the supplies, the weather being very bad. The Lady Laurier later returned to the island, but was unable to get in close enough to communicate with the superintendent.

Schools Closed by Smallpox

Washington, Pa., Jan. 9.—By order of the state board of health all the schools in three townships have been closed indefinitely on account of smallpox. Nearly 75 schools are affected. An epidemic of smallpox is raging in the border townships of Green and Washington counties.

Teacher Hammered by Students

Huntington, W. Va., Jan. 9.—Professor Runyan, who teaches at Camp Creek, was assaulted by students and beaten into insensibility. The teacher had previously whipped one of the pupils. Runyan's condition is considered critical.

Official Arrested In Court

Wellington, Kas., Jan. 9.—County Attorney Wilson is under arrest on a charge of embezzling $3115 from the Citizens' bank of Belle Plain while acting as cashier of the bank. When arrested he was engaged in trying a case in court here.

WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW

Business Has Not Made a Very Lively New Year's Start

New York, Jan. 9.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: Retail trade has been somewhat slow to recover from holiday dullness, partly because of the bad weather, which also retarded collections to some extent. Traffic was impeded and shipments of merchandise delayed. On the other hand, low temperature stimulated the demand for seasonable goods, and burdensome stocks in the hands of dealers were reduced. Jobbers and manufacturers in those lines received supplementary orders and the wool market became firmer in tone, although actual sales did not increase materially. Mills and factories report irregular conditions, some industries opening the new year under very favorable auspices, while other branches are extremely quiet.

Violent fluctuations in the price of raw material has restrictive influence on the market for cotton goods. Neither manufacturer nor buyer will undertake future commitments, business being limited to spot transactions. The tendency of the market is decidedly upwards, however. Despite the limited business there is no accumulation in stock, which testifies to the curtailment of production.

Eastern shoe shops are shipping freely, and jobbers are taking samples freely on heavy goods for next fall, but few supplementary spring orders have been placed. Initial business in these lines attained liberal dimensions, however, and producers have orders that assure activity until April.

Variations of $3 a bale in a single day are no longer considered noteworthy in the local cotton market.

GLINES SECURES BAIL

Haverhill's Ex-Treasurer Pleads Not Guilty of Larceny

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 9.—Through his counsel, Boyd B. Jones, John A. Glines, former city treasurer of Haverhill, waived examination when arraigned in the distict court on a complaint alleging the larceny of $43,000 in bonds from the city. Glines pleaded not guilty, and Judge Abbott ordered the case continued, the amount of bail being reduced from $20,000 to $15,000.

Glines was released last night, bail being furnished by T. M. Wadleigh and C. K. Fox of this city. Thirteen other friends of Glines stand ready to indemnify Wadleigh and Fox for the $15,000, the amount of the bond. Glines went to his home last night, accompanied by friends, and it is said that his nerves are badly shattered.

Few new developments have arisen in the case, and it is now generally conceded that the former city treasurer will practically lose $33,000 by his operations in the stock market. This amount he secured on a loan from a Boston concern, pledging the $43,000 of the securities in the municipal sinking fund for the loan.

In Congress

Washington, Jan. 9.—Alleged post-office frauds were under discussion in the senate, the subject being opened in a set speech by Mr. Simmons (N. C.), who insisted there should be an investigation by the senate into the charges. Perry S. Heath was bitterly assailed by the Democrats.

The house made available the sum of $250,000 to be used to meet the emergency caused by the ravages of the cotton boll weevil and other insects and diseases affecting cotton. The sum is to be diverted from the $500,000 appropriated last year to eradicate the foot and mouth disease among cattle.

Riotous Election Scenes

Memphis, Jan. 9.—Although the city election was held on Thursday the result is still in doubt. In the ninth ward the ballot box was stolen, the ballots burned and two men were shot, one seriously, in a riot in the room where the ballots were being counted. Gross irregularities are alleged and many minor shooting and cutting scrapes are reported from all parts of the city.

Where Tobacco Tax Is Void

Washington, Jan. 9.—The commissioners of internal revenue have decided that a charitable or penal institution conducted by the state and under state authority with its own operatives has a right to manufacture tobacco or any tobacco product without the payment of tax when all such manufactured tobacco is used exclusively for its own inmates.

Admiral Has Heart Trouble

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 9.—Rear Admiral Cook, U. S. N., retired, who commanded the Brooklyn in the Santiago sea battle, left here on a special train for Philadelphia, where he will be treated for an affection of the heart. Admiral Cook was accompanied by Admiral Clark of Oregon fame, at whose home he will stop while in Philadelphia.

Pabst Made No Public Bequests

Milwaukee, Jan. 9.—The will of Frederick Pabst leaves an estate estimated in value at $10,000,000 in trust. No public bequests are made. The widow, four children and an adopted daughter each receive one-sixth of the estate. The widow is given an option of a $50,000 annuity in lieu of one-sixth of the estate.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Conductor Calvin Cleveland of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, was struck by a locomotive at Boston and died as the result of his injuries.

The lighthouse board gives notice that the Bishop rock shoal bell buoy, eastern passage Narragansett bay, R. I., has been carried away by ice.

MODERN BUSINESS IS LIKE WARFARE.

And Although
The Sinews
Are of a
Peaceful Character

The Contest Depends
On Good Generalship,
Modern Weapons
And a Strategy

That Goes
Hand in Hand
With Constant
Vigilance.

ADVERTISING

Skilfully and
Rightly Directed

Always Taking Advantage
Of Changed Conditions

Is One of
The Modern Weapons

That Carry Within
The Elements of
Commercial Victory.

Such Advertising

Must Be Well Planned
Well Written
And Well Placed.

You Will Make No Mistake
When You Select

The Daily Ledger.

The Paper That Is Read
By Quincy People
And Brings Results.

Hardware Supply Co.,

1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES

Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.

Dec. 29. tf

JOHN STREIFERD & SON,
FLORISTS.
Telephone 13-7 Braintree.

Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.

Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

CARD.

Mrs. F. H. Hewins,

—: Formerly in the :—

Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations

METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.

Offices:

128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.

Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903. tf

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.

OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.

Jan. 31. tf

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

MAIN SPRINGS

Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.

Work called for and delivered.

SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

ANNOUNCEMENT.

EBEN HARDY,
Manufacturing
OPTICIAN, .

of 21 Bromfield street, Boston, has opene a Jewelry and Optical store at 307 Newport avenue, Wollaston, opposite the depot.

Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silver Ware, Opera, Field and Marine Glasses.

Eyes examined and Glasses fitted. Broken Lenses matched and replaced in our own factory.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired by first-class workmen. All work guaranteed.

French Clocks called for and delivered. Send postal and we will call.

EBEN HARDY,
OPTICIAN,
370 Newport Ave., Wollaston.
Dec.15—1m

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.
JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.
HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

LEDGER ADS.
PAY BEST

JAPAN IS PATIENT

Breach of Peace at Present Is Considered Improbable

THE ATTITUDE OF FRANCE

Corea and China Would Not Be Looked Upon as Powers Should They Join Japan--Alexieff a Stumbling Block to Peace

Tokio, Jan. 9.—The Japanese government has practically determined to continue negotiations. It is dissatisfied with Russia's terms, but does not feel warranted in issuing an ultimatum or breaking off negotiations and will make another effort to secure their modification before resorting to force.

It is anticipated that the discussion will consume a few weeks, during which interim a breach of the peace is very improbable.

The elder statesmen of Japan did not hold a conference yesterday, but will probably confer today. In the meanwhile the wildest rumors are current.

The press unanimously demands that the government take decisive action, thereby preventing Russia from gaining advantages by further dilatory tactics. The people repose confidence in the government's ability to rise to the opportunity.

London, Jan. 9.—In editorial discussion of the far eastern crisis, the London papers attach great importance, first to the declaration of French policy contained in an interview with the first secretary of the French embassy in London, that the present arrangement between France and Great Britain is such that it could not be disturbed, and that even if Corea and China should join Japan, they would not be looked upon as powers within the meaning of the Franco-Russian treaty, which statement is held to greatly strengthen the British government's efforts in favor of peace; and second, to the report of Major Nathan of the British army on the inefficiency of the Siberian railway as likely to have great influence with the Russian government in deciding the ultimate question of peace or war.

A writer in The Daily Chronicle contends that Japan's great mistake was her omission to strike last October. The writer adds: "If it is true that Japan then yielded to British representations we have undertaken a great responsibility."

Russian correspondents continue to report extensive military preparations and say that there was a heavy fall on the Russian bourses yesterday.

The Paris correspondent of The Times learns from St. Petersburg that the Russian reply practically amounted to an acceptance by Russia of the first agreement entered into between Baron DeRosen, the Russian minister to Japan, and Barone Komura, the Japanese foreign minister. The stipulations of this agreement were the recogaition by Russia of Japan's preponderance in Corea and the neutralization of the Corean coast with a refusal to place the Japanese on the same footing as Europeans in Manchuria. This agreement, the correspondent says, was rejected on the advice of Viceroy Alexieff.

The correspondent suggests that the Russian council readopted the proposals owing to the absence of M. Bezobrazoff and that the delay in delivering them to Japan may be due to Viceroy Alexieff's continued opposition.

Still Looking For Peace

St. Petersburg, Jan. 9.—Mr. Kurimo, the Japanese minister, authorizes the statement that the Japanese government is still doing everything in its power in the interests of peace and that all reports about the sending of troops to Corea are without foundation. Minister Kurimo says he thinks the negotiations have made some progress.

Japan Cut Off From Manchuria

Berlin, Jan. 9.—The Tageblatt's Paris correspondent learns that the French government has been informed that Russia's answer to Japan makes far-reaching concessions respecting Corea and that these concessions are equivalent to permitting the occupation of Corea by Japan on line somewhat similar to the position of Great Britain in Egypt, but that Russia firmly rejects any right of Japan to mingle in affairs in Manchuria.

APPEAL TO AMERICA

What Corea May Do In Case Her Territory Is Invaded

Paris, Jan. 9.—Min Yeung Tehan, the Corean minister, says that he would not be surprised should Corea appeal to the United States for good offices in her behalf in case of the invasion of Corean territory by Russia or Japan. Under the treaty between the United States and Corea this is permissible. Moreover, continued the minister, the people of Corea regard the United States in a most friendly way, because of its fair policy and, further, owing to the fact that it was the first country to sign a treaty with the "Hermit Kingdom." The minister said:

"The attitude of Corea has not been disclosed, but my idea is that it will do all in its power to save its territory from invasion and to preserve strict neutrality. During the war between China and Japan Corea was interested and, consequently, raised no objection to the passage of Japanese troops through the kingdom. But a different situation faces the government today. Corea is not interested in the dispute between Japan and Russia and her people have no desire to ally themselves with Japan, which would follow should permission be given for Japanese troops to operate in or from Corea.

"I have made no protest to the powers against the landing of an American guard for the legation at Seoul. Probably if war occurs all the nations will land men for the same purpose."

Superseded by Peace Tribunal

Washington, Jan. 9.—Though negotiated 20 years ago by Admiral Shufeldt, state department officials say the treaty referred to by the Corean minister at Paris has never been invoked by the government of that country. Its provisions contemplated that when any of the powers treated Corea unjustly the good offices of the United States might be offered with a view to an amicable adjustment of the controversy. Officials say that if any request comes from Corea for a practical application of the terms of the treaty it very properly will be given consideration by this government. Its provisions, however, are regarded as impracticable of satisfactory enforcement and the necessity for its existence has been superceded by the establishment of The Hague tribunal to which questions of the character which would naturally come under its terms are referred.

Another Warship For Japan

Philadelphia, Jan. 9.—The Philadelphia Record says: The Japanese government has secured an option on the new Turkish warship Medjidie, now being hurried to completion at Cramps' shipyards.

Mexican Mine Disaster

Mexico City, Jan. 9.—At the Los Laureles mines, west of Guadalajara, a large number of boxes of dynamite stored in a powder house exploded, killing 20 men and injuring 40 others. The detonations were heard many miles away and an American mine owner, working in his mine three miles away, was killed by a falling rock that had been jarred by the concussion. It is reported that the disaster was caused by the explosion of a dynamite cap in the powder house.

Perished With Help Near

New York, Jan. 9.—For two hours Leroy Genung, chief of police of Rye, and his brother-in-law, August Peterson, clung to the ice-covered bottom of a capsized rowboat off the American Yacht club at Rye, and when almost frozen stiff Peterson dropped out of sight, while his companion, who was rescued, died on reaching the shore. Genung and Peterson had been out duck hunting and it is believed an ice floe upset the boat.

Spectators Were Searched

Chicago, Jan. 9.—The third day of the trial of VanDine, Marx and Neidermeier, the car barn bandits, ended with but one juror selected as a result of the three days' examination of veniremen. Two policemen searched everyone who entered the courtroom, including women, for weapons, that might be given to the prisoners to aid their escape. Six men were found to be armed. Their weapons were confiscated.

Society Edict From the Pope

Rome, Jan. 9.—Members of the "Black society," an organization composed of the faithful of the holy see, are much disturbed over the announcement that the pope has expressed the desire that women should not wear low cut gowns at receptions attended by prelates. Great excitement has been aroused by the pope's action, especially among the women of the diplomatic corps.

Frye's Indignation Aroused

Havana, Jan. 9.—Alexis Frye, former superintendent of schools in Cuba, expresses his indignation over the statements made in the report of Senator Foraker's committee on the case of General Wood alleging the improper appointment of teachers. Frye says that the local Cuban committees appointed the teachers, whom he did not even recommend.

Awaiting Extradition

Welland, Ont., Jan. 9.—James N. Abeel was remanded to jail until Jan. 13 to await the decision of Canadian courts on the extradition proceedings instituted in New York to take him there to answer a charge of forgery, alleged to have been committed while he was posing as J. Ogden Goelet.

Trainmen Disobeyed Orders

Topeka, Jan. 9.—Conductor Nagle of the express train which was wrecked near Willard, when 17 persons were killed and 30 injured, admitted, in a deposition made from his bed in a local hospital, that he and Engineer Benjamin had orders to wait for the freight with which they collided.

Isthmus Well Guarded

Colon, Jan. 9.—The remainder of the marines from the United States cruiser Dixie were landed here and went by train to Bas Obispo. All the United States marines now on the isthmus are in camp at Empire and Bas Obispo, stations on the Panama railroad.

No Disturbance at Kishineff

St. Petersburg, Jan. 9.—It is semi-officially announced that all is quiet at Kishineff. The military and police forces there have been increased for the purpose of protection, but this is usual in the case of all holidays.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Sunday, Jan. 10.
Sun rises—7:13; sets—4:30.
Moon rises—12:25 a. m.
High water—5 a. m.; 5:30 p. m.

There has been snow from Virginia northward. The weather will continue unsettled, with light snow in New England. Moderate temperatures will prevail.

WHAT IS WORN.

Wide Cuffs on Coats—Chinese Lamb the Latest In Fur.

The very widest possible cuffs are used on coats, and these are lined with white satin slashed and filled in with yellowish or cream white lace.

The three-quarter loose coat and the little loose coat reaching to the waist line and merely belted in at the back are both very smart.

Most of the trimming of hats seems to be on the underside of the brim or drooping on the hair.

Cluny lace and moleskin are mingled in fancy neckwear to go with rather

CLOTH TAILOR MADE.

severe tailor made suits, and white chiffon neckwear is decorated with touches of ermine.

Some beautiful evening gowns are carried out in royal blue net trimmed with sequins of the same color, and an equally good effect is obtained in brown net having bronze sequins. The waist of the latter gown would be smart enlivened by a few shaded orange flowers.

White Chinese lamb is the latest thing in fur. It is very effective, closely resembling the baby lamb, but is of a much flatter description. These coats are usually made three-quarter length and lined with delicately tinted Persian brocades.

The picture shows a fine cloth tailor made. The blouse has an inner vest of spotted panne, and the skirt is tucked on the hips and finished with three bands around the bottom.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

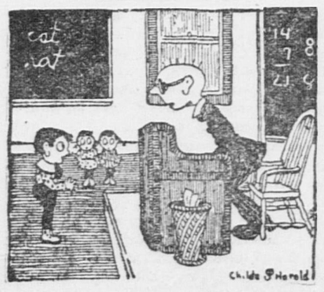
Adding Insult to Injury.

Boy—Think it'll bear me, mister?

Illustrated Farase.

"Ridiculous on the face of it."

The Rude Boy.



What Willie really lacked was tact,
Or else he never would have said
That two times three was equal to
The hairs upon his teacher's head.
—New York American.

TAMING A HORSE.

Three Articles That Will Subdue the Most Savage Animal.

There were trouble and excitement one day on a ranch in Colorado. A high spirited, half broken stallion was prancing about the yard attached to the rancher's house. He had just thrown a cowboy who boasted there was nothing on four legs he could not ride, and he was rearing and bucking so that not even the pluckiest man on the ranch dared to approach.

While the men were standing around wondering what to do the rancher's sixteen-year-old daughter came out of the house and calmly walked up to the excited animal.

When he saw her he ceased rearing, whinnied and stood still. She just put her hand on his mane, stroked his nose and then vaulted lightly on his back and rode around the yard, to the amazement of the men.

"How do you manage it?" one of them asked her. "Before you tackled him he was as savage as a tiger."

"It is simple enough," the girl replied. "Any woman can handle a horse better than a man can. See this"—showing the man a small round object she had in her hand—"this is horse castor. Horses love the smell of it and will go up to any one who has it.

"Any horse has sense enough to know the people who love it. That stallion began to quiet down as soon as he saw me. When I got near him he smelled the musty horse castor in my clothes, for I always carry a little piece in my pocket.

"That pleased him so much that I was able to stroke his head. While doing so I rubbed his nose with a few drops of oil of cumin, which I had poured into the palm of my hand. Horses positively love that scent. Then, did you notice that I put my hand into his mouth? The object of that was to pour a few drops of oil of rhodium on to his tongue from a tiny vial which I always carry.

"With these three articles any horse can be tamed. Where do you get them? Well, the cumin and rhodium can be bought at any drug store; the horse castor must be cut from a horse's forefoot. It is a warty growth there."

It is a fact that horses are very fond of these scents. They are often used by women in the tropics and west in the training and breaking of horses.—New York Commerical Advertiser.

BRAHMAN PROVERBS.

He that committeth no evil hath nothing to fear.

Mix kindness with reproof and reason with authority.

Of much speaking cometh repentance, but in silence is safety.

The first step toward being wise is to know that thou art ignorant.

Envy not the appearance of happiness in any man, for thou knowest not his secret griefs.

Indulge not thyself in the passion of anger. It is whetting a sword to wound thine own breast.

Consider and forget not thine own weakness, so shalt thou pardon the failings of others.

The heart of the envious man is gall and bitterness. The success of his neighbor breaketh his rest.

This instant is thine. The next is in the womb of futurity, and thou knowest not what it may bring forth.

As a veil addeth to beauty, so are a man's virtues set off by the shade which his modesty casteth upon him.

As the ostrich when pursued hideth his head, but forgetteth his body, so the fears of a coward expose him to danger.

Training a Beagle.

With regard to the training of a beagle, he has to be treated on quite a different plan from the setter and pointer. In their cases a great deal of work of training is to conquer natural propensities, whereas with the beagle you encourage him to go on and do all he can in seeking and chasing when found. Young dogs are usually put down with an older one, and a very few lessons suffice. It comes as natural to a beagle to run scent as for a terrier to kill rats, and if there is no apparent inclination one lesson usually provokes it. The less one interferes with a beagle running a line the better for the dog, so long as he is not pottering in one well tested place, but casting all about when he has lost the trail.—Field and Stream.

The Charge Sustained.

The householder was duly sworn.

"You charge this man with being insane," said the court. "On what do you base the charge?"

"Well, your honor," said the witness, vainly trying to choke down his emotion, "this man is a plumber. My pipes were out of fix. I sent for him. He fixed 'em in fifteen minutes. When I asked for his bill he said that was all right, because it didn't take him long, and he had another job in my neighborhood anyhow."

"A hopeless case!" exclaimed his honor as he signed the commitment.—Baltimore News.

The Catastrophe.

"Did you hear about the catastrophe down at the Browns' last night?"

"No. What happened?"

"Why, Mrs. Brown gave the baby a bottle to play with, and while she was in the kitchen it fell out of the cradle and broke its neck."

"What, the baby?"

"No; the bottle."

A Fearful Dream.

Bobbs—Old Titewadd is about dead from insomnia. Says he is afraid to go to sleep.

Dobbs—Does he fear burglars?

Bobbs—No; but the last time he slept he dreamed of giving away his money.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Oct. 18, 1903, trains will run as follows:

(Subject to change without notice.)

TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.
r *5 19	abcdefghi	5 47	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 33	ad	7 42	8 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp.	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 42	abcd	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 25	abd	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	12 45	Exp.	1 02
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 58	cba	1 19 r
r 9 42	abc	10 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 0 12	b	10 32	1 58	cba	2 19 r
r 0 42	abc	11 02	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 1 14	abcd	11 32	2 45	cba	3 06 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 45	cba	4 06 r
r 1 42	abc	2 02	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 16	dba	5 36 r
r 3 42	abc	4 02	5 26	a	5 45 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 46	ihgfdcba	6 15
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 42	abc	6 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
6 59	Exp.	7 15	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 06	abcdef	8 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
r 10 06	abcdef	10 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32			

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 44	Exp.	9 00
9 00	Exp.	9 15	9 28	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
10 18	Exp.	10 33	9 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 22	abcdefghi	10 40			

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.48 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.46 6.16 6.46 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—8.16 8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 7.21 9.21 P. M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A. M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P. M.

Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

Corrected to Nov. 20th, 1903.

(Subject to change without notice.)

LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.40 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A M. 12.00 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40. A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (v a Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 810 A.M. then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON 7.15, 7.45 A M. then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

J. T. CONWAY, Division Supt
H. E. REYNOLDS, Asst Gen. Supt.
Quincy, Mass., Nov. 20, 1903.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple,	$8.00
Dry Pine Wood,	7.00
Dry Pine Slabs,	6.00
Green Hard Wood,	7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.

THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,

Yard between Miller and West Streets.
Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.
Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

W. G. CHUBBUCK,
Furniture and Piano Mover
IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.

JOBBING.

Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.

lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

An excellent opportunity is offered the city this year to reduce its debt and save interest in the future. The maturing municipal debt amounts to $148,078.00; the maturing water debt to $35,500; the maturing sewer debt to about $15,000, and the maturing playground debt to $2,000; a grand total of over $200,000. The new indebtedness of 1904, including enlargement of High school, water and sewer extensions, should not amount to $150,000. If the big item of interest could be applied directly to improvements, Quincy would make more rapid strides.

Drift of Opinion.

☞Archie Roosevelt snapped a toy pistol in the face of a negro messenger at the White house in a miniature hold-up and the Washington correspondents deem it worth a despatch. If the story had been continued and told how Archie's papa placed his hand upon the youth where it would do most good and gave him a fair warning never to point a pistol, toy or real, at anybody again, it might have been worth printing as an example to other paters.—Haverhill Gazette.

☞Chief Wade of the State police finds in his report that the children of this State were never so well protected as they are today in the matter of illegal employment. This is a tribute to the people of Massachusetts generally. They have decided that they want just as little child labor in the State as possible; they have worked to this end and planned to this end; and they have attained their object when the laws were passed and it was speedily seen that the laws are about to be and, as a matter of fact have been, obeyed. The whole sentiment of the State favors the employment of men and women rather than of boys, and the employment where it is feasible of men rather than women. The tendency of the sentiment here is towards the protection of the weaker from the onslaughts of the stronger and from the temptation on the part of capital to use the weaker people to their own profit and regardless of their feelings. And capital, to do it but simplest justice, has been fair in the matter. It hasn't fought for child labor. It hasn't sought to evade the laws and to wring blood money from the little ones. Massachusetts' whole attitude has been a credit to the State and its people.—Brockton Enterprise.

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you, in 6 to 14 days. 50 cents.

The BEST Newspaper Attracts The Best People. Try an "Ad" In the Daily Ledger.

PLENTY OF SNOW.

Saturday a Favorite Day for Storms.

The Quincy Electrics Doing Well.

The Fall of Snow Has Been Very Heavy.

Quincy seems to be getting its share of winter weather. It is some years since anything like it has been experienced. Not only has it been bitte cold for days at a time but there has been an abundance of snow and more is coming today.

The weather was threatening all day Friday and it snowed a little by spells. In the late afternoon the weather moderated and at 5 o'clock the glass registered 35. Shortly after it began to snow.

At first it was a fine snow. Then for a few minutes it came in very big flakes. Then it settled down to business and snowed all the evening until late at night. Along about 11 o'clock it was a fine snow that did not make very fast.

Later, however, it settled down to business in earnest, and at daylight this morning it was snowing for keeps. By 8 o'clock at least six inches had fallen and there were no signs of a let-up.

People had a hard time getting about. The street railway had its plows out all night and tried hard to keep its lines open. They were successful in a measure, but no attempt was made this morning to follow the schedule. Occasionally a car would run over the line, but it was impossible to run them with any regularity, the main efforts of the officials being to keep the line open so that when it stopped snowing there would be but little difficulty in running on schedule time.

The steam trains gave better service than they did a week ago, but they were all late. The trouble in the other storm was said to be due to the freezing of the switches in the Terminal yard. That difficulty is not being experienced today as the weather is considerably milder than last Saturday.

The city department had its plows out this morning and run them along the sidewalks, but the snow made so fast that walking was difficult.

At Music Hall Next Week.

Stetson's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" is the mammoth double production of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" and will appear on Friday night, Jan. 15, at the Music Hall, Quincy. The rendition of Uncle Tom by this well-known and well-liked company will never grow old. This management evidently believes in the maxim: What's worth doing is worth doing well." There runs through this grand story a pathos peculiarly touching and sweet. It speaks the universal language of the heart. It reflects like a mirror the innermost phases of the human emotions. It is more than a play—it is a moral classic. It argues for two of the greatest themes that can engage the mind—human liberty and the immortality of the soul. Notwithstanding the frequent production of this play, it is never produced in the sumptuous manner by other companies as it is in Stetson's. It is like meeting an old friend after a year's absence. In his theatric offering, Manager Washburn has brought together all the requisites that go to make up a really great production and one it will be a real loss to miss.

Thayer Academy Notes.

The Winter term opened Wednesday.

During the vacation modern sanitary arrangements have been placed in the basement on both sides of the main building.

Dr. Gallagher spent two days in New York at the meeting of the Head Masters' Association, of which he is one of the Executive Committee.

The class of 1883 held its twentieth annual reunion on the evening of Dec. 31st. After dinner at the Hotel Thorndike they attended the Boston theatre. There were present of the original class: Mrs. William Gallagher, Braintree; Mr. Otis B. Oakman, Braintree; Miss Annie K. Dyer, Braintree; Mrs. William Curtis, Stoughton; Mrs. Noah Curtis, Dalton; Miss Maria W. Howard, Wellesley; Miss Sarah G. Holmes, Randolph; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Doble, Mrs. Alice Sanborn, Quincy; Mr. Everett S. Litchfield, Brookline; Mr. Joseph C. Hagar, Newton; also Dr. William Gallegher, Mr. William Curtis, Mr. Noah Curtis, Mrs. Otis B. Oakman, Mrs. Everett S. Litchfield.

The class hopes to mark this anniversary by starting a movement to arrange for a reunion of the former members of the Academy during the coming year.

TOOK TWO GAMES.

The Quincy Bowling Team Defeats Merrymount Club.

Last evening at the Granite street alleys the Quincys had an interesting game with a team from the Merrymount club of Wollaston and defeated them two games out of three. The first game was very close, Quincy winning by 5 pins. The second was easy for Quincy, by 56 pins. Merrymount captured the third by 10 pins, Morton was high man with 283. He also rolled a fine single of 108. Ferguson was high man for Merrymount with 251, closely followed by Baker, and Seaman being only 3 pins behind.

The score:

QUINCYS.

	1st	2d	3d	Total
Morton,	83	108	92	283
Ferris	85	86	75	246
Williams,	84	79	73	236
Westland,	81	88	95	264
White,	85	84	73	242
Totals.	418	445	408	1271

MERRYMOUNTS.

Ferguson,	94	73	84	251
Baker,	90	83	75	248
White,	79	75	80	234
Seaman,	76	75	97	248
Nash,	74	83	82	239
	413	389	418	1220

Theft Charged.

The Boston Herald reports the arrest of a Wollaston man, and assumes at the outset that he is guilty: Arthur Palmer, alias Ernest Arnold, 22 of Beale street, Quincy, was arrested last evening charged with being alodging house tnief. He has a criminal record. He hired a room at 5 Cazenove street and is said to have robbed the rooms of other lodgers when they were out. Specific charges against him are the theft of a watch valued at $20 on Jan. 4, from Kamitario Hishide and a coat and vest valued at $25 from Emile La Rue, both of that address. The prisoner is reported to have been of service to the police in times gone by and to have finally become a criminal himself. He has served a term in prison.

Was Fatal.

One of the most popular conductors on the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R, Mr. Cleveland of North Easton, was killed Friday morning by an express train.

Conductor Cleveland's train, the 6.42 from Quincy, separated at a point north of the Crescent avenue station and while he was standing on the fourth iron directing the brakeman in coupling, the 6.40 train from Braintree via West Quincy struck him.

Mr. Cleveland was pushed to one side striking and injuring one or both of the brakemen. The injured men were taken to Boston and Mr. Cleveland died soon after.

Conductor Cleveland was a tall, heavy, light complected man, very fond of flowers, we judge, for he always had a pink in his button hole. He was very popular among the train men and patrons of the road and will be missed very much.

Encampment Installation.

D. D. G. P., W. H. Mitchell and suite of South Boston installed the following officers of Manet Encampment I. O. O. F., Friday evening:

C. P.,—C. F. West.
H. P.,—Frank L. Carlton.
S. W.,—Charles H. Wood.
Scribe,—James W. Young.
Treas.,—E. B. Souther.
J. W.,—Andrew S. Johnson.
O. S.,—Edward L. Goodridge.
I. S.,—Charles H. Hayden.
1st W.,—Joseph C. Bean.
2d W.,—W. S. Andrews.
3d W.,—Aubrey Keith.
4th W.,—Frank W. Flowers.
1st G. of T.,—Walter V. Loud.
2d G. of T.,—N. S. Sanford.
P. C. P.,—Sam Wood, Jr.

After the installation there was a banquet and speeches.

Richard Cole President.

The Quincy branch of the National Letter Carriers' Association elected these officers at its annual meeting:

President,—Richard Cole.
Vice President,—James O'Neil.
Secretary,—James Copland.
Treasurer,—Frank N. Benson.
Sergeant-at-Arms,—John D. Williams.
Trustees,—J. D. Williams, Francis P. Loud and John Walsh.
Collector,—J. C. Cunniff.

The Spirit of Winter.

The Spirit of Winter is with us, making its presence known in many different ways—sometimes by cheery sunshine and glistening snows, and sometimes by driving winds and blinding storms. To many people it seems to take a delight in making bad things worse, for rheumatism twists harder, twinges sharper, catarrh becomes more annoying, and the many symptoms of scrofula are developed and aggravated. There is not much poetry in this, but there is *truth*, and it is a wonder that more people don't get rid of these ailments. The medicine that cures them—Hood's Sarsaparilla—is easily obtained and there is abundant proof that its cures are radical and permanent.

LEDGER ADS PAY BEST.

CITY BREVITIES.

Beautiful snow.

Fair and warmer, Sunday, is the prediction.

The snow does some good, for it furnishes employment to an army of shovellers.

The Thayer Academy basket ball team defeated Weymouth High at Weymouth last evening 8 to 4.

The barometer was rising at noon and the indications were that it would clear before night.

Miss Maria Turner of Graeite street is confined to her bed with muscular rheumatism.

The Library walks are well cared for this winter and on Sunday were among the earliest to be shoveled out and in good condition.

A sled loaded with heavy lumber became stalled in front of the First church last night, and the chances are that it will remain there over Sunday.

Rev. William Foley, formerly a curate at St. John's parish, Quincy, and who had many warm friends in this town, has been assigned to the parish of Canton, Mass.

The annual meeting of the City Hospital of Quincy, is to be held at Colonial hall, on Monday evening, January eighteenth at eight o'clock. A social hour and refreshments will follow the business meeting.

Rev. Peter McQueen is to lecture on Russia, at High school hall, next Wednesday evening, it being the second in the series of lectures and entertainments being given by the Quincy Teachers' association.

It is rather rough on the ice dealers. They went to considerable expense this week in clearing their ponds of snow, and had commenced to harvest their crop. Now their ponds are covered with several inches of snow again.

The coal dealers say that they are nearly swamped with orders. Many people waited until they were all out before ordering a new supply. Then came the storms. The result is that there will be much suffering for want of fuel.

Evangelist E. W. Kenyon of Lynn begins a series of Evangelistic meetings with Rev. Barr at the United Presbyterian church Fort Square, Jan. 10, which will continue during the week each evening at 7.30 o'clock. The meetings the past week have been well attended and of a very helpful character. The public is cordially invited to these meetings.

The Quincy Branch Alliance will meet Monday, January 11th, at 3 P. M. The subject will be "My Visit to the Molokains" (Russian Unitarians) by Rev. Thomas Van Ness, of the Second church, Boston. Mr. Van Ness enjoys an enviable reputation as a lecturer and this paper being the result of a personal meeting with these far away people cannot fail to be both interesting and instructive. Alliance members and friends are cordially invited to attend.

—That the greatness of the power of the United States is appreciated by foreign nations is shown by the recommendation of the London Spectator that the salary of the British Ambassador be raised to $50,000, because the man who represents Great Britain at Washington occupies the most important position in the diplomatic service.

—A piece of real estate on 17th Avenue, New York city, just four inches wide on the street front and with a depth of ninety feet, was left by a mistake made in surveying. Lots on both sides of this strip were sold to different parties, neither of whom wanted the little strip—and it was sold to a party last week for $1,667. What the purchaser expects to do with his acquisition is a mystery.—Farmington Chronicle.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Sleep For Sale.

Registered Trade Mark. Copyrighted by Ostermoor & Co. N.Y.

The "Sleep that knits up the raveled sleeve of care." You can own it can command this priceless witchery of restful sleep, if you will but own an Ostermoor patent elastic felt Mattress.

Nothing on earth you can own will give you more absolute comfort than a luxurious Ostermoor Mattress.

If you wish to travel all the way to old age without missing connection at any stage of the game you must command sleep, and you can't help sleeping if you own an Ostermoor Mattress.

Full Size, $15.00, in 2 parts, $15.50.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.

New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store,

Hancock Street, Quincy.

We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,

DRUGGIST,

1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

A 20 per cent. Reduction.

For dates in January and February the experiment will be tried of giving a special discount of 20 per cent. in the prices of Quincy Music Hall. The price scale as it is, though doubtless seeming high to some, is not really so when a fair account is taken of the many, many expenses of running a large hall and keeping it in first class condition, as well as the fact that at best such a hall can be rented only a small part of the time. The prices of Music Hall are not now changed, merely the experiment is to be made of giving this special discount to engagements coming in these two special months.

The Location is the best of any hall in the city. The street cars pass the door with a turn out right in front of the Hall.

The Floor is of selected maple laid with the greatest care, and is kept in perfect condition, being covered with canvas when not used for dancing.

The Ventilation—a most important consideration—is such as to keep the air pure with even a crowded hall and without causing any drafts.

The Hall is Lighted by electricity, brilliantly and pleasantly, and with a switchboard arranged so that all desired effects can be obtained in the Hall proper or on the stage. Gas is used as an auxiliary light.

The Heating is direct—indirect, ample, and giving the most healthful results.

The Stage has been designed with care, and is furnished with a particularly generous supply of attractive and appropriate scenery.

For Advertising, the Music Hall Billboards throughout the City are of very great value.

To Darken the Hall, there are special window fittings so that at noonday the Hall can be made as dark as at midnight.

In case of fire there are pails of water and chemical fire extinguishers throughout the Hall. There is an asbestos fire curtain by which the Stage can be instantly cut off from the Hall proper. There are nine (9) doors opening from the Hall and five (5) separate exits.

As a whole, Quincy Music Hall has been carefully planned to meet the requirements of those who wish a ***large and really first class Hall.***

QUINCY MUSIC HALL

Dec. 25. tf

The Only Place in QUINCY

Where you can buy the Famous

WINGOLD FLOUR

Harbor Light Coffee

--AND--

Star Brand Coffee

IS AT THE

CONSOLIDATED

ADAMS BUILDING,

Headquarters for High Grade MEATS and GROCERIES.

van Houten's Cocoa

For Breakfast, Luncheon, or Supper,
the Unequalled Beverage.

Best & Goes Farthest

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
25 years' experience

Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.

Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.

Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Brauscheid & Marien's store.

Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence in Medford.

F. S. BUXTON,
TEACHER OF VIOLIN

WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.

Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

BILLS COLLECTED

On commission and reports made to clients every thirty days.

Associated with a firm of Quincy lawyers. Mail claims or drop a postal card and I will call.

FREDERICK E. GOSS,
Quincy, Jan. 7-3t 8 Chestnut Street.

Don't Get Left!

THE BARGAINS IN

Men's and Boys' Clothing
And Furnishings
AT THE
C. F. DERBY Store

Are going rapidly, many lines of goods are ENTIRELY CLOSED OUT.

A few Winter Caps left at
35c., 42c. and 79c

Men's Heavy Working Shirts,
35c. worth 60c

A Lot of Boys' & Children's Suits
WILL BE SOLD THIS WEEK.
$5 Suits, $3 75, $3 Suits, $2.25
and Suits as low as 98c.

Men's Suits, 4.49, 6.50, 8 and $10
Worth Double the Money.

Only a few Men's and Boys' OVERCOATS left.
Come in and get fitted.
We'll Make the Price RIGHT
AT THE
Great Bankrupt Sale
Savings Bank Block,
Quincy, Mass.

FULL BASKET
$1.00
FULL BASKET.

$2 00
Worth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.

9 DAYS' SALE
JANUARY 7--16.

4 Quarts Potatoes,	.01
2 lbs. Sugar,	.01
Can Tomatoes	.01
500 Parlor Matches,	.01
12 Clothes Pins,	.01
Pkg. Ginger,	.01
3 Nutmegs,	.01
Bt. Ammonia,	.10
3 Soap,	.05
1-2 lb. Mocha and Java Coffee,	.15
Pkg. Pop Corn,	.10
Pkg. Gelatine, Homestead,	.11
1-4 lb. Tea,	.15
Pkg. Cocoa Shells,	.07
Bag Salt,	.05
3 Scouring Soap,	.05
Box Blue, Sawyer's,	.04
1 Basket in which to carry all,	.06

$1.00

Each article shall be fresh and good and exactly as advertised.

Full Weight and Full Measure,

$2 00
Worth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.

V. E. MILLER,
CASH GROCER,
Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass.

CAUSES OF COLDS.

One of the Most Common of Them Is Eating Too Much.

The invariable cause of colds comes from within, not without. No one takes cold when in a vigorous state of health, with pure blood coursing through the body, and there is no good reason why any one in ordinary health should have a cold. It may come from insufficient exercise, breathing of foul air, want of wholesome food, excess of food, lack of bathing, etc., but always from some violation of the plain laws of health.

There can be no more prolific cause of colds than highly seasoned foods as well as frequent eating. These give no time for the digestive organs to rest and incite an increased flow of the digestive secretions. Thus larger quantities of nourishment are absorbed than can be properly utilized, and the result is an obstruction, commonly called a "cold," which is simply an effort of the system to expel the useless material. Properly speaking, it is self poisoning, due to an incapability of the organism to regulate and compensate for the disturbance.

A deficient supply of pure air to the lungs is not only a strong predisposing cause of colds, but a prolific source of much graver conditions. Pure air and exercise are necessary to prepare the system for the assimilation of nutriment, for without them there can be no vigorous health. The oxygen of the air we breathe regulates the appetite as well as the nutriment that is built up in the system.

The safest and best way to avoid colds is to sleep in a room with the windows wide open and to remain out of doors every day, no matter what may be the weather, for at least two hours, preferably with some kind of exercise, if no more than walking. One should not sit down to rest while the feet are wet or the clothing damp. A person may go with the clothing wet through to the skin all day if he but keeps moving. Exercise keeps up the circulation and prevents taking cold.

The physiologic care of colds is the prevention of the occurrence. The person who does not carry around an oversupply of alimentation in his system and furthermore secures a purified circulation by strict, sanitary cleanliness, thus placing himself in a positive condition, is immune to colds. A starving man cannot take cold.

A careful diet would exclude the use of all narcotics and all food that is not thoroughly appropriated. An overfed person is worse off than one who is underfed, because the overfed body is taxed to dispose of what cannot be appropriated and, when not properly disposed of, remains only to be an element of danger.—Science of Health.

TODAY'S COURT.

James Gallagher was fined $3 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Elmer E. Chapman was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until Jan 18.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

BORN.

WOOD—In Braintree, Jan. 7, at Dr. Marstin's sanitarian, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood of Braintree.

MARRIED.

SORNBERGER—ROBERTSON—In Quincy, Jan. 5, by Rev. E. C. Butler, Mr. Jewel D. Sornberger of Cambridge to Miss Helen Robertson of Beverly.

BAKER—McCARTHY—In Boston, Jan. 6, by Rev. Edwin A. Blake, Mr. Alton J. Baker of Dennisport to Miss Mary Annastasia McCarthy of Quincy.

KEENE—WRY — In South Braintree, Jan. 6, by Rev. A. E. Legg, Mr. Chester O. Keene of Weymouth to Miss Jennie N. Wry of Braintree.

DIED.

BAILEY—In Milton, Jan. 6, Mrs Clarissa F. Bailey, wife of Mr. William C. Bailey of Eliot street, aged 68 years and 6 months.

WRIGHT—In South Braintree, Jan. 4, Mr. Nathan E. Wright, of Washington street, aged 35 years, 2 months and 6 days.

PRAY—In Braintree, Jan. 3, Mr. William Harmon Pray of Middle street, aged 77 years and 4 months.

HOLLIS—In Attleboro, Mass., January 4th, 1904, Carrie C., wife of Albert O. Hollis, formerly of Quincy, aged 46 years.

SOCIAL REALM.

(Continued from page 1.)

The Quincy Historical Society has been revised. At a recent meeting a new board of officers was chosen who it is belived will do efficient work along the lines for which the society was organized. Those interested are earnestly requested to join. Application for membership can be made to the secretary, Mrs. Elizabeth H. Alden, 50 Chestnut street.

* * *

The Megantic Fish and Game Association dined at the Copley Square Hotel last evening, James Russell Reed presiding.

* * *

The Washington whist club met with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edwards, of Braintree, on Thursday. The first ladies' prize was won by Miss Conant, and second by Mrs. Arza H. Keith, The first gentlemen's prize was won by Mr. S. F. Pratt and the second by Mr. G. E. Loring.

* * *

At the Cochato club Tuesday afternoon eight tables were used by the ladies for whist. Prizes were won by Mrs. B. J. Jones of Weymouth Heights, Mrs. H. S. Barker and Mrs. W. M. Chase of Wollaston.

* * *

One of Rev. E. C. Butler's former parishioners, Miss Helen Robertson of Beverly, came to Quincy on Tuesday to be married by him to Mr. Jewel D. Sornberger.

* * *

Mrs. Bowman of Elm street will address the meeting of Bethany circle next Wednesday afternoon on missionary work in the mountains of the South. She will speak from practical experience.

* * *

Colonel Henry Walker gave his interesting talk on "The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company in England in 1896" at the South armory, Boston, last evening, before the Non-Commissioned Officers' Association of the 1st heavy artillery. Lunch followed.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate sales in Quincy:

Ella J. Gilson to Lora C. Merrill.
James Garrity et al, to Magdalena Schaetzl, $775.
James Thompson et al, to Martha L. Spencer.
Helen A. Adams to Carl G. Adams.
Charles F. Adams, Jr., to J. H. Sullivan, $255.
Edward W. Capen to Harry I. Cummings.
Harry I. Cummings to Lois G. Capen.
Herbert T. Whitman to James A. Elliott.
Annie Scott to Vincent C. Saunders, tr.
Harriet J. Kelley to Vincent C Saunders tr.
Carlos Hea h to Ella M. Warden.
Isaiah E. Wagner to Stephen C. Wagner.
George H. Cox, to Fred A. Perkins, exer. $2505.
Jacob W. Wilbur to Eugene R. Stone.
Quincy Savings Bank to George W. Abele, $650.
William F. Torrey to Evalina P. Torrey.
Henry W. Hunt to Charles E. Stratton et al, trs.
Manufacturers Trust Co. tr to N. E. Consolidated Ice Co's.
N. E. Consolidated Ice Co's to Kirby Stevens

Mrs. C. C. Hollis.

"Come unto me, all ye that are weary and heavy laden, and I will give you rest."

Thus spake the Lord, and obedient to the summons, Carrie C. Hollis, wife of Albert O. Hollis, of Attleboro, Mass., has lain down the cares of this earthly existence, and passing on into the limitless hereafter, has gone to dwell with those she loved so dearly, in that house not made with hands.

Born in East Milton, Mass., some forty-six years ago, to William and Mary White Barnes, the greater part of her life, up to her recent removal to Attleboro, was spent in Milton, Quincy and Braintree, where she was widely known and much beloved by relatives and friends.

The funeral, which was private took place from her late residence on Lindsey street, Attleboro, on Wednesday the 6th instant, and the remains were laid at rest in the village tomb, to await interment.

Mrs. Hollis is survived by her husband, who has the sympathy of the community and of his friends abroad in his hour of bereavement.

—Rev. Madison C. Peters predicts that in 100 years there will be 225,000,000 negroes and only 100,000,000 white men in the South, and asks us what we are going to do about it. We are going to wait and see.—Washington Post.

—The Quincy Mutual have sent out another historical calendar this year. It is a picture of the Daniel Webster place at Marshfield, with Mr. and Mrs. Day and Ashburton Webster playing croquet on the lawn.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY.
L. G. MURRAY.
S. F. COPELAND.
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Nov. 2. 6mos.

CROWDED THE HOUSE.

The Successful Scheme of a Theatrical Press Agent.

An agent who was in despair owing to his failure to get any advertising that had not been paid for found himself in a big western city with his attraction playing to strong competition and something desperately needed to attract public attention to his show. In one scene of the play a pair of handcuffs figured. The agent had an inspiration. He had the star snap a handcuff on her wrist, and then the agent concealed the key, saying it had been lost. The star was compelled to finish the act wearing the handcuff dangling from her wrist. The audience knew it should not be there, and comment was aroused. Between the next two acts the agent drove the actress swiftly to police headquarters, near at hand. The police captain was mysteriously called out. He was informed that the actress must have the handcuff removed at once and secretly, as she did not wish news of her predicament to get out. The chief brought out a big bunch of keys, and finally the handcuff was removed, but not until a dozen alert reporters had snuffed a "story" and were plying the reluctant press agent with questions. Finally the whole story was pumped out of the agent, the star having returned to finish the play. Next morning the first page of every local paper had a fine story, descriptive of the plight of the actress who had accidentally fastened a handcuff to her wrist. The public was interested and flocked to see the play, and the resourceful agent went on to the next town wondering what new thing he could spring on the sensation lovers there.—William Loftus in Reader Magazine.

Marriages In Burma.

Burma is unique among the countries of the east in the position accorded to women. There is no purdah there, and, gentle as she looks, the married woman is the head of her house. The girls before their ears are pierced, which is equivalent to a coming out reception, are allowed to roam about the streets playing boyish games with their brothers and their friends, and afterward there are many opportunities for young men and women to meet at festivals, boat races and other gayeties. Marriages in Burma therefore are usually love matches, and the unmarried woman is in no hurry to change her state. Burmese women are charming, generally slender, dainty and demurely coquettish. They wear gayly colored garments, which make them look like flower beds, and their hair, which is shining and smooth, is always uncovered and decked with flowers.

Why Your Coffee Is Bad.

Bridget is an excellent cook; but, like most women of her profession, she is opinionated and insists upon making all her dishes strictly according to her own recipes. Her mistress gives her full swing not only as to cooking, but as to the purchase of supplies. The other day her mistress said to her:

"Bridget, the coffee you are giving us is very good. What kind is it?"

"It is no kind at all, mum," said Bridget. "It's a mixter."

"How do you mix it?"

"I shake it one-quarter Mocha and one-quarter Java and one-quarter Rio."

"But that's only three-quarters. What do you put in for the other quarter?"

"I put in no other quarter at all, mum. That's where so many spoil the coffee, mum—by puttin' in another quarter."—New York Press.

The Japanese Hell.

The Japanese language has no equivalent for our word "hell," but has the word "jigoku" instead. Jigoku consists of, first, eight immense hot hells, ranging one beneath the other in tiers. Each of these hells has sixteen additional hells outside its gates, like so many antechambers, so that there are in all 136 hot hells. Second, there are eight large cold hells, each with its sixteen ante-hells, making the same number of cold that there are of hot hells. Besides these 272 hot and cold hells for offenders of the common sort the wily Japs have twenty mammoth "hells of utter darkness," into which will be consigned the spirits of children who take the name of Dai Butsa, or Great Buddha, in vain.

Why He Doubted the Map.

At a St. Andrew's society dinner one of the speakers told of a Scotch gardener, recently landed, who had great difficulty in acquiring a knowledge of American geography. The son of the household, failing to teach the gardener in any other way, brought out a huge, highly colored map. The Scot looked at it critically.

"Ah, yes, lad; that may be, but it's no to be truisted. It's laid oot in the plaid o' the leein' MacFechtons," was his comment.

Wretch.

"George, did you ever love any other woman as well as you love me?"

"Oh, yes, my dear; several of them."

"Indeed! Why didn't you marry one of them instead of me?"

"Well, I suppose I'll be asking myself that question, too, some day."—Chicago Tribune.

The Real Thing.

Sportsman—Any good hunting in this part of the country?

Native—Lots of it.

Sportsman—What kind of game?

Native—No game at all. Just hunting.—Illustrated Bits.

The Natural Part.

"She seems to be a natural flirt," he said.

"Natural!" the woman impatiently replied. "There's nothing natural about her but the framework."—Chicago Record-Herald.

BRAINTREE.

Mr. F. G. Pennock has resigned his position in Newburyport and accepted one in Boston.

The funeral of J. Frank Winslow will take place at his late residence on Washington street Sunday at 1.30 P. M., Rev. E. C. Stover officiating.

Miss Nellie Monk of Washington street entertained several of the teachers of the Jonas Perkins school at her home, Monday evening. Miss Monk presented each guest with a handsome New Year's souvenir.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bradford, Mrs. Nellie Tenney and Mr. Fred Tenney attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mrs. Tenney's parents Mr. and Mrs. William Hinsman, of Newtonville, Thursday evening, Dec. 31. Mr. and Mrs. Hinsman were former residents of this town.

An accident happened at the home of Patrick F. Reardon of Academy street this week that might have had serious results. The hot water front on his stove burst sending pieces through doors and causing considerable damage.

The funeral services of Mr. Carbery McKaig of Washington street were held at St. Francis' church on Monday morning, Rev. Matthew F. McDonnell officiating. Interment was at Randolph.

Thirteen persons attended the early Mass at St. Francis' church on Sunday and forty attended the last Mass at 10.20 A. M.

Miss Anna D. Pickles has again taken up her work in the Monatiquot after a delightful visit to her home in Nova Scotia. She encountered the severe storm of Saturday in coming into port, but with no ill effects, and is again at her post to the delight of her pupils, with renewed and added zeal for the work for which she is so admirably fitted.

The King's Daughters will meet with Mrs. Crathern Thursday, January fourteenth at two o'clock.

Monday evening, Jan. 11th, Antietam Camp 32, S. of V. and L. A. S. 16 will hold a joint installation in I. O. O. F. hall. Mrs. Loud of Whitman, a division aid, will install the L. A. S. and Division Councilman George Hunt of Boston will install the S. of V. After the installations, supper will be served in the banquet hall.

Members of hose two met Monday evening and organized as follows: John Kelley, captain; George Mansfield, first lieutenant; Fred Whitcomb, second lieutenant; Fred Tenney, clerk; Michael Levangie, Fred Tenney, Millard Dyer, standing committee; George Mansfield, steward.

The following officers of Puritan lodge, I. O. O. F. were installed Tuesday evening by District Deputy Grand Master F. L. Richards of South Weymouth: Noble Grand, Thomas Fallon; Vice Grand, George Orcutt; Recording Secretary, H. A. Simonds; Treasure, B. H. Woodsum; Financial Secretary, William M. Bates; Conductor, H. L. Tobey; Warden. A. W. Hobart; Right Scene Supporter, Arthur David. Number of officers absent on account of severe weather, same will be installed by special Deputy F. F. Tupper, South Braintree next Tuesday evening, also initiation degree on two candidates. Officers and brothers please make it a point to be present.

Miss Helen Shaw of Elmwood park has been ill with tonsilites the past week. Mrs. George L. Shaw has also been on the sick list and unable to be at her place of business.

Thermometers in this vicinity registered 18 below on Liberty street, 22 below at the railroad crossing Commercial street and 28 below at Harlow's Tuesday morning.

Miss Sadie Nelson of Shaw street, who was so seriously burned Christmas eve by having her clothing ignited while personating Santa Claus is now convalescing. Her father and mother, who, were seriously burned in extinguishing the flames are also recovering.

The Communion Service which would have been held last Sunday, the 3d, at the Union Church, will be held next Sunday the 10th. The right hand of fellowship will be extended to one new member.

The Board of Health have ordered that there shall be no burials in the old part of the First Parish cemetery during the month of January, and this order will probably be made permanent as soon as a division line can be drawn.

Members of the junior class of Thayer Academy are planning a sleigh ride for tonight. There will be snow enough.

The Storrs Foreign Missionary society met with Mrs. H. S. Thayer Monday afternoon.

A little girl arrived at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Ernest DeWolf Wales of Lowell street on Thursday, Jan. 7.

On account of the severe storm Sunday no morning service was held at the First church but the afternoon service was largely attended.

Mrs. L. A. du Vigneaux of Washington street is slowly recovering, at the Sunny Side hospital, Cambridge, from a successful but very dangerous operation performed by Dr. H. O. Marcy of Cambridge and assisted by Dr. F. W. Brett of South Braintree.

Mr. R. E. Belcher left last Saturday on a ten days' business trip to Washington.

The Jonas Perkins School Association were pleasantly entertained Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Doane of Bowditch street. Mr. Doane gave a very interesting talk on Manual Training. During the evening the hostess served dainty refreshments. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Loring, Jan. 20.

William H. Pray, for a number of years a resident of Middle street, Braintree, died Jan. 3, of heartfailure. Mr. Pray was seventy-seven years old and is survived by a wife, two sons and one daughter Miss Louise M. Pray. The funeral was held Wednesday at his late residence and was conducted by Rev. F. R. Griffin. Mrs. Fred. Howe and Mrs. Walter Davis sang at the service.

Mrs. William Howe Thayer and two daughters have moved to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Thayer, South Braintree for the winter.

Mrs. H. Adeline Hollis was given a party last Tuesday evening at her home and presented with a very pretty china tea set. The gathering of about thirty consisted of neighbors and South Braintree friends. The party was not a surprise or birthday celebration but to enjoy an evening with a delightful entertainer. Refreshments were served and orchestral music enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Carney, William Laurie and Miss Emily Stone gave exhibits of fancy dancing on the cleared kitchen floor.

The social at All Souls' church last evening took the form of a reception and about fifty attended in spite of the dubious weather.

28 degrees below zero is the record for Braintree, but it didn't seem so cold. If it wasn't for the thermometers I wouldn't have thought it was any more than zero.

Our genial postmaster in South Braintree, always looking for a way to accommodate and please the people, has posted a notice notifying the citizens that the post office will be open from 5.45 to 6.15 Sunday evenings. This was a good move on his part and a magnificent idea. Accommodation goes a long way.

The selectmen have appointed Mr. C. V. Cottrell, Mr. J. S. Hill and Mr. J. Kelley to constitute the board of fire engineers for 1904. It is Mr. Cottrell's turn to be chief and he certainly is worthy of the position.

That Pale Face Needs Iron

Tells you that you need iron and you can have it in the most approved and agreeable form by taking the new iron tonic, Peptiron Pills. They ironize the blood, and that means they give the face, lips, cheeks, and ears a good, healthy color, and strengthen and tone the whole system.

They are a specific for all anemic conditions, nervousness, sleeplessness, dyspepsia, poor circulation, cold hands and feet.

They are pleasant to take, acceptable to the stomach and readily assimilated, a perfect boon to delicate women and girls, invalids and convalescents.

Peptiron Pills (Chocolate coated)

"I have been taking Peptiron Pills six weeks," said a grateful lady, "and am realizing great benefit, feel stronger, and know by what my friends say that I look better. I am glad my confidence in Hood's Sarsaparilla led me to take Peptiron Pills."

Peptiron Pills, 50c. or $1, the latter a full month's treatment. Prepared by C. I. HOOD CO., Hood's Sarsaparilla, Lowell, Mass.

Selling Agent in Quincy:
E. J. Murphy, 1657 Hancock St.

DANCING.

COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.

BASKET BALL
AND DANCING
THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all former pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For further particulars apply to ELMER W BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

PHIL of THE HOLLOW

By SHAN BULLOCK

Copyright, 1903, by American Press Association

ONE morning in June I sat by the window of a third class carriage looking out upon a motley crowd that had gathered from Meath hills upon the platform of Oldtown station to see the last of a party bound for the States.

Listlessly I sat watching and waiting, when of a sudden two yokels broke their way across the platform, wrenched open the door, blundered into my carriage and took their places in the farther corners. Their boorish ways nettled me. The crash of hobnails upon my foot roused me. I turned in wrath.

"Permit me to say that you've come to the wrong carriage," I said in withering tones. "This is third class, only third class. The firsts are waiting for you higher up."

No word came from the corners, not a move or sign. My blood thickened, and I was proceeding with a brutal reference to cattle trucks when right at my elbow a voice interrupted mine through the open window.

"Ned! I say, Ned! Is it ye? Ye hear me over there? Ned! I say, Ned!"

It was a bent old man, in gray frieze and a beaver hat, that spoke. Shrilly, almost fiercely, he spoke and sent his voice through mine across the carriage, calling: "Ned! I say, Ned!"

No answer came to him from either corner, but silence might not baffle his importunity. Again and yet again he called, his voice rising fiercer and shriller, and with that the youth in the opposite corner to mine turned his heavy face and spoke.

"Can't ye see it's me?" he growled, his voice hard and sullen, his eyes glancing furtively. "What d'ye want?"

The old man craned farther into the carriage. "What are ye doin' there, Ned Brady?" he shrilled. "What divilment are ye up to now? Where are ye goin'? Answer me, sir!"

"Ah, quit yer talk an' go home wi' ye!" came back. "What is it to ye what I'm doin'?"

"But it is to me. Isn't yer mother wild about ye? Wouldn't she be here this minute only for searchin' for ye? What are ye doin', I say?" cried the ancient. Then, no answer coming, he clutched tighter at the window and continued: "Where were ye all last night? Why didn't ye come home to us, waitin' yonder an' missin' our sleep? Shame on ye, Ned Brady, black shame on ye! Ye've been up to no good. Yer up to no good now. Ye blaggard, ye blaggard! Come out to me—come out, I say, before I bring the polis! Come out!" cried the ancient in a voice that blent its fierce treble most strangely with the piteous sound of the emigrants' wailing that now came from the platform, a heartbreaking sound pierced through by that passionate old voice. "Come out," it went, "come out, ye divil, before I bring the polis to ye!"

It seemed to me, sitting there observant, that at the word the youth's face blanched. Certainly he shrank into his corner, cowered there a moment, then made as if to rise.

But even as he gathered in his feet his companion bent forward, whispered to him a word and turned his face. It was a cruel face, with thin lips and narrow black eyes, and, seeing it, the ancient drew back and raised his hands. "Phil Gara," said he, "Phil o' the Hollow! Ye too!"

"Aye—me too. An' what of that, Micky, me son?" The voice was thin and hard, cold and satiric. "Sure it's not the first time ye've seen me in yer life. Why can't ye quit shoutin' there like a fool an' go an' bid goodby?"

"Phil o' the Hollow! Goin' wi' him?" The ancient drew back a step, raised a hand and rubbed his eyes. "Goin' wi' him?" he repeated slowly, as if to his inner self. "Goin' wi' him?"

"Well, an' what of that? D'ye think I'll ate him body an' bones? Be the Lord, but ye must be dotin' in yer ould age!" Phil laughed harshly. "Ah, away wi' ye an' bid the people goodby. Away now before"—

"Come out wi' ye—come out, come out!" Again the ancient clutched the window and pushed in his face, again broke into shrillness. "Ye'll not go, Ned Brady; ye'll not go. There's some divilment on foot. Ye've been at divilment in the night. Come home wi' me." Fiercely he drew back, turned the door handle and made to enter, and just then the whistle sounded, the engine shrieked, and the last glimpse I had of Micky as the train moved away showed him tight in the porter's arms, with his hands raised and clinched. "Ye divil, ye divil!" he cried. "Ah, ye divil!" His voice died out behind a piteous sound of wailing. There came a wild rush of streaming faces along the platform, a quick huddling of excited figures by the signal box, skirls, cheers, a mad waving of hats, then a sudden hush and the peace of the brooding fields.

For awhile I sat humoring thought, then settled back in my corner, brought out a book and across it fell to observing my companions. The two sat silent and passive. They were dressed in peasant fashion, rough tweed coats, corduroy trousers, heavy boots and peaked caps, cotton scarfs, leather belts; on him called Ned a pair of knee straps, on him called Phil a pair of [illegible] leggings. The clothes of both were faded and worn, odorous also of stale peat smoke, but while Ned's were patched and mud stained Phil's were sound and clean, nor had they altogether that quaint rusticity of cut and manufacture which stamped his companion as with the very name of clodhopper.

In other ways also one differed from the other, even in details of aspect. Ned's hands were rough and clumsy, his skin hard and sun scorched, limbs ungainly, face (as I had seen, and saw even now, in part) heavy and boorish; no light in his eyes, no animation in voice or feature. Just a yokel was Ned, who had not slept and whose mind was troubled. With Phil, however, things were different. His hands and skin were those of your loiterer by gate and corner, of your poacher and ne'er-do-well. His limbs were supple, face lean and knowing, eyes keen and wary, every inch of him alive with the subtlety of a fox. Ned was a tool; Phil seemed an instrument. Ned's business was with spade and dungfork, Phil's with snare and net. Had I met Ned in a lane I should have looked across the hedge; meeting Phil, I should have gripped my stick. That there was good in Ned Brady I felt sure; that there was bad in Phil Gara I knew instinctively—just, maybe, as old Micky knew it and would have plucked the lamb from the wolf.

And to me, as to Micky, something whispered that "divilment" was afoot.

"Ye divil, ye divil!"

The pair looked guilty. Their ways bred suspicion. And just at that they stirred in their corners and fell to revealing themselves. It was Ned who stirred soonest. Leaning forward, elbows on knees and hands clasped, he spoke softly.

"Phil! I say, Phil!"

Gara opened his eyes, moved a little; also bent forward. "Well?" said he and glanced swiftly toward me.

"Ye heard what he said? Ye seen the way he was in?"

"Who? Ould Micky?"

Ned nodded response.

"To be sure, I heard it. The ould fool!"

"He—he was powerful put out." Ned's voice was tearful. His lips quivered. "Think of him sayin' what he did. Think—think of them sittin' up for me all night an' goin' to search for me!"

"Ach, quit yer nonsense!" said Gara harshly and contemptuously. "Arrah, what about them?"

"But—but—ah, I dunno." Ned buried face in hands and sat silent for a minute, then looked up suddenly. "I'll go back," he said. "I'll go back."

"Will ye, then?" Phil leaned nearer. His voice grew harsher. "Where to?"

"I'll go home," answered Ned. "I'll go, I'll go." Again he covered his face, again looked up. "I nearly went. Another minute an' I'd 'a' gone with him."

"Would ye, then? Another minute an' ye'd"—

Phil glanced at me, caught my eye, scowled, leaned forward and behind his hand whispered something in Ned's ear, and with the words, whatever they were, Ned's face whitened, and he sat upright and stared wide.

"Ye—ye think that," said Ned in a drawling whisper. "My God—my God!" A minute he sat silent, his back limp, hands sprawling on his knees, then stooped once more, put a hand on Phil's arm and whispered something that I could not hear.

Ned Gara turned his face and fixed me steadily with his beads of eyes.

"Yer a good hand at watchin'," he said.

I had nothing to answer.

"Ye'd know me again, I'm of opinion, if ye saw me skin on a bush. Suppose for a change ye hide yer ugly face behind yer book an' keep yer eyes from yer betters."

Still I did not answer, so he edged along the seat toward me, his eyes still keen upon my face.

"Ye were mighty free of the tongue awhile ago," he said, jerking a thumb toward his shoulder, "back at Oldtown. Ye wouldn't be talkin' like that now, I'm thinkin'?"

I had no desire to talk like that now. Raising my book, I leaned back in my corner, but my eyes kept on his.

"Answer me!" he shouted. "Say now what ye said then! Say it, if there's a drop of a man in ye!"

I lowered my book, crossed and uncrossed my legs, looked my bravest. "I have nothing to answer," I said. "What I said then you deserved"—

"Say it again!" He was beside me now, ugly and threatening, his beads of eyes glowing fixedly.

"There's no need."

"Bah, ye coward! Ye'd insult decent people wi' the world to back ye, but ye'd slink away when they took ye to task. That's yer kind, me Ulster buckeen! I know ye, ye Orange spy! Be the Lord, but I've a mind to mark yer countenance. Who are ye, sir, to sit there watchin' an' listenin' without bein' asked?" He swung his hand close to my face, then dropped it and with a quick movement crossed the carriage, dropped into the seat facing mine, leaned toward me and looked me straight in the eyes. "Who are ye at all?" he asked, not questioning me so much as himself. "Who the divil are ye?"

I did not answer, not knowing what to say. To speak truth, fear held my tongue in thrall. The man cowed me. His voice chilled my blood. He seemed capable of any violence. That sinister face of his, long and thin, crafty and cruel, with its hard lips and wicked eyes, so tense, so inscrutable, so void of any good, drew all my faculties toward it and shadowed them with something like terror.

"Who are ye?" he said, questioning himself the while his eyes pierced to my marrow. "If I thought ye were"—His scrutiny went on silently for a minute, then found words again. "But yer not. No, ye haven't the look, an' ye haven't the pluck. Yer too soft in the face an' white of the hand. What are ye?" Leaning forward, he took the book from my hand, opened it and glanced at a page. "Naw; yer not a schoolmaster. Mebbe yer out of a bank. Mebbe yer—naw, yer no counter jumper." He flung the book on the seat beside me, sat upright and, crooking his elbows, caught a thumb in each waistcoat pocket. "I'll tell ye what ye are," said he, with a cock of the head—"yer a bagman."

I was anxious to humor the man, and I suppose I nodded.

"I knew it," said Gara, a gray smile hovering on his face, "I knew it the minute I clapped eyes on ye. Thinks I as I sits beyond in the corner—ye thought I couldn't see ye because me eyes were shut—the lad with the book is only a bagman on his rounds." He stopped and glanced up at the rack and below the seat. "But where's the bag?" asked he, suspicion again in his eyes.

"In the van," said I.

"Aw, to be sure, to be sure." Slowly he spoke, his head wagging up and down, then fell to fumbling in his pockets and brought out a pipe. Stretching high his arms, he yawned wearily and rubbed his eyes, "Heigho, heigho!"

It was heartening to see the man in softer mood. My pulse took a steadier beat. Over my book I watched Phil probe the pipe bowl with a finger, rap it upon his knee and bring forth a piece of tobacco and a long horn hafted clasp knife that held a single blade. Opening the knife, he rubbed the blade—a murderous, gleaming thing, with a sharp point—upon his sleeve and began whittling the tobacco into his palm. It was then that for the first time I noticed upon his right shirt cuff a broad, dull stain. Suddenly he looked around, and, following his gaze, I saw Ned crouched in his corner, his hands spread and his eyes fixed wide upon the knife. There were fear and horror in his eyes, blank terror upon his face, and, seeing him, Gara raised his voice. "Ye eternal fool! What's come over ye now? Are ye"—Gara stopped, looked down at the knife, then seized his cap and flung it in Ned's face. "Ah, go to sleep wi' ye, for a fool! Lie back an' go to sleep!" shouted he, and slowly Ned lay back.

Affairs were marching now. I forgot my book, forgot that the sun was shining on the peaceful fields lying golden beyond the hedges. With leaping pulse I sat by the window, watching silently. Gara went for his cap, pausing a breath to whisper in Ned's ear; came back and fell again to whittling his scrap of tobacco. Leaning toward me, he sat, elbows out and hands—his lean, ready hands—busy between his knees. Suddenly he looked up and met my eyes.

"Still watchin'?" he said, with a grin.

"Yes," answered I, striving to smile. "I'm—I'm tired reading."

"I know." He pressed the tobacco into his pipe, then held out his hand, with the knife lying open on his palm. "That's a good knife," said he. I nodded. "Feel the edge it has," he went on and pushed the blade, edge upward, toward me. Reluctantly I tried the blade with my thumb. It was keen as a razor. With a quick movement he put its point against my breast and pressed slightly. "Just two inches home," said he, "an' ye'd watch no more."

I sat quite still, my breath held. "For two pins I'd do it," said Gara, pressing again, "an' close yer eyes forever. How do I know what ye are?"

There was a sound of shuffling feet in the farther corner, and from his place Ned Brady came quickly, his hands out and that look of horror once more on his face. "No, no, Phil!" he shouted, in terror of pleading. "My goodness, no!"

And with that, even as Gara rose swiftly, the engine whistled, the brakes shrieked, and, crouching upon the seat, Gara waved Ned back. "Down wi' ye!" he shouted. "Down, ye fool, down!"

During the minute that we stayed at Lack station the two huddled close in their corners, their faces turned from the platform, eyes fixed in a furtive stare of apprehension, ears quick on the tread of the stalking policeman, but once started again and slowly gliding past hill and hedgerow they sat upright and looked at each other. It was a significant look, narrow and tense, springing on that side from the gloom of tears, on this the black tangles of guilt, and from it Gara broke suddenly with mocking laughter.

"Bah! I'm sick with meself for a danged fool. What about them? Who cares about them?" Fiercely he held converse as with himself, his back bent, eyes on his boots, fingers met and twitching. "Bah! One 'd think we were"—

He stopped, pondered a moment, slowly and deliberately raised his eyes. "I wonder what yer thinkin' of us now?" he said, still with that air of asking a question not so much of me as of himself. "I'd give somethin' this mortal minute to know what's behind yer face. Tell me what is it yer thinkin'."

I hardly cared to answer boldly. "Well, to tell the truth, I'm not so much thinking as wondering."

"I know. An' what are ye wonderin'?"

I meant to speak carefully, but the words leaped out. "What you're afraid of," said I.

While you might count fifty Gara sat eying me in silence. "Afraid of?" he said at last. "Then ye think we've done somethin'?"

"I do. How can I help it?"

"I know. I see. Well"—Gara paused—"an' what d'ye think we're afraid of?"

"I don't know," said I.

"Ye don't." Not for an instant did his eyes relax. "But ye'd like to know, mebbe?"

"Like?" I waved a hand. "Maybe I'm just as well not to know."

"Aye, for all that ye'd be happier if ye did?"

"I'd be wiser," answered I.

"Wiser?" Gara laughed in his knowing way. "Aw, troth might ye, an' even then ye'd be no Solomon, for sure as a gun yer a bit of a fool. Man, yer wits are out at grass. There's not what sense 'd catch a rabbit behind that smooth face of yers, an' as for pluck—phut! Ye've the pluck of a sheep." He laughed again, as if at his own discerning wit, then tapped my knee with a finger. "Listen to me an' I'll tell ye," said he, "an' may the hearin' do ye good. If ye knew more about the country that owns ye," said Phil, having glanced at Ned and crossed his knees and laid his hands upon them, "ye'd wonder little to see two country lads takin' a jaunt in a train an' keepin' an eye on the police, an' if ye knew the police ye'd not wonder at all. Ye can do nothin' but they're at yer heels. If ye play cards in a train, there's a helmet at the window; if ye take a drop too much, there's a black coat at your elbow; if ye brew a sup of poteen, there's an army on yer track, an' the man that raps a hare upon the head might as well kill a magistrate. Yer safe wi' yer bag an' yer black coat, but get inside this ould coat of mine an' see the face of the first peeler ye'd meet. I'm only a countryside bosthoon. I'm the man the police looks twice at. Well, they've need. I'm no saint if I'm not much of a sinner. I'll gamble so long as I can sit. I'll pick a pocket if I want a dinner. I'll crack a skull wi' the greatest pleasure. I'd shoot a landlord the morrow if so be I drew the bean. I'm a divil, sir"—Gara uncrossed his legs, drove a hand into either waistcoat pocket and faced me proudly—"a fair divil. In all Meath there's not a play boy to touch me. An' I glory in it, I glory in it! Jail or gallows, dock or bar, divil a bit I fear them, an' divil a straw I care. A free life an' a free hand—there's my sentiments. I envy no man. I care for no man. Only," and here Gara winked knowingly as he tapped my knee, "when somethin' happens I try to be careful, an' that's why ye see me goin' for a jaunt this mornin', meself an' the boy beyant."

Phil pushed back his cap, glanced furtively at Ned, leaned over his knees with his arms crossed upon them and, lowering his voice, went on. "It's all because of himself in the corner. Between ourselves he's a bit of a noodle; but, like many another I've met, he's fond of me company, an' so he'd trot at me heel. An' last night, when his skull was bein' threatened, what must I do but take his part, an' here I am.

"'Twas like this. Ned, havin' a trifle of money to lose, half a crown or so, an' the fancy for cards bein' only young in him, comes to me in the evenin', tells me there's a drop of fresh poteen in a neighbor's an' asks me to keep him company. Where the house was an' who lives in it is no matter now. Well, we sampled the liquor, we smoked, an' we sung, we had our joke an' our argument, an' towards 10 o'clock we fell to at the cards. The game was twenty-five, penny stakes, an' every man for himself.

"'Twas on a chair our party played, wi' stools for us to sit straddled on, an' Ned was facin' me, an' three others were between us, an' one of them was a boy called Micky the Wig, a big, thick witted butt of a man wi' red hair an' a temper like a chained bull's. The man that won was Micky's enemy. The man that lost, supposin' he wasn't himself, got Micky's jeers. An' last night, as it happened, Ned beyant had all the luck an' Micky all the losin', so Ned was the enemy.

"'Twas wonderful to see the two. Ned's face every time he looked at his cards or raked in the coppers beamed like a full moon. Micky's every time he looked at his or put down a fresh stake was black as the hob. 'Dang me, but it's great!' says Ned when a round was done. 'Divil the like I ever seen!' shouts Micky, with a scowl across the chair, an' bangs his knee. 'Not a card can I get!' shouts Micky. 'Not a pip can I make! Dang such luck!' shouts he at last, when he hadn't a cent, 'an' dang ye for a pup!' says he to Ned. 'Yer not playin', but cheatin', an' I say it to yer face.'

"Now, I'll say this for Ned—he's a good natured boy. But last night pride was big in him an' poteen strong, an' when Micky said the word he just leant over an' called him a liar. Up jumps Micky like a mad bull an' tears off his coat. Up stands Ned an' peels off his. Up gets the company like one man an' gathers round. There was more noise when ye'd clap yer hands than 'd drown a brass band. Such a whillabaloo ye never heard in all yer days. An' there was Micky squarin' an' jumpin'; there was Ned pale as a sheet, there the boys gatherin' into a ring, there meself. Aw, there was meself playin' the fool, for, instead of standin' back like another an' leavin' things to come right, what must I do but take pity on Ned's face an' his youth, step forward to his side, take his part an' challenge Micky meself. I was a fool," said Phil, flinging out a hand, "but"—

There came a sound from the farther corner, and, turning quickly, we had sight of Ned Brady leaning toward us, a hand on each knee, mouth open and wonder staring from his eyes. Like that he may have been sitting for long enough listening and gaping. Now he shuffled along the seat and spoke.

"Phil," said he, his voice shrill and piteous, "what are ye doin'? Is it"—

"Ah, go back to yer place!" answered Gara, with a scowl. "Back, ye fool!"

"But, Phil—I say, Phil! Would ye"—

"Go back, I say!"

"But, Phil"—

With an oath Gara rose, took Ned by the shoulders and shot him back into the corner, stooped over him and whispered in his ear, came back and sat down before me. Bending forward, while Ned watched and listened eagerly, Phil hurriedly went on:

"At first Micky wouldn't fight. He had no quarrel with me, he said. It was Ned that had insulted him, said he. 'Twas Ned he'd fight. For answer I stripped to the waist, stepped out upon the floor an' gave Micky's face the back of me hand. That roused him. The ring closed in. Hammer an' tongs we fell to wi' naked fists. At first Micky had the best of matters, wi' his long arms an' big weight. Once he sent me sprawlin' across a chair; another time he just missed a blow at me chin that 'd ha' broke me neck. But he was soft, an' I was hard; he had strength, an' I had science, so in awhile he flagged an' I freshened, an' he was at me mercy. I toyed wi' him an' gibed him; I tapped him here an' there an' laughed in his face; I led him on till his guard got low an' his breath came short an' he lost his temper; then, seein' me chance, I stepped in like a flash, took him a blow on the chin like the kick of a horse an' measured his six feet upon the floor. Boys, the clatter he came down! Man, the hubbub was there! Stretched out he lay as pale as a sheet, wi' blood on his lips an' not a breath in his body. 'He's dead!' shouts this one. 'He's murdered,' says that. 'Catch him,' says the rest, 'till we have his life.' An' wi' that I lifts coat an' waistcoat, shouts to Ned, then out into the dark an' away, an' for an hour we ran, an' for hours we lay in a ditch. At last, towards mornin'"—

Just there Phil stopped, peered through the windows, turned quickly and waved a hand at Ned. "Here's Larah," said he, and to me, "There's little more, but I'll finish when we're started again."

I nodded. Ned gathered into his corner; Phil crouched low in his. The whistle shrieked, the brakes began grinding, slowly the train drew up, and there upon Larah platform stood two policemen by the doorway, while along it, from carriage to carriage, two more followed a sergeant with drawn staves.

Then I looked at Phil. "They're coming," said I.

"Who?"

"The police."

"Ah!" He sat upright, his face blanching and tightening, made a sudden dash toward the farther door, then, at sight of black figures on the siding beyond, turned and let fall his hands. "Trapped!" said he. "Trapped!"

He looked down upon Ned and upon his horror stricken face. "They're here," said he. "Come; bear it like a man. It'll soon be over, an' you needn't fear anyway." He took Ned by an

"I'd do it an' close yer eyes forever."

arm, dragged him across the carriage, dropped him on the seat before me and took his place in the corner. "Hold up," he said, giving Ned, that poor misery of a Ned, a shake. "Be a man for once; be a man." He looked at me, a smile lightening his face. "All up," said he. "I can't finish, but ye'll see the rest in the papers. Goodby to ye." He laughed and turned as figures darkened the windows. "Aw, good mornin' to ye, sergeant. Come, Ned, boy; we're wanted." And quick came the click of handcuffs.

Some weeks afterward I found the finish of Phil's story in the newspapers; also I found details there which Phil had omitted and some which he had distorted. Up to a certain point his story to me kept sight of facts. Afterward it entered the region of fancy. It was Phil himself who had been accused of cheating; it was on his own behalf he had fought; it was when matters were going hopelessly with him at the hands of Micky the Wig that Ned had striven to help him, had clutched Micky's arms and tried to restrain him, had unwittingly held Micky tight while Phil got home with the knife.

Happily the wound was not mortal, so Phil lost his freedom for only three years, and because of his youth and innocence and of some generous evidence tendered by Phil on his behalf Ned was admonished and set free.

MISS SPEAR'S CLASSES
148 Goffe Street.
Kindergarten and Day pupils received.
Music, Art, Sloyd, Basketry, Gymnastics, Shorthand and Tutoring taught by experts.
C. FOLLETT SPEAR, Directress.
Voice, Piano and Harmony. Oct. 15-3m

HALL and BURGESS,
Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. ly

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc.
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.
Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1361 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass.
Aug. 17 tf

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER,
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

SKATES SHARPENED.
Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .
24 Granite Street,
NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.
Dec. 21. 1m

WOOD! WOOD! WOOD!
OF ALL KINDS.
DRY AND GREEN
At Lowest Possible Prices.
THOS. O'BRIEN & SONS.
Yard off Miller and West Streets, West Quincy.
Jan. 7 tf

Hote Greenleaf
Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

PICTURES
FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

W. A. BRADFORD,
Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting
Jobbing promptly attended to.
Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.
Open Monday and Saturday evenings.
Telephone 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

Insured for $2,000,000
L. Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, the eminent merchant of New York and Philadelphia, has taken out a policy in
The Prudential Insurance Co.
for $1,000,000, paying an annual premium of over $30,000. This makes him the most heavily insured man in the world, with the single exception of King Edward VII.
Mr. Wanamaker's total insurance is now $4,000,000.
Ask yourself WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed one-half this great amount with The Prudential.
Your business judgment will at once reply: "Because after full investigation and comparison, Mr. Wanamaker found that the company which could give him the best insurance for a given amount of money was The Prudential."
Undoubtedly you will agree that Mr. Wanamaker does not pay over $30,000 per year except for most excellent reasons.
These reasons apply to YOU precisely as well as they do to HIM.
Better apply TODAY for information regarding Prudential policies to
FRANK CHESTER MANN,
General Agent for Eastern Massachusetts
209 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.
HENRY O. FAIRBANKS,
Aug. 27-eod-1y Special Agent.

Dr. Emmons'
Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put it off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively leaves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

S SPEAR'S CLASSES,
148 Goffe Street.
ergarten and Day pupils received.
, Art, Sloyd, Basketry, Gymnastics,
nd and Tutoring taught by experts.
C. FOLLETT SPEAR, Directress.
, Piano and Harmony. Oct. 15-3m

LL and BURGESS,
Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
CTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
of the Peace. Notary Public
ts and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
y, Dec. 30. 1y

ANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
ator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
y, July 6. tf

PAINTING
and Glazing.
RD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
y, Sept. 3. tf

BERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.
at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock
uincy.
nce, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point,
one 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

ANK F. CRANE,
EAL ESTATE,
TIONEER and APPRAISER,
Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
7 tf

WIS N. CURTIS,
NTER, GLAZIER,
ADED STAINED GLASS.
ator and Paper Hanger.
LD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
rd Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

TES SHARPENED.
Light Machine Work
of all Kinds . . .
Granite Street,
NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.
2. 1m

OD! WOOD! WOOD!
OF ALL KINDS.
Y AND GREEN
At Lowest Possible Prices.
OS. O'BRIEN & SONS.
Miller and West Streets, West Quincy.
tf

te Greenleaf
Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
V. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
, Dec. 12. tf

PICTURES
AMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
bring them in and see for yourself.
copied from Photographs. Good
aranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

V. A. BRADFORD,
ing, Heating and Gas Fitting,
Jobbing promptly attended to.
gs Bank Bldg., City Square.
n Monday and Saturday evenings.
one 111 3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

ured for $2,000,000
lman Wanamaker, son of John Wana-
e eminent merchant of New York and
his, has taken out a policy in
Prudential Insurance Co.
0,000, paying an annual premium of
000. Th s makes him the most heavily
man in the world, with the single
of King Edward VII.
Wanamaker's total insurance is now
0.
urself WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed
his great amount with The Prudential.
usiness judgment will at once reply:
after full investigation and com-
Mr. Wanamaker found that the com-
h could give him the best insurance
en amount of money was The Pru-
stedly you will agree that Mr. Wana-
es not pay over $30,000 per year
most excellent reasons.
reasons apply to YOU precisely as
ey do to HIM.
apply TODAY for information re-
Prudential policies to
NK CHESTER MANN,
Agent for Eastern Massachusetts
Washington Street, Boston, Mass.
Y O. FAIRBANKS,
7-eod-1y Special Agent.

Dr. Emmons'
Regulator has brought happiness to
of anxious women. There is positive
er remedy known to medical science
so quickly and safely do the work,
and most obstinate irregularities from
relieved immediately. Success guar.
any stage. No pain, danger, or inter;
with work. Have relieved hundreds of
here others have failed. The most diffi-
successfully treated by mail, and ben
sults guaranteed in every instance. No
iscover. We treat hundreds of ladies
never see. Write for further particu,
free confidential advice. Do not put off
All letters truthfully answered. P
this remedy is absolutely safe under
sible condition and positively never
ll effect upon the health. Sent by mail,
sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be
d. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tre
Boston, Mass.

Top Notch
Butter Scotch

A new kind of butter scotch, made in a new way; a better butter scotch than you ever tasted. Better because it is nutritious as well as delicious; better because it's *pure, wholesome.* Try the following recipe and test its real goodness.

One cup of Karo Corn Syrup, one cup of granulated sugar, one-half cup of fresh butter. Boil until a small quantity dropped in cold water becomes hard and snappy. Do not stir while boiling. Add butter just before candy is done.

Karo
CORN SYRUP

is decidedly preferable to any other syrups, which come to the consumer with all the dirt and dust the syrup measure has accumulated since its last use. Karo Corn Syrup is protected by airtight, friction-top tins, which preserve its purity, insure its cleanliness, guarantee its goodness. 10c, 25c and 50c, at grocers.

CORN PRODUCTS CO.,
New York and Chicago.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in al. parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,
Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.
April 26. tf

NOVELETTES
Will be a Feature for Several Weeks
OF THE
SATURDAY EIGHT-PAGE LEDGER.

EVERY STORY
IS
COPYRIGHTED AND ILLUSTRATED
AND ARE BY
Distinguished Writers.

Some Are 6 and 7 Columns in Length.

IF YOU WANT PLAIN OR FANCY
CHEESE
GO TO THE
Meadowbrook Creamery,
QUINCY, MASS.
Most Complete Line in the City.

HEALTH
In Childhood
means health in later years. As the child builds the adult shall be. Weakly, neglected children do not grow to vigorous man and womanhood. Childhood complaints yield easily to proper treatment—*but they do not correct themselves.* The weak stomach, pallid complexion, listless bearing, irritable temper, disturbed sleep, speak plainly of the ailments common to children, most of which have their origin in disordered stomach and bowels.
The greatest safeguard to children's health is
Dr. True's Elixir
For indigestion, irritability, constipation, poor appetite, peevishness, fevers, stomach and liver troubles, and worms it is unequaled. Parents of two generations have relied upon it. It restores sound, vigorous health when nothing else will. First it removes the cause, then aids nature to repair the damage; builds anew the waste, enriches the blood and sends a glow of health and vigor to every organ and tissue of the body. At all druggists, 35c. Write for free booklet: "Children and Their Diseases."
DR. J. F. TRUE & CO.,
Auburn, Maine.

ENGINEER'S STORY

Iroquois Theatre Destitute of Protection Against Fire

STANDPIPES IN POSITION

No Hose Attached to Them, However--One Coil of Hose on a Reel, But No Instructions Were Given as to Use of It

Chicago, Jan. 9.—Robert E. Murray, stationary engineer of the Iroquois theatre, testifying at the inquest, declared there was one standpipe on the stage, two in the basement and one in the smoking room. There was no hose attached to any of them, although there was hose in the building on a reel. Nobody had ever been instructed how to use it. The hose consisted of one coil not over 50 feet long and was located in the smoking room at the front of the building. It was not his business, he said, to look after fire protection. The only way in which an alarm could reach the fire department was by use of the telephone or by going two or three blocks to the nearest fire station.

Ruth Michel, a schoolgirl, testified that when she and other members of her party noticed sparks dropping from above the stage they started to get out, but a man sitting in the front row rose and said he would knock their heads off if they did not sit down. The girls sat down and remained there until a mighty draught of air blew flames directly over the audience. Thereupon she and her party rushed to the north side of the building, crawled out on to a fire escape and dropped to the alley below.

Fredrick H. Rea, a student, told of placing ladders and planks from the windows of the law school to platforms of the fire escape and of a number of people who were rescued in that manner.

Madeline Dupont, one of the girls in the double octette which was on the stage when the fire broke out, was positive in her statement that the curtain which was lowered was the asbestos curtain. This curtain was painted with red stripes, and the curtain which had upon it an autumn scene and which previous witnesses had declared was the curtain lowered, was the curtain that burned. Miss Dupont became badly tangled in the later part of her evidence and finally admitted that she did not know whether there was an asbestos curtain in the theatre, but supposed there was.

Edith Williams, another member of the double octette, was called and after taking the oath fainted, falling from the stand and rolling to the floor before she could be caught. She was taken from the room and did not testify.

Ethel Wynne, a member of the "Mr. Bluebeard" company, described the commencement of the fire and told of Stage Manager Plunkett ringing the bell for the curtain to fall. She did not know how she escaped from the theatre. She knew nothing of the curtains.

Anna Brann and Gertrude Lawrence, members of the company, testified regarding the start of the fire, but neither of them knew anything about the curtain nor had any information of any arrangements in the theatre against flames.

Willard Satles, a former usher at the Iroquois, testified that the exits at the north side of the theatre were always closed. They caught with a spring-lock and during his time at the theatre he had never seen any of them open. As far as he knew none of the ushers had any instructions concerning their duties in case of fire.

Gilbert MacLean, one of the stage hands who had been in the theatre since its opening, swore that he had never known of any protection provided against fire with the exception of some tubes of fire extinguisher. No instructions had ever been given as far as he knew as to the duties of employes in a fire or a panic.

Two more names were added to the list of victims of the fire, Nellie Dawson, 27 years old, and Estelle Muir, 11 years old, who died in hospitals. These deaths make a total of 568 fatalities.

Seven St Louis Theatres Closed

St Louis, Jan. 9.—Notice was served on the management of seven theatres in St. Louis that their licenses were revoked and that they would be required to secure new licenses based on certificates from the building commissioner's office that they had complied with the city ordinances in the matter of safeguards against fire before being allowed to continue giving performances.

General Inspection Ordered

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 9.—A circular letter to the boards of health of every city and town in the state orders them to inspect all halls, theatres and other places of public gathering, as well as mills and factories, to see if the requirements of the law have been carried out and proper protection against fire is in force. As a result of this letter two halls in Bennington have been closed.

Theatre Managers Summoned

New York, Jan. 9.—Mayor McClellan announces that he will call before him the managers of the 59 theatres of the city and obtain their views as to what changes are necessary in the playhouses to insure the safety from fire and panic of the theatre-goers of New York.

POLICE WANT DENNETT

Head of Boston Brokerage Firm Charged With Larceny

Boston, Jan. 9.—Surprise was occasioned on the Boston Stock Exchange when it became known that police inspectors, armed with a warrant charging the larceny of $1200, had been searching since Wednesday for Oliver M. Dennett, a member of the brokerage firm of Dennett Bros. & Co. The firm made an assignment on Dec. 7 last, with liabilities of $152,000 and assets of $30,000.

Dennett Bros. & Co. had been in the brokerage business for about a year and a half. Up to last May there were four partners in the concern, but since then the business had been conducted by Oliver M. Dennett, the executive head of the firm, and his brother, H. S. Dennett, who owned a seat in the Stock Exchange and acted as board manager.

When the firm assigned William E. Roche, an employe, was made assignee. On the day the assignment was made O. M. Dennett went to New York and has not been seen in Boston since. H. S. Dennett said last night that his brother is in a sanitarium near New York, but is expected to return to Boston in a few days.

Perhaps Fatally Burned

Somerville, Mass., Jan. 9.—Mrs. Mary E. Perry, wife of former Mayor Perry, visited a closet in her house last night to inspect some dresses preparatory to making a trip through the south. She carried a kerosene lamp with her and the lamp set fire to the clothing in the closet and the garments she was wearing ignited when she tried to put out the blaze. She was shockingly burned and may not recover.

Advised to Return to Work

Boston, Jan. 9.—The locked out and striking type founders from the Boston foundry of the American Type Founders company have received a letter from officials of the International Typographical union advising them to return to work under the best terms they can make. The letter states that after 13 weeks of the lockout and strike there appears to be no hope of accomplishing the results sought.

Lowell Building Gutted

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 9.—Fire broke out in the old Odd Fellows' building in Merrimack street at 1:30 this morning and in a short time the upper part of the building was in flames. It started on the third floor in a kitchen used by fraternal societies. One society met there last evening and had a supper. The whole building was badly gutted by water. The building is valued at $40,000 to $50,000.

Woman Feared For Her Life

Boston, Jan. 9.—Harry G. DeBouillon, an artist of Swiss birth, was arrested last night on compiaint of Mrs. Esther Wilkie, who was married at Bellows Falls last Wednesday. Mrs. Wilkie claims that when DeBouillon learned that she had been married he threatened her life. Mrs. Wilkie says that DeBouillon has persistently followed her and her mother in their travels.

Treasurer Asked to Resign

Watertown, Conn., Jan. 9.—At a special meeting of the citizens of Watertown it was voted to ask Town Treasurer Mattoon to resign. Irregularities in the books of the treasurer dating back to 1897 were found by two experts and it is alleged that a shortage of $23,592 has been found. Mattoon does not appear to be concerned about the results of the investigation.

Terrible Two Days' Experience

Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 9.—Given up for lost by his own vessel, Manuel Perry of the fishing schooner Olivia Domingos was picked up 10 miles off Thatcher's island, utterly exhausted from two days of hard rowing, exposure and lack of food and water. Perry's home is in this city. He was rescued by the schooner Arthur E. Story of this port.

Reservoir Dried Up

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 9.—The drought of last fall is responsible for the drying up of a reservoir in the little village of Winooski. The inhabitants have some relief through water from the Winooski river, but householders must boil the water before using it for drinking purposes, as the river is contaminated by sewerage.

Bond Company Asked to Settle

New Haven, Jan. 9.—The Yale National bank of this city has made a demand upon the local agents of the company which furnished a bond for Cashier Asa C. Bushnell, who recently killed himself, for the full amount of the surety, $20,000. The total deficit in Bushnell's accounts was $18,034.

Wesleyan Students Suspended

Middletown, Conn., Jan. 9.—President Raymond of Wesleyan university last night suspended six members of the sophomore class until the mid-year examinations in February. The students are charged with being connected with the hazing of a fellow-student.

Celebrated Birthday by Suicide

Island Falls, Me., Jan. 9.—While celebrating his 92nd birthday and evidently preparing for the deed by dressing in his best clothes, Elisha Bradford shot and killed himself. He had not been ill nor affected by insanity as far as known.

Clarke Speaks For Olney

Cleveland, Jan. 9.—At a Jackson day banquet here John H. Clarke spoke to the toast "Democracy." He said that the Democracy of Ohio should follow the example of Democrats in other states—sink personal ambitions and become united. Regarding a presidential candidate for the Democratic party, he strongly urged the nomination of Richard Olney of Massachusetts.

DUELING IN AMERICA.

The First Fatal Meeting Was Upon Historic Boston Common.

The first fatal duel fought in what is now the United States was upon Boston Common, between Benjamin Woodbridge and Henry Phillips, on the evening of July 3, 1728. These young men had quarreled over cards at the Royal Exchange tavern in King street, now State street, and under the influence of drink had agreed to settle their differences with swords in the public grounds above named. They met at a little after 8 o'clock in the evening, and Woodbridge was mortally wounded and was found dead the following morning.

Both were gentlemen of good social position. Phillips was a brother of Gillam Phillips, who married Marie, the sister of Peter Faneuil, the builder of Boston's famous hall. Woodbridge had not completed his twentieth year. He was a young merchant who had recently been admitted to business as a partner with Jonathan Sewall, one of the most active merchants of the place. Henry Phillips, a young graduate of the college of Cambridge, was about four years older than Woodbridge, having at the time of this melancholy affair completed his twenty-third year. Woodbridge was the son of a gentleman of some distinction in Barbados, one of the magistrates there, who had formerly been settled in the ministry as pastor in Groton, Conn.

The place of meeting was on the rising grounds of the Common, not far from the great elm, near where in the olden time a powder house stood. Small swords were used. No one but themselves participated. Woodbridge fell mortally wounded and died on the spot before the next morning. Phillips was slightly wounded and at midnight, by the aid of his brother Gillam and Peter Faneuil, of famous memory, made his escape to the Sheerness, a British man-of-war then lying in the harbor, and before the sun of the next morning had fully discovered to interested friends the miserable result of the unfortunate meeting he was on his way to France, where he died in less than a year of grief and a broken heart.—United Service Review.

A SHORT ANSWER.

The Reply That Bismarck Made to an Admirable Speech.

I like to think of old Bismarck as he sat by the window that opens on the windy park of Friedrichsruh in an old gray shooting jacket, a rug over his knees, a pipe in his hand, simple as a north German farmer, this man who had almost held Europe in fee.

A little while before this February day he had been deposed from power. All the world knew that the old lion was sulking in his den in no amiable mood toward the young emperor who had turned him out of doors. It was known that his memoirs were written and that his correspondence was set in order. A New York publisher thought he might secure the papers in which Bismarck had told the real story of the birth of the German empire—that strange story of craft and heroism, littleness and grandeur. It was on this mission that I sailed for Hamburg. I had two letters for Bismarck. One was from a negligible ambassador. The other had been given me by a German statesman of some note with whom in other days I had been a student in the University of Jena. My friend had been a familiar of Bismarck's household and bespoke me a kindly hearing. I sent the letters on from Hamburg and followed the next day.

On the table at his elbow as he sat by the window I noticed my letters. The valet who had placed a chair for me took his stand by the door. I said what I had to say. It was (permit me to affirm it) an admirable speech. For ten days and nights I had rehearsed it as I paced the deck of the stormy liner, so in tolerable German I declaimed it. It was dignified; it was diplomatic.

When I had finished Bismarck took the pipe from his lips, said "Nein" and put the pipe back again.

'Twas the shortest answer I ever had in my life. I waited for a moment. The old man smoked and stared out into the park. I got up and bowed. I had rehearsed that bow and did not intend to waste it. I bowed to his old hairless head, the flabby yellow jowls and big mustache, to the old gray jacket and the pipe. It was like salaaming to a stone wall. Then the valet led me out. In the park I regained my senses.—Vance Thompson in Success.

Mark Twain Missed the Boat.

The success achieved by Mark Twain during his boating days on the Mississippi river was due not only to the fact that he was a skillful pilot, but that he was an earnest one as well. A man who knew Mr. Clemens in those days told how the genial humorist once missed his boat. Instead of inventing an excuse, as many of his companions did, he reported to his superior officer as follows:

"My boat left at 6:10. I arrived at the landing at 6:20 and could not catch it."

As It Is Said.

Hoax—Do you know that thin fellow over there?

Joax—Oh, yes; we are very thick.

Hoax—And do you know the big fat one?

Joax—Slightly.—Philadelphia Record.

Cutting.

Clara—Oh, hum! I wish the Lord had made me a man!

Mother—Perhaps he has, dear; only you haven't found him yet.—New York Times.

A fool may live with cultivated people all his life and never learn anything.—Atchison Globe.

THE WILY RED MAN.

Some Instances of the Indians' Quickness of Wit.

Numerous instances of the red man's quickness of wit are related by those who have had dealings with him. A Canadian chief was looking idly on while some Englishmen were hard at work improving property newly acquired from the dusky tribe.

"Why don't you work?" asked the supervisor of the chief.

"Why you no work yourself?" was the rejoinder.

"I work headwork," replied the white man, touching his forehead. "But come here and kill this calf for me, and I'll give you a quarter."

The Indian stood still for a moment, apparently deep in thought, and then he went off to kill the calf.

"Why don't you finish your job?" presently asked the supervisor, seeing the man stand with folded arms over the unskinned, undressed carcass.

"You say you give me quarter to kill calf," was the reply. "Calf dead. Me want quarter."

The white man smiled and handed the Indian an extra coin to go on with the work.

"How is it," asked the Englishman one day after a series of such one sided dealings, "that you so often get the better of me?"

"I work headwork," solemnly replied the man of the woods.

A white trader once succeeded in selling a large quantity of gunpowder to one of this tribe on the assurance that it was a new kind that the white man used for seed and if sown in especially prepared loam would yield an amazing crop. Away went the Indian to sow his powder and in his hope of making money from his fellows was careful not to mention his enterprise. When at last, however, he realized how he had been duped he held his tongue for a year or more until the trickster had completely forgotten the occurrence. Then he went to his hoaxer's store and bought goods on credit amounting to a little more than the price of the planted gunpowder. He had the reputation of a good payer, and his scheme worked easily. When settling day came, the creditor called promptly.

"Right," said the Indian slowly—"right, but my powder not yet sprouted. Me pay you when me reap him."

CURED BY SARCASM.

A Lesson In the Use of Simple Terms In Letter Writing.

A few months ago the son of a railway director was through his father's influence given a position of some importance on a large railway. He was fresh from Cambridge, and in the orders which he from time to time issued to the men under him always made use of the longest, most unusual words. This habit led to some rather expensive blunders, and, the matter coming before the general manager, he wrote the young official the following letter:

"In promulgating your esoteric cogitations and in articulating your superficial sentimentalities and amicable philosophical or psychological observations beware of platitudinous ponderosity. Let your conversational communication possess a clarified conciseness, a compacted comprehensibleness, a coalescent consistency and a concatenated cogency. Eschew all conglomeration of flatulent garrulity, jejune babblement and asinine affectation. Let your extemporaneous descantings and unpremeditated expatiation have intelligibility and veracious vivacity, without rhodomontade or thrasonical bombast. Sedulously avoid all polysyllabic profundity, ventriloquial verbosity and vaniloquent vapidity. Shun double entendre, prurient jocosity and pestiferous profanity, obscurant or apparent. In other words, talk plainly, briefly, naturally, sensibly, purely and truthfully. Don't put on airs; say what you mean; mean what you say, and don't use big words."

The young official took the gentle hint and changed his style.—London Tit-Bits.

Doing Europe.

Facilities for traveling nowadays are so accelerated that it is quite possible for the tourist to pass through five European countries in fourteen hours, barring accidents—namely, England, France, Belgium, Germany and Holland. Take the express from Charing Cross to Dover and cross over to Calais—two countries. Then with the intercontinental express you proceed to Brussels—three countries. From the Belgian capital by train to Aix-la-Chapelle, which is German territory, making the fourth country, and after allowing time for a meal a drive to Vaals, in Holland, makes the fifth country—and all in fourteen hours.

An Odd Collection.

An entertainer who visited the Fiji islands and gave his performance before the natives had the following receipts for one night: Four sucking pigs, 800 cocoanuts, 1,000 of a common class of moonstone collected on the beach, 40 pearls, 23 model canoes, 200 yards of native cloth, 42 Fiji costumes, 3 whale's teeth, hundreds of sharks' teeth, one or two cart loads of beautiful coral, war implements, such as spears, knobsticks and knives, native mats and pillows and 7 grog bowls.

A Natural Misapprehension.

"You say the audience laughed when you recited 'Marco Bozzaris' in Chicago?"

"Yes," answered Mr. Stormington Barnes. "You see, when I came to the lines beginning 'Strike!' the people thought it was a local allusion."—Washington Star.

When a man will kill himself because a woman refuses to marry him it is conclusive evidence that the woman was right.—Baltimore Herald.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS and at the following places:

BOSTON—Fermina: News stand after 6 35
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, Granite st.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. J. O'Brien, 1695 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water.
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BRECKER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Good Advice.

Always see that your bridle reins are sound. There are times when they have a considerable strain on 'em!

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	4	10	42	23	39
Monday,	8	18	42	22	54
Tuesday,	11	23	40	44	59
Wednesday,	24	35	38	47	41
Thursday,	35	32	31	27	34
Friday,	27	36	37	46	29
Saturday,	33	31	18	24	28

New Advertisements Today.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.—Mark Down Sale.
Music Hall—Uncle Tom's Cabin.
For Sale—Pungs.
Wanted—Board and Room.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

At the Wollaston Unitarian church Sunday morning there will be preaching qy Rev. E. C. Butler of Quincy.

Celebration of the Lord's Supper at the Quincy Point church tomorrow at the close of the morning service.

Rev. E. D. Webber will preach Sunday morning on "Gideon's Bank," at the Methodist church, Wollaston.

The Union services at the Wollaston Methodist church are well attended and interesting as well as profitable.

"The strength of united effort" will be Rev. E. D. Webber's subject at the Wollaston Baptist church on Sunday morning.

The Wollaston Glee club gives its first concert of the season at the Congregational church at Wollaston next Tuesday evening.

A special meeting of the Wollaston Yacht club, relative to the new clubhouse, was held Monday evening and continued to Jan. 18.

The Gleaners' Circle of King's Daughters will meet at the home of Mrs. Jewell, Grand View avenue, Monday, Jan. 11th, at half past two P. M.

The street railway lines were in such conditien by noon that half-hourly trips were run on most of the lines and 15-minute cars on Hancock street to Neponset.

The annual business meeting of the congregation of the Wollaston Methodist church will be held Feb. 15. Arrangements are made to pay off mortgage on the church.

The adjourned annual meeting of Sunday School board of the Wollaston Methodist church was held last evening and the old board of teachers and officers reelected.

The Young People's Religious Union of Wollaston will meet at 7 Sunday evening in Unitarian vestry. Address by Mrs. Gurney on, "The Psalm which means the most to me."

Rev. Charles E. Lund of Portland, Maine, will deliver his stereopticon lecture on "Labor Co-operation in England and America" at Doble's hall, South Quincy, Thursday evening, Jan. 14, at 8 o'clock. The lecture is a scholarly presentation of a great social theme, and Rev. Mr. Lund is receiving calls for this lecture all over New England. The vastness of the results already achieved by co-operation come as a revelation to those who have not studied the subject. The lecture is illustrated with over 80 beautifully colored stereopticon views. The admission is free and everybody is invited.

A HISTORICAL DUEL.

THIRTEEN SWORDSMEN SLAIN BY ONE MAN BEFORE AN ARMY.

A Scene More Exciting Than Any Battle In the Annals of Modern History—Ten Thousand Witnesses to the Terrible Work of One Sword.

To give an idea of what a brave man can do if he knows fencing thoroughly and but keeps cool and collected in danger we will relate a historical duel. So extraordinary is this combat that it would be held a romance had it not been witnessed by a whole army. The hero is Jean Louis, one of the great masters of the beginning of last century, and the duel happened in Madrid in 1813. He was the master-at-arms of the Thirty-second regiment of French infantry. The First regiment, composed entirely of Italians, formed part of the same brigade.

Regimental esprit de corps and rivalries of nationality caused constant quarrels, when swords were often whipped out or bullets exchanged. After a small battle had occurred in the streets of Madrid, in which over 200 French and Italian soldiers had taken part, the officers of the two regiments, in a council of war assembled, decided to give such breaches of order a great blow and to re-establish discipline. They decreed that the masters-at-arms of the two regiments should take up the quarrel and fight it out.

Imagine a whole army in battle array on one of the large plains that surround Madrid. In the center a large ring is left open for the contestants. This spot is raised above the plain so that not one of the spectators of this tragic scene—gayly dressed officers, soldiers in line, Spaniards, excited as never a bull fight excited them—will miss one phase of the contest. It is before 10,000 men that the honor of an army is about to be avenged in the blood of thirty brave men.

The drum is heard. Two men, naked to the waist, step in the ring. The first is tall and strong. His black eyes roll disdainfully upon the gaping crowd. He is Giacomo Ferrari, the celebrated Italian. The second, tall, also handsome and with muscles like steel, stands modestly awaiting the word of command. His name is Jean Louis. The seconds take their places on either side of their principals. A deathlike silence ensues.

"On guard!"

The two masters cross swords. Giacomo Ferrari lunges repeatedly at Jean Louis, but in vain. His every thrust is met by a parry. He makes up his mind to bide his chance and caresses and teases his opponent's blade. Jean Louis, calm and watchful, lends himself to the play, when, quicker than lightning, the Italian jumps aside with a loud yell and makes a terrible lunge at Jean Louis, a Florentine trick, often successful. But with extraordinary rapidity Jean Louis has parried and risposts quickly in the shoulder.

"It is nothing," cries Giacomo; "a mere scratch." And they again fall on guard. Almost directly he is hit in the breast. This time the sword of Jean Louis, who is now attacking, penetrates deeply. Giacomo's face becomes livid, his sword drops from his hand, and he falls heavily on the turf. He is dead.

Jean Louis is already in position. He wipes his reeking blade; then, with the point of his sword on the ground, he calmly awaits the next man.

The best fencer of the First regiment has just been carried away a corpse, but the day is not yet over. Fourteen adversaries are there, impatient to measure swords with the conqueror, burning to avenge the master they had deemed invincible.

Jean Louis hardly had two minutes' rest. He is ready. A new adversary stands before him. A sinister click of swords is heard, a lunge, a parry, a ris-post and then a cry, a sigh, and all is over. A second body is before Jean Louis.

A third adversary advances. They want Jean Louis to rest. "I am not tired," he answers, with a smile.

The signal is given. The Italian is as tall as the one who lies there a corpse covered by a military cloak. He has closely watched Jean Louis' play and thinks he has guessed the secret of his victories. He multiplies his feints and tricks; then, all at once, bounding like a tiger on his prey, he gives his opponent a terrible thrust in the lower line. But Jean Louis' sword has parried and is now deep within his opponent's breast.

What need we to relate any more? Ten new adversaries followed him, and the ten fell before Jean Louis amid the excited yells and roars of an army.

At the request of the Thirty-second regiment's colonel, who thought the lesson sufficient, Jean Louis after much pressing consented to stop the combat, and he shook hands with the two survivors, applauded by 10,000 men.

From that day fights ceased between French and Italian soldiers.

This wonderful and gigantic combat might be held a fable were not all the facts above stated still found in the archives of the ministry of war.—Lippincott's.

Knew Three of Them.

Dearborn—Do you know the seven wonders of the world?

Wabash—Well, I know three of them.

"Only three?"

"Yes; I've only been married three times, you know."

Working Up to It.

Emma—And, Charlie, dear, would you have really shot yourself if I had refused you?

Charlie—Indeed I would. I had already sent to four houses for price lists of revolvers.

Fire and sword are but slow engines of destruction in comparison with the babbler.—Steele.

A FAMOUS PERFUME.

Delicious Attar of Roses Is Chiefly Made In Bulgaria.

The far famed otto (or attar) of roses is chiefly made in Bulgaria. Kasanlik is the center of the rose growing country. Red roses only are used in making the perfume, but white roses, which grow more freely, form the hedges of the fields.

The trees, which grow to a great height, are separated by paths nine feet in width to allow the oxen and plow to pass. The perfume is obtained not only from the petals, but also from the stalks and leaves. These give a peculiar scent, which adds greatly to the delicacy of the perfume of the petals.

October, April and June are the months for planting branches of the old trees. Weeding, pruning and digging are necessary for three years, when they are full grown and repay the labor spent upon them by bearing for twenty years.

The discovery of the delicious attar was quite an accident and took place three centuries ago. The Persian Princess Nour Djihan was strolling through the splendid galleries of her palace with her betrothed (the Mongolian Prince Djihanguyr) and noticed in the rosewater basins about the passages an ugly, yellowish oil floating on the surface. Orders were instantly given to remove the unsightly fluid, when it was discovered the perfume was also removed. Thus the virtue of the essential oil was found out, which is still called in Persia "Attar Djihan."

Culture and Riches.

If one-tenth as much attention were devoted to the fools among the middle and working classes as is devoted to the fool sons of the rich, we should be in danger of believing with Carlyle that the people are "mostly fools." It is true that the culture of the suddenly rich is cruder and narrower than the culture of those who have had generations of wealth and leisure, but culture is relative. The culture of the most cultured classes in the old world is the result of large wealth possessed for generations. Culture is a matter of growth, but it never grows in poverty. The cheapness of the culture of the very rich in this country as compared with that of the aristocracy of old countries is simply the difference between youth and age, a difference of experience. There is a comparative cheapness in the culture, bearing and manners of the people of the west as compared with those of the east, and for the same reason. The aristocracy of the south and of New England have a refinement quite unlike that of the newly made rich in New York and Chicago and the west. They have been longer in the making.—Gunton's Magazine.

Shaving the Bridegroom.

The shaving of the bridegroom on his wedding day is a Bulgarian custom which, handed down from pre-Christian days, is still observed with due formality, especially in country districts. While the barber is at his task a dancing crowd of young folks surrounds him and the bridegroom. As the latter's hair is cut the snippings are carefully collected by some of the girls for preservation in one of the bride's chests. The barber, when his work is done, receives a small white linen cloth as a present and also a trifling sum of money from each person there. Then the bridegroom kisses the hands of the girls, washes his face and dons his wedding dress, which must first be carefully weighed three times by one of the boys.

Highland Makeshifts.

A few years ago accommodations in the highlands of Scotland were very primitive. It is related that the young Duchess of Gordon, on inquiring how the late duchess managed to entertain so much company at Kinrara, where there seemed no room, was told by the butler that for weeks at a time he had slept on the top of the kitchen dresser. A niece and two other young ladies were known to have slept in the duchess' bedroom, which probably was not large, for they were sent out to wash in the neighboring brook. Miss Macdonell of Glengarry, who told this, said also that there was a waterfall near Ochtertyre which the late Sir William Murray and his brothers used as their shower bath.

Creases In Drawings.

Creases in drawings, engravings, etc., may be leveled out by following these instructions: Fasten the engraving or drawing by drawing pins on a board, face downward, on a sheet of paper; on the back place another sheet of paper which retains a very slight quantity of moisture. Over this place flannel or blotting paper, and, taking a hot iron, pass it carefully over the part where the creases have been made until they disappear and then submit the drawings or engravings to pressure between printer's glazed boards.

Papa Did Too.

"This is my son Frederick, Mr. Fosdick," said Mr. Glanders proudly, introducing his five-year-old boy to his caller.

"Well, Frederick," said the caller, "do you obey your mamma?"

"Yes, sir," replied Frederick promptly, "and so does papa."

Out of Harm's Way.

He—Why does this theater have its orchestra concealed?

She—Why? Just wait until you hear it play.

Uncertain.

He—Was that you I kissed in the conservatory last night?

"About what time was it?"—Life.

He who wishes to secure the good of others has already secured his own.—Confucius.

New Books

The following is a list of new books at the Thomas Crane Public Library:

	Shelf. No.
Alden, A. E. Pilgrim Alden.	410 55
Athletics and out-door sports for women.	161 62
Bagot, Richard. Donna Diana.	229 43
Barr, Amelia E. Black shilling: tale of Boston towns.	327 67
Barr, Robert. Over the border: a romance.	311 73
Bigelow, Poultney. History of the German struggle for liberty. 3v.	361 54-56
Brady, C. T. Boys of the service.	
In the war with Mexico.	j 296 63
Doctor of philosophy,	296 52
Brown, Anna R. Millionaire's son.	329 77
Cambridge modern history. Planned by Lord Acton. Edited by A. W. Ward [and others]. Vol. 7. The United States. [With bibliographies.]	357 36
Deland, Margaret. Dr. Lavendar's people. [Stories].	323 51
Continuation of Old Chester tales.	
Doyle, A. Conan. Adventures of Gerard. [Stories].	217 53
Continuation of Exploits of Brigadier Gerard.	
Flynt, Josiah, *pseud.* Rise of Rud-erick Clowd,	328 73
Gabouriau, Emile. Mystery of Orcival.	297 58
Widow Lerouge.	297 59
Issued also as Lerouge case	
Grote, George. History of Greece. Vol. 12.	352 21
Hawkins, W. B. Andy Barr.	2:0 67
Hawthorne, Julian. Hawthorne and his circle.	411 56
Henty, G. A. With the allies to Pekin: tale of the relief of the legations.	j 287 57
Jacobs, W. W. Master of craft.	299 61
Leonard, W. E. Healthy woman.	492 83
Loomis, C. B. Cheerful Americans. [stories].	321 83
Merriman, Henry Seton, *pseud.* Barlasch of the guard.	228 57
Morley, John. Life of William Ewart Gladstone. 3v.	432 47-49
Norris, Frank. Deal in wheat, and other stories of the new and old West.	316 4
Ollivant, Alfred. Danny. Story of a dog.	296 71
Oppenheim, E. Phillips. Prince of sinners.	328 72
Partsch, Joseph. Central Europe. [Regions of the world].	126 5
Rhoades. Nina. Winifred's neighbors.	j 272 63
Smith, F. Hopkinkson. Colonel Carter's Christmas.	239 66
Sequel to Colonel Carter of Cartersville.	
Weyman, S. J. Long night.	216 45
White, S. E. Forest.	472 30
Who's who in America. 1903-1905.	Ref.
Wiggin, Kate D. Half-a dozen housekeepers: story for girls.	j 210 46
Rebecca of Sunnybrook farm.	210 47

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE

At the Castle Square theatre next week the attraction will be the stage version of "Alice of Old Vincennes," made by Edward E. Rose from the novel of the same name by Maurice Thompson. This play was given a Boston production at the Colonial theatre two seasons ago and will now be seen for the first time at popular prices. It tells a story of Revolutionary days in the region which is now the State of Indiana and, as is usual in war plays, there are amorous entanglements between persons whose political sympathies are with the opposed sides. The dramatist has succeeded in making a play which has the air of a genuine stage piece rather than a set of more or less disjointed fragments out of a book, the story is brisk and runs easily and smoothly, the stage devices are expeditious and the dialogue is cleanly written and even. The leading characters will be cast as follows: Alice Rousillon, Lillian Lawrence; Nanette St. Pierre, Alice Ricker; Jane Bartlett, Mary Sanders; Madame Rousillon, Gertrude Berkeley; John Fitzhugh Beverly, Howell Hansel; Colonel Hamilton, John Sainpolis; Father Beret, John F. Webber; Captain Farnsworth, Lindsay Morison; Lieutenant Barlow, Edward Wade. The usual distribution of souvenir boxes of choice chocolate bon bons will be made at the Monday matinee. "Alice of Old Vincenns" is announced for only a single week.

COLUMBIA THEATRE.

Commencing on Monday evening, Jan. 11 with Wednesday and Saturday matinees, the young American tragedienne, Nance O'Neill, will make her first appearance in New England, at the head of a carefully selected company. Miss O'Neill has but recently returned to this country after a complete tour of the world having scored the most remarkable success ever achieved by an American actress. Miss O'Neill will present, during her Boston engagement, a series of classic plays two of which have never been seen in New England. The first week will be devoted to Sudermann's remarkable work, "Magda," excepting on Friday evening and at the Saturday matinee, when Ibsen's "Hedda Gabler" will be the offering. The Messrs. Shubert have reason to congratulate themselves in having been able to induce Miss O'Neill to make her first New England appearance at their handsome theatre.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

Coming to Keith's the week of Jan. 11 are the following noted entertainers, some of whom will be making their debut: Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew, in a screamingly funny comedy sketch; Crane Brothers, in their inimitable burlesque on a minstrel first part; the Quaker City quartet, comedians, singers and instrumentalists, in "Fun in a Barber Shop;" Marion Lamont (Mrs. Jeanette Lovell), the popular concert singer; Julius Mannean, who impersonates other stage celebrities in a most lifelike manner; Dorothy Kenton, a talented banhoist and John Le Clair, skilful juggler. A complete change of pictures will be made in the biograph, the popularity of which continues unabated. Mme. Avery-Strakosch, the former opera singer, is underlined for the week of Jan. 18.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

FOR
Bilious and Nervous Disorders
Sick Headache and Constipation,
TAKE
BEECHAM'S PILLS.

They cure Giddiness, Fullness and Swelling after meals, Dizziness and Drowsiness, Cold Chills, Flushings of Heat, Loss of Appetite, Shortness of Breath, Costiveness, Blotches on the Skin, Disturbed Sleep, Frightful Dreams, and all Nervous and Trembling Sensations, etc. The First Dose will give relief in twenty minutes. This is no fiction. For a **Weak Stomach, Disordered Liver and Impaired Digestion** they act like "Magic". Every sufferer is earnestly invited to try a Box of these Pills, and they will be acknowledged to be **WITHOUT A RIVAL.**

BEECHAM'S PILLS taken as directed, will quickly restore females to complete health. They promptly remove any obstruction or irregularity of the system.

U. S. A. Depot, 365 Canal St., New York. In boxes, 10c. and 25c.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

1st SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by Rev. F. W. Pratt of Wollaston. Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Celebration of the Lord's Supper at 11.30. Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. Address by the pastor. Free seats and every one invited to the services.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Merrill C. Ward pastor. Residence, 20 Mellen street, Dorchester. Service of divine worship at 2.30 P. M. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "As through a glass darkly." Sunday School at 3.45 P. M.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue—Rev. W. E. Gardner, rector. 8.30 A. M., holy communion. 10.30 morning prayer and sermon. 12.05 M, Sunday School 7 00 P. M., evening prayer and address.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Leon H. Austin, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Celebration of the Lord's Supper at close of morning service. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7.30. Y. P. S. C. E. Tuesday evening at 7.30. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. All are cordially invited.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Fort Square—Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor. Service at 10.30 A. M., preaching by Rev. E. W. Kenyon of Lynn, Mass., at morning and evening service. Sabbath School at 11.45. Children's evangelistic service at 3.30, addresses by the pastor and Evangelist Kenyon. All children invited. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6 P. M. Leader, Mr. John Campbell. Evening service at 7 o'clock. A full meeting is requested.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S CHURCH—Rev. Carlton P. Mills, rector. 10.45 morning prayer and sermon. 12.20 P. M., Sunday School. 4.30 evening prayer and address.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward Abbott Chase, minister. Morning worship with sermon and the celebration of the Lord's Supper at 10.45. Preaching by the minister. Sunday School service at 12.15 P. M. The boys section of the Junior Endeavor society at 3.15. The girls section of the Junior Endeavor society at 4. The Senior Endeavor society with ten minutes' talk by the minister at 6.30.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "The Strength of United Effort." Sunday School at 12.10. Junior Endeavor meeting at 3.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15 o'clock. Junior C. E. rally at 7.30 P. M. Service in chapel to which all the congregation and friends are invited.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Men and the church." Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. You are cordially invited.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue.—Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Sacrament." Golden Text: "Ye also, as lively stones, are built up a spiritual house, an holy priesthood, to offer up spiritual sacrifices, acceptable to God by Jesus Christ." 1 Peter 2:5. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings. All are welcome.

TO LET

IN QUINCY, MASS.,
By H. H. FAXON.
Houses, Stores, Hall, Rooms, Offices, Stables, Land, Wharves, etc.

The Buildings are in Complete Repair.

HALL with ante-rooms and city water, No. 1355 Hancock street, opposite Post Office, and on the public Square.

HALF OF SLATED ROOF HOUSE at No. 6 Chester street, Wollaston.

4 TENEMENTS, 3 to 4 rooms each, No. 18 East Howard street. $8 to $9 per month.

COTTAGE HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 63 Field street.

HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 17 Kidder street.

HALF HOUSE, corner Howard street and Howard avenue.

HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 19 Kidder street.

HALF HOUSE, 6 rooms, city water, hennery, good yard, No. 59 Pond street, now occupied by James F. Mullin.

HALF HOUSE, 5 rooms, No. 15 Brackett street.

For particulars, apply to
HENRY H. FAXON,
Quincy, Mass.

Quincy, Dec. 8, 1903. 1m

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, 25 cents
" " three days, 50 cents
" " one week, 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—By a young man, board and room in a private family near square. Address E., Ledger Office Jan. 9. 3t

WANTED—In East Milton, a Swedish Girl for general housework who can speak English. Enquire at Ledger office. Jan. 8. 6t

WANTED, LADIES AND GENTS—To pay $12 per 1,000 cash, copying at home; everything furnished; send stamp. Monarch Supply Co., Station 3, Worcester, Mass. Jan. 6-6t

EXPERIENCED HOUSEKEEPER wishes position as housekeeper in widower's small family, or care of invalid, best of references. Address MRS. S. E. HALL, Ledger Office, Wollaston, Mass. Oct. 16tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Four Pungs; one horse and three two-horse. Apply to EDWARD BILLINGS, Weymouth. Jan. 9. 3t

FOR SALE—Second hand two seated Sleigh in good condition. JOHN VOGEL, 65 Willard street, West Quincy. Jan. 8. 6t

TO LET.

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30. 1p-tf

TO LET—Nice tenement containing 5 rooms and bath, furnace heat, situated at 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—48 Revere road, large front room $3.00 per week; one medium size and one smaller room, $2.25 and $1.50 per week. Large bath room, all nicely furnished and heated. Quincy, Dec. 28-tf

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24. tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust.
Music Hall Block, QUINCY

us Disorders
Constipation,
IAM'S
LS.
r meals, Dizziness and Drowsiness,
e, Shortness of Breath, Costiveness,
Dreams, and all Nervous and Tremb-
elief in twenty minutes. This is no
d Liver and Impaired Digestion
y invited to try a Box of these Pills,
T A RIVAL.
l quickly restore females to complete
or irregularity of the system.
rk. In boxes, 10c. and 25c.

WANTED.

ANTED—By a young man, board and
room in a private family near ca
. Address E., Ledger Office
9. 2t

ANTED—In East Milton, a Swedish
Girl for general housework who can
English. Enquire at Ledger office.
8. 6t

ANTED, LADIES AND GENTS—To
pay $2 per 1,000 cash, copying n
everything furnished; send stamp
en Supply Co., Station 3, Worcester
Jan. 6-4t

PERIENCED HOUSEKEEPER wishes
position as housekeeper in widower's
family, or care of invalid, best of refer
Address MRS. S. E. HALL, Post
Wollaston, Mass. Oct. 26tf

FOR SALE.

R SALE—Four Pungs; one horse sad
three two horse. Apply to EDWARD
INGS, Weymouth.
9. 3t

R SALE—Second hand two seated
Sleigh in good condition. JOHN
51, 65 Willard street, West Quincy.
8. 6t

TO LET.

LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all
improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent
er month. Apply to F. M. TORREY,
22 Blake street, Wollaston.
30. 1p-tf

LET—Nice tenement containing fi
rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No
ancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES
RKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank
ng, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

LET—Tenements, all improvements
Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independ
avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
29. tf

LET—48 Revere road, large front room
$3.00 per week; one medium size and one
r room, $2.25 and $1.50 per week
bath room, all nicely furnished and
Quincy, Dec. 28-4t

LET—Two Rooms, furnished or un-
furnished Apply 26 School street.
c., Nov. 23. tf

LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point,
recently occupied by L. C. Embree &
Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf
Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

OUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern
improvements, electric lights, with stable
incy Point. Within one minute of the
ic cars and within ten minutes' walk of
ore River Ship and Engine Company
at the office of FRANK F. CRANE,
tnut street, Quincy, Mass.
2. 24. tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

EGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms
and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes
al Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per
Will be leased for one or two years
nces required. Apply at the office of
NK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street
y, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new
cock Building, City Square. A good
rtunity for lawyers.
Hall and Ante-Rooms in the
nleaf Block. These are all furnished
heated, and will be let permanently
the privilege of sub-letting, or for
ral nights each month.
Furnished Lodging Rooms in
the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most con-
ient.
Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill
k, only one flight up, and right at the
d of the stairs. These will be let separ-
r or together. A good chance for a
list.
Store in Music Hall Block.
Part of a Store. Price very
sonable.
Tenement—recently papered—four
d rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city
er—on Granite street, in the rear of
el Greenleaf.
In Office in Hancock Chambers—up
flight and at the head of the stairs.
Unfurnished Lodging Rooms
w and convenient.
Factory or Shop on Granite street,
the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.
Foundry or Shop—just put in good
air.
Shop on the ground floor, in the
r of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
sic Hall Block, QUINCY.

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 9. QUINCY, MASS., MONDAY, JANUARY 11, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

Testimony at the Chicago Catastrophe.

Wollaston Yacht Club Flag on the Pacific.

YOUR ONLY WORK IS THE CRUST.
NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT
In 10c Packages with List of Valuable Premiums.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF
Imported and Domestic Woolens
Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON
Beg to announce that they are now located at
No. 8 Faxon Block,
Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,
"LEADING TAILORS."
Quincy Dec. 28—tf

Head-Ease
I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above
For
the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for
Headache
CHAS. C. HEARN,
DRUGGIST,
1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

A 20 per cent. Reduction.

For dates in January and February the experiment will be tried of giving a special discount of 20 per cent. in the prices of Quincy Music Hall. The price scale as it is, though doubtless seeming high to some, is not really so when a fair account is taken of the many, many expenses of running a large hall and keeping it in first class condition, as well as the fact that at best such a hall can be rented only a small part of the time. The prices of Music Hall are not now changed, merely the experiment is to be made of giving this special discount to engagements coming in these two special months.

The Location is the best of any hall in the city. The street cars pass the door with a turn out right in front of the Hall.

The Floor is of selected maple laid with the greatest care, and is kept in perfect condition being covered with canvas when not used for dancing.

The Ventilation—a most important consideration—is such as to keep the air pure with even a crowded hall and without causing any drafts.

The Hall is Lighted by electricity, brilliantly and pleasantly, and with a switchboard arranged so that all desired effects can be obtained in the Hall proper or on the stage. Gas is used as an auxiliary light.

The Heating is direct—indirect, ample, and giving the most healthful results.

The Stage has been designed with care, and is furnished with a particularly generous supply of attractive and appropriate scenery.

For Advertising, the Music Hall Billboards throughout the City are of very great value

To Darken the Hall, there are special window fittings so that at noonday the Hall can be made as dark as at midnight.

In case of fire there are pails of water and chemical fire extinguishers throughout the Hall. There is an asbestos fire curtain by which the Stage can be instantly cut off from the Hall proper. There are nine (9) doors opening from the Hall and five (5) separate exits.

As a whole, Quincy Music Hall has been carefully planned to meet the requirements of those who wish a *large and really first class Hall.*

QUINCY MUSIC HALL
Dec. 26. tf

GATES PADLOCKED

Balcony Patrons of the Iroquois Theatre Were Hemmed In

NEW LAW IS PREPARED

Its Provisions Call For Practical Reconstruction of Every Stage In Chicago--Reseating and Other Changes Necessary

Chicago, Jan. 11.—It has been discovered that two iron gates, the existence of which has not been known to the public and which were removed from the Iroquois theatre after the fire, paid a deadly part in the destruction of life in the ill-fated playhouse. Fire Inspector Fulkerson, who knew of their existence, found it difficult to secure sworn evidence concerning them. George N. Dusenberry, head usher of the theatre, admitted to Fulkerson that one of the gates was placed across an exit from the first balcony, and the other across an exit from the second balcony. Both gates were locked securely with padlocks and were never, at any performance, unlocked until after the second act of the play.

On the day of the fire the second act had not been completed when the catastrophe occurred and the gates were still standing. They were so strong that the firemen were not able to batter them down with axes after the fire, and to the frenzied people who sought safety through those exits they were absolutely impenetrable.

In his sworn statement given to Inspector Fulkerson Dusenberry declared that they were locked to prevent people from entering portions of the house to which their tickets did not grant them permission. It was the duty of Dusenberry to see that these two gates were locked before every performance and unlocked after the second act.

When asked by the inspector why a man had not been stationed in place of the gates to direct the audience, Dusenberry said that he merely received his orders from Powers and Davis, the managers of the theatre, and had carried them out.

"I found these gates after the fire," said the inspector, "all battered and bent inward, but still standing, and both of them tightly locked. I questioned Dusenberry about them at that time, but did not care to say anything publicly until I had secured his sworn statement, and this I now have."

A meeting of the relatives of people who were lost in the fire was held to agree upon concerted action toward establishing responsibility for the fire, and for accomplishing the punishment of the people who should be found guilty of criminal negligence. A committee of five was appointed to arrange for a larger meeting to be held Wednesday evening.

The special commission of aldermen and building experts appointed by Mayor Harrison to revise the ordinances regulating the construction and operation of playhouses as a result of the Iroquois theatre fire completed a new theatre ordinance last night and agreed on the provisions which will be applied to existing theatres. The report will be submitted to the city council this evening and if that body concurs in the recommendations of the special commission Chicago theatres, with the possible exception of three of them, probably will open their doors within 10 days. The three theatres may not be permitted to open because their stages and auditoriums are more than 15 feet above the street level.

The theatres that agree to conform to the new regulations will be permitted to open under certain restrictions and with the understanding that they comply with every provision of the new law regulations before Oct. 1. In the meantime the galleries that have inadequate exit facilities will be closed and two or four firemen will be detailed on the stage. The new ordinance will require that every stage be made absolutely fireproof back of the proscenium arch, by requiring fireproof walls, steel curtains, steel gridiron and rigging lofts, steel frames for the stage and the installation of automatic sprinkling systems. This will mean the practical reconstruction of every stage in the city.

In addition to this every theatre will have to be reseated to comply with the new regulations and special stairways from each balcony and gallery connecting directly with the street will have to be constructed.

—The Winthrop Yacht club has voted to build a $15,000 clubhouse on the site of the one recently destroyed by fire.

Assault Reported.

William Sullivan, an employe of the Fore River Ship and Engine Co., reported to the police that he was assaulted on Washington street Saturday night and relieved of a bottle of whiskey. Sullivan's story is, that he and a friend were walking down Washington street in the vicinity of 11 o'clock Saturday night. When near Union street two fellows came up behind them and one of them struck him on the head and knocked him down. They grabbed his bottle of whiskey and ran. His friend chased the two men who ran toward Quincy. Near the corner of Elm street the bottle of whiskey and a bundle containing corned beef were found. Sullivan claimed the whiskey but said he knew nothing about the corned beef.

The Magazines.

The American Boy for January contains five complete short stories, namely: "The Defender of Aracena." Illustrated leading articles of great interest to everybody are entitled: "Philadelphia's New Year Frolic;" "Sons of Fighting Sires;" "Britain's Boy Soldiers;" "Boy Firemen"; "Boy Drummers and Buglers;" "A Burial at Sea," and "Missing Links."

The January Cosmopolitan sustains the many-sided character of this popular magazine. The leading article is from the pen of Lady Henry Somerset, who writes on the people, especially the children, of the London slums, and is illustrated by striking photographs of the capital's poverty. Another illustrated feature is a description of San Marino, the oldest republic in the world, by Herbert S. Stone.

Mr. Edgar Fawcett's many warm admirers will gladly welcome a new novel from his pen in the New Year's number of Lippincott's Magazine. The title is "Doreen" in honor of its heroine, a young English girl whose destiny is fixed by a chance resemblance which she bears to a girl who has died, lamented by parents and lover—though from far different motives. The plot is woven with infinite skill and power, and under the visible romance lies a subtle love-interest which works along to a triumphant finish.

The biggest thing certainly, in the January McClure's is the article of Carl Schurz, "Can the South Solve the Negro Question?" It is absolutely masterly in elevation of thought and vigor of treatment; and will awaken discussion, much of which is bound to be vehement. Neck and neck with this article in political and social significance is the second chapter of part two of Miss Tarbell's "History of the Standard Oil Company," taking up "The Fight for the Pipe Lines."

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.
Nov. 2. 6mos.

FULL BASKET
$1.00
FULL BASKET.
$2.00
Worth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.

9 DAYS' SALE
JANUARY 7--16.

4 Quarts Potatoes,	.01
2 lbs. Sugar,	.01
Can Tomatoes	.01
500 Parlor Matches,	.01
12 Clothes Pins,	.01
Pkg. Ginger,	.01
6 Nutmegs,	.01
3t. Ammonia,	.10
1 Soap,	.05
1-2 lb. Mocha and Java Coffee,	.15
Pkg. Pop Corn,	.10
Pkg. Gelatine, Homestead,	.11
1-4 lb. Tea,	.15
Pkg. Cocoa Shells,	.07
Bag Salt,	.05
1 Scouring Soap,	.05
Box Blue, Sawyer's,	.04
1 Basket in which to carry all,	.06

$1.00
Each article shall be fresh and good and exactly as advertised.
Full Weight and Full Measure,
$2.00
Worth of Trading Stamps with each Basket.
V. E. MILLER,
CASH GROCER,
Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass.

JOSIAH A. FENNO

Writes of a Novel Yachting Trip

Visit to South Coranado Island.

No Inhabitants but Rattlesnakes and Turantulas.

Ex-Commodore Josiah A. Fenno of the Wollaston Yacht club, who is spending the winter on the Pacific coast sends a very interesting letter to Commodore Wiley, which people generally as well as yachtsmen will enjoy:

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 1, 1904.
Commodore Wiley:

The flag of the Wollaston Yacht club is well known along the New England coast. Our boats have carried it into every harbor from Provincetown to Mt. Desert, and Capt. Smith in the yawl Rover has flown it in Yarmouth and other ports of Nova Scotia. On the 30th of December, 1903, it snapped in a fresh breeze that ruffled the surface of the broad Pacific into white caps from the mast-head of the launch Dolphin, among the Coranado Islands of Mexico; from Yarmouth to the Coranados is about four thousand miles, I doubt if the flag of any of our smaller yacht clubs has been so far from the home port. Thinking the boys will be interested I will briefly give you an account of a pleasant day's outing.

The harbor of San Diego is eight miles long and a mile wide, more or less. The lower end of the bay, only five miles from the Mexican boundary, a low sandy strip of land, protects it from the ocean on the west, and on the northwest Point Loma lifts its clifts four hundred feet into the air, showing a fair sea mark to the entrance which is marked by a lighthouse. The harbor is completely land-locked and the breeze is seldom heavy, making an ideal sailing ground, for thunder squalls are unknown and the season lasts all the year. It is as warm in December as our June. On the easterly side of the bay is the city of San Diego of about seventeen thousand people, and a very pretty little city it is.

There is much boating here, several rowing clubs, some of them with a membership of young ladies, and the Corinthian yacht club, several of whose members I have met, and they are good fellows as yachtsmen usually are. Like the Wollaston they have troubles of their own, they have accepted the custody of the Lipton cup and engaged to defend it against the boats of the Pacific coast clubs; now they have got to build a defender.

The launch Dolphin belongs to the club, and with a party of twenty aboard left her pier on the morning of Dec. 30, 1903, bound for the Coranado Islands, about twenty miles due south from San Diego lighthouse. Through the courtesy of Capt. Luce, I ran up the Wollaston flag to the mast head and we sailed under the old familiar colors. As we ran out of the barbor we passed close to the little settlement of La Player. This is the place where in 1835 were located the hide houses which Dana so graphically describes in "Two Years Before the Mast."

Leaving the lighthouse behind us, we headed for a group of rocky islands that stood out of the sea like the summits of submerged mountains, as they really are. These shores slope sharply to a depth of a hundred fathom and more. There are three of them, the North, Middle and South Coranado, the latter six hundred and fifty feet high, higher than the Big Blue hill, but unlike that hill rising its full height almost straight up from the water.

As we sped along at about ten knots we saw jets of water spouted ahead and we ran into a school of whales. Not big fellows, but the California whales of forty feet or thereabouts in length, meantime we had lines trolling astern and after passing the whales we hooked two Spanish mackerel or more properly Bonitos, a fish that looks like our eastern mackerel, but more stocky and weighing from ten to fifteen pounds. We caught eleven before we got back, the ladies having most of the luck.

As we approached the islands we could see that they were so steep as to be almost inaccessable. There is no fresh water and the vegetation is mostly cactus, greasewood and sagebrush. Rattlesnakes and tarantulas abound but I saw no snakes and only the nests of the spiders. These tarantulas, some of them are as big as a humming bird, and with legs three inches long. Their bite is as poisonous as that of a rattlesnake; so you see these islands are not an ideal place for a picnic.

We came to, off the South Island in a little cave between the cliffs, the only anchorage. We landed and went hunting for shells, climbing up from the landing place we crossed a ridge and descended a trail down a cliff as steep as the side of a house, it was a break-neck scramble down three hundred feet to the shore of boulders, among which we found the Abalones which were the object of our search.

These shell fish are shaped something like the half of a clam, in size they vary, the largest as big as a soup plate. The inside of the shell is very pretty, showing iridescent colors as brilliant as a peacock. The shell is full of a mass of tough muscle, with which they cling to the rock so tight that it takes an iron bar to detach them. We got a big bag full. We also got wet, the wave would recede showing the rocks covered with our prize, but before we had secured them, back would come the great roller and catch us. Climbing up the cliff again I discovered a cave that was large enough to make us a club house if it was only in the right place.

At the top I stopped and looked about me. To the south rose the crest of the island, bare and sterile, for no rain has fallen here for eleven months. To the north and east, the coast of California and Mexico rose in ranges of mountains, one beyond the other, till lost in the distance, the fartherest a hundred miles away and eleven thousand feet high. As far as I could see down the coast of Baja California was the mountain range. One mountain was noticeable for its flat top, whence its name of table mountain. In sharp contrast with the jagged peaks of its fellows. Shifting my position I saw the other islands of the group; not so large or high as the South island; bare masses of rock they stood in the sea. Between them two fishing boats were anchored in the kelp. This sea weed is different from our eastern variety. It has hollow bulbs that float it on the surface in masses miles in extent. The boats run into it and make fast. No need to let go an anchor, beyond the islands was the sea with nothing to break its surface till one reached the shores of Japan.

There is good fishing among the islands, but the catch would look strange at T wharf. Barracuta, blue smelt, bonito, yellow tail, sole and crawfish (they call them lobsters) are a few of them. After taking some snap shots of the islands and yachts, we started on our homeward run. The breeze had freshened and the Dolphin sent the spray flying as she drove into the teeth of it. Leaving behind us the islands on which the Rebublic of Mexico claims jurisdiction, but whose only inhabitants are the sea-birds and the before mentioned snakes and spiders. On the way we saw more whales and caught more fish. Before making port the sun had set into the western sea, and it was dark when we reached the wharf.

I pulled down my flag and hope to fly it again in other waters before my return. I shall enter Dec. 30th in my log book as a most enjoyable day, when I visited strange places with a jolly company.

Truly yours.
Josiah A. Fenno.

TODAY'S COURT.

Susan F. Quinn was arraigned for lewdness at Weymouth. Case continued until Jan. 20.

Deafness Cannot be Cured
by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.
We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

DIVORCE WANTED.

Mrs. Partridge Sues William Ordway Partridge, the Sculptor.

William Ordway Partridge, the well known Milton sculptor, has been sued for divorce by Mrs. Augusta Partridge. The papers in the case have been filed at Dedham and the case will come up Feb. 1.

Mrs. Partridge asserts in her declaration that she was deserted by her husband on Aug. 8 at Milton, and for this reason she asks the court to free her from the matrimonial bonds and also to give her the custody of G. S. Partridge, their only child.

Mr. Partridge is reported to be living in New York, and according to the papers in the case, a copy of the libel was sent to his last known address in New York by registered letter. Very little can be learned about the case here. The couple were married at Milton, Oct. 4, 1887, and on June 28, 1889, the child was born.

Quincy Point Club.

The Quincy Point Young Men's Club held their regular monthly meeting last week in the vestry of the Point church. A committee was appointed to select magazines for the reading room, and the executive committee was instructed to procure the games. Councilman Stone reported that he expected to have the first floor ready for the club in three weeks. The following house committee was appointed for three months P. H. Holman and J. E. Thomas; for two months H. B. Seller and A. F. Hancock and for one month Howard C. Andrews and F. W. Eaves. This committee of which the President is chairman, will have charge of the rooms. Mr. T. W. Lincoln was appointed a member of the executive committee for the month of January.

A Handsome Exposition Folder.

An attractively printed and extremely artistic folder describing the St. Louis exposition from April to December next has been issued by Mr. A. S. Hanson of the passenger department of the Boston & Albany railroad. The cover design is a dainty scheme in colors, embodying the picturesque statue of St. Louis and a gondola on the grand basin. Good clear maps of the city of St. Louis and of the exposition grounds and several handsome engravings of important buildings are among the embellishments. This publication also contains much specific information—for instance, the appropriations made by the various states, showing Massachusetts in the $100,000 column with Ohio, Virginia, Texas, Oregon, Kentucky, New Jersey, Connecticut, Arkansas and Minnesota. It also contains much general information about hotel capacity and accommodation facilities. This is the first convenient-sized, comprehensive outline published concerning the World's fair, which, with its total expenditure of $50,000,000 promises to be one of greatest expositions in some respects which has ever been attempted. The folder is sent out on application at any of the company's ticket offices, and is one of the handsomest of its kind.

C. F. Carlson has had the public telephone removed at his store and has put in a private instrument.

Mortgagee's Sale.

To George W. Cummings and all others interested.

PURSUANT to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given to the Wildey Savings Bank by George W. Cummings, dated July 28th, 1902, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 927, page 544, will be sold at public auction on the premises described in said mortgage for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage, on THURSDAY, February eleventh, the same, on THURSDAY afternoon, all and 1904, at three o'clock in the [illegible] described, singular, the real estate described in said deed, to wit: two lots of land situated on Squantum and Clark streets, in Quincy, Mass., and being lots 5 and 6 and lot marked "Sold" on a plan of lots owned by the "Atlantic Land Co., 1893, H. S. Whitman, C. E.," recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book of plans 702, page 640, and is bounded northerly by said Squantum street, one hundred feet; easterly by lot 2, 3, 4, and part of lots of owners unknown, two hundred and sixteen feet; southerly by lot 7 on said plan, one hundred feet; and westerly by said Clark street, two hundred and sixteen and 12-100 feet. Said premises will be sold subject to any existing restrictions and unpaid taxes, if any, together with all benefit and equity of redemption of the said Cummings, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns therein.

Terms made known at the time and place of sale.

WILDEY SAVINGS BANK, Mortgagee.
Boston, Jan. 9, 1904.
For further information apply to Tirrell, Adams and Tirrell, Solicitors, 42 Court street, Boston, Mass.
Jan. 11. 3t-11-18-25

Don't Get Left!

THE BARGAINS IN

Men's and Boys' Clothing

And Furnishings

AT THE

C. F. DERBY Store

Are going rapidly, many lines of goods are ENTIRELY CLOSED OUT.

A few Winter Caps left at 35c., 42c. and 79c

Men's Heavy Working Shirts, 35c. worth 60c

A Lot of Boys' & Children's Suits WILL BE SOLD THIS WEEK.

$3 Suits, $3 75, $3 Suits, $2.25 and Suits as low as 98c.

Men's Suits, 4.49, 6.50, 8 and $10 Worth Double the Money.

Only a few Men's and Boys' OVERCOATS left. Come in and get fitted.

We'll Make the Price RIGHT AT THE

Great Bankrupt Sale

Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple,	$8.00
Dry Pine Wood,	7.00
Dry Pine Slabs,	6.00
Green Hard Wood,	7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.

THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,

Yard between Miller and West Streets.
Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.
Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

MISS SPEAR'S CLASSES,

148 Goffe Street.

Kindergarten and Day pupils received.
Music, Art, Sloyd, Basketry, Gymnastics, Shorthand and Tutoring taught by experts.
C. FOLLETT SPEAR, Directress.
Voice, Piano and Harmony. Oct. 15-3m

HALL and BURGESS,

Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.

AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

PICTURES

FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.

Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

W. A. BRADFORD,

Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting.

Jobbing promptly attended to.
Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.
Open Monday and Saturday evenings.
Telephone 111-3 Quincy. Jan. 7-tf

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
25 years' experience

Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.
Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.

Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marden's store.
Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence in Medford

F. S. BUXTON,

TEACHER OF VIOLIN

WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.
Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.

JOHNSON & BROOKS, PROPRIETORS.

HENRY T. BROWN, Manager, QUINCY, MASS.
Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

Dr. Emmons'

Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies when we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively saves to after ill effects upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

The Finance Committee of the City Council will report favorablo this evening or the order to borrow $400,000 in anticipation of taxes. This is $100,000 more than has been authorized in January in preceding years, and $70,000 more than was borrowed in 1903 in anticipation of taxes. It is practically the borrowing of the whole tax levy order, which is only a little rising $400,000.

The interest on this large sum at four per cent., if all is borrowed on one year loans, will be $16,000, which will in itself causes a tax of 65 cents per $1000 on all the taxable property of Quincy in 1904. This sum of $16,000 for interest is practically thrown away. Some cities do not borrow money in anticipation of taxes. Quincy should learn the trick.

Drift of Opinion.

☞This winter is beginning to justify the predictions of the goosebone prophets who saw in it a pretty hard, cold season. We have had at least two sustained periods of very cold weather and Sunday and Monday brought more of it. Fortunately we are in better shape to meet it than a year ago. There is coal to be had, and for a very decent price compared with the jewelry rates we were asked to pay during the famine bred by the strike.—Lowell Citizen.

☞Secretary Moody is generally commended, irrespective of party lines, for his tact and preparedness in managing his end of the Panama business. With warning that ships and men might be needed at the isthmus about a certain date, he set quietly to work to move them there and effected a transfer of the necessary force so quietly that his action excited little attention. The Dixie with her full complement of men turned up at Colon in the nick of time and all other naval preparations were attended to with easy facility. There was no blundering. All available opposition to the execution of Uncle Sam's plans was silenced by a sufficient display of force. He deserves much credit for the ease with which the administration accomplished its purpose.—Boston Advertiser.

☞Speaker Cannon is the "David Harum" of the American House of Representatives. He knows the foibles and the weaknesses of human nature. He is "up to" the tricks of all the legislative horse-traders and appropriation log-rollers. He watches everybody else and is thorough master of himself. All that goes on about him is a game which he very well understands at every turn and play, but he doesn't preach or moralize about it, or imagine himself so much better than any one else. It amuses him and he likes to see the wheels go round, but you may take good care they do not go too fast or too slow. To act as a sort of governor upon the big, unwieldy machine of the House of Representatives is nothing new for "Uncle Joe." This has been his role for lo! these many years.—American Monthly Review of Reviews.

☞More than two scores of states are constantly seeking solutions to the complex questions of self-government which, in this busy, active age, are ever being presented in new and important forms. No two states are alike; to none are the problems exactly the same. Yet one has often profited much from the experience of another, and it has been recognized by students of political affairs that among all the states of the Union there is none that has been more often in the lead in constructive legislation than Massachusetts. This has been true because her magistrates and representatives have never been satisfied that conditions could not be bettered. Whenever advancement has been made, they have always had before them ideals still to be attained. Always have they had lofty conceptions, beckoning them to further achievement. There can be none here but hope this year to contribute to the writing of another page of progress and of honor in her history.—Gov. Bates in Inaugural address.

Peptiron Pills

(Chocolate-coated)

For Men, Women and Children.

Combine the greatest of tonics with the best of nervines, nutrients and digestives for the radical and permanent cure of

Nervousness, Dyspepsia, Paleness, Emaciation, Neuralgia, Sleeplessness, Loss of Vitality, Exhaustion,

effects of overwork, overstudy, close confinement indoors, and all excesses.

Unequaled for building up the nervous and digestive systems.

Peptiron Pills, (chocolate-coated,) 50c. or $1—the latter a full month's treatment. Prepared by C. I. HOOD CO., Lowell, Mass.

Selling Agent in Quincy:

E. J. Murphy, 1657 Hancock St.

PAINTING and Glazing.

WARD L. HAYWARD

28 Mechanic Street.

Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

LEDGER ADS. PAY BEST

PASTOR RESIGNS.

Rev. Merrill C. Ward of the First Universalist Church.

The Rev. Merrill C, Ward, pastor of the Universalist society in this city, announced from the pulpit on Sunday his resignation. He has been pastor of this society between four and five years and is much liked by the members, and the announcement was received with surprise and regret.

Mr. Ward has also been pastor of the Universalist society at Ashmont, Dorchester, for about two years. Owing to some of the prominent members being quite heavy losers by the decline in the stock market and moving away, Mr. Ward felt obliged to send in his resignation, which has caused him to leave the Quincy parish. His many friends in Quincy are sorry to lose his valuable services.

Savage Assault on Doctor

Charlotte, N. C., Jan. 11.—Dr. Thomas S. Faucette, acting superintendent of health of Almanac county, was murderously assaulted at Haw River while inquiring into the disinfection of houses that had contained smallpox patients and is now in a critical condition. Tom Shatterly is alleged to have, without provocation, struck Faucette on the head with a rock. Shatterly is in jail.

Ship Destroyed by Fire

London, Jan.11.—Advices from port Stanley, Falkland islands, state that the captain and crew of 25 men of the American ship Clarence S. Bement, which sailed from Newport News to San Francisco, have arrived there and report that their vessel was burned at sea. There were no fatalities.

Fifty-Two Lives Lost

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 11.—The development in the steamer Clallam disaster of Friday night is the recovery of 13 bodies from the waters of the Straits of Juan del Fuca. The total number of lives lost is placed at 52.

Bulgarians Invade Turkey

Salonica, Jan. 11.—A force of troops has been sent to Kumanova, where a strong Bulgarian band has invaded Turkish territory. Fighting is reported to have occurred at Kochana, the Bulgarians losing 100 killed.

Out of Window to Liberty

Hamilton, Ont., Jan. 11.—William Hillis, a burglar, escaped from jail last night. He threw blankets and pillows out of a window and dropped on them.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The Massachusetts Farmers and Cattle Owners' association adopted a resolution approving the state board of agriculture in its present form. This is because of the recommendation of Governor Bates that the board be superseded by a commission.

Within less than four hours after the funeral of his wife Robert G. Hardie, aged 50, a portrait painter, died at his home at Brattleboro, Vt., of heart failure. He had been in a state of collapse since the death of his wife.

Alice Flipcroft, aged 33, shot herself three times in the women's lavatory of the south terminal station at Boston and ended her life. She had been despondent.

Jean L. Gerome, painter and sculptor, died suddenly at Paris, aged 84. He was a conspicuous figure in Paris society. He retained his youthful gaiety and activity, his snowy hair and moustache alone displaying his great age.

Francis Wayland, LL. D., formerly dean of the Yale Law school and professor of English constitutional law in the university, died at New Haven of acute bronchitis. He was 70 years old.

Extremely low water has caused a curtailment of time in the mills of Lewiston, Me. Unless present conditions are soon relieved by heavy rains it is feared the mills will be compelled to shut down.

L. H. Dutton, master of the Hancock school district in Boston, is dead. He was born at Claremont, N. H., in 1842. He saw service in the Civil war, during which he was badly wounded.

A PEACE STIMULUS

Triple Alliance Will Not Interfere In Far Eastern Row

MIKADO'S NEW CRUISERS

Attempts Said to Have Been Made to Destroy Them—Report From Rome That They Are Followed by Russian Ships

London, Jan. 11.—It can be announced on the highest authority that Germany has decided that in the event of war between Russia and Japan it will maintain a strict neutrality. Other members of the dreibund will observe a similar attitude.

The importance of this decision, which will almost immediately be announced in some official manner in Berlin, cannot be easily over-estimated. It will, in a measure, ensure that hostilities will be confined to the two powers concerned, and it will be certain to give a great stimulus to the efforts which France and Great Britain are making in St. Petersburg and Tokio respectively in favor of peace.

The reassuring news that the Russian warships which recently left Vladivostock have returned there is confirmed in a Vladivostock dispatch received at St. Petersburg. The dispatch asserts, however, that only the armored cruiser Gromovoi went to sea for a couple of days' practice, the other ships of the fleet having remained at Vladivostock throughout.

Special dispatches from Tokio are very warlike, but add little or nothing to the knowledge of the situation. They reiterate that Japan has no idea of sending an ultimatum to Russia.

Anxiety is apparently felt in Tokio for the safety of the cruisers Niasin and Kasaga, which left Genoa Saturday, and in connection with the departure of which the Genoa correspondent of The Daily Mail gives a curious story to the effect that an iron bar was found inside the ammunition hold of the Niasin, placed in such a position that it short-circuited the electrical apparatus with, it is suggested, the object of destroying the vessel, although there is no evidence to show that its being there was not accidental. No serious damage was done.

Seoul dispatches report the arrival of additional Russian and Italian marines there.

The Daily Mail's Tokio correspondent asserts that the negotiations between Russia and Japan have passed beyond diplomacy and states that some Corean officials have appealed to the American legation at Seoul for protection, but that Minister Allen upbraided them for thinking of their personal safety at such a juncture.

The Tien Tsin correspondent of The Daily Mail says that the Russian government has sent to the Chinese government a threat that Russia would immediately occupy Pekin should China join forces with Japan. As a result the grand council has advised the throne to adopt a policy of neutrality.

Spies Watching New Cruisers

Rome, Jan. 11.—The Italia says that Russian warships sighted between Kenoa and Spezzia are believed to be spying on and following the Japanese cruisers Niasin and Kasaga, which left Genoa Saturday. It has just become known that some unknown persons attempted to set the Niasin on fire by tampering with the electric appliances. The police authorities have begun an inquiry into the matter.

Powder Magazines Menaced

Paris, Jan. 11.—Dispatches to The Figaro from Rome and Genoa announce the discovery at the moment of the sailing of the Japanese cruisers Niasin and Kasaga of an arrangement intended to fire the powder magazines of the vessels. The dispatches add that the authorities are investigating the affair.

China Thinks War Certain

Pekin, Jan. 11.—Predictions in the native press that a war is inevitable and immediate and that China will certainly be involved are causing great uneasiness. Many Chinese fear a repetition of the scenes of pillage and murder which made the year 1900 memorable.

Numbers of the employes on the railroad between New Chwang and Shan Kwan have deserted their posts, thinking that the country traversed by the railroad will surely be the scene of the fighting.

Reports from Manchuria are to the effect that there is great military activity there. The railroads are bringing troops from Russia and the women and children at Fort Arthur and New Chwang are preparing to leave. The Russian general at New Chwang has been called to Port Arthur for service.

Every steamer from North China for Japan is carrying the Japanese who belong to the reserves.

The Japanese censorship of military news gives opportunity for all kinds of rumors here, one of which is that Japanese troops have been landed at Fusan, Corea. As cable communication with Corea is through Japan it is impossible to obtain reliable news.

To Fight For No-License

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 11.—The Vermont anti-Saloon league has decided not to make a fight to have the license law repealed this year, but to endeavor to have as many towns as possible vote no license. Speakers will probably visit every one of the 246 towns and cities in the state.

SWINDLER AT LARGE

Broke Jail at Springfield Under Remarkable Circumstances

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 11.—William J. Reid, who is charged with swindling 32 hotels of about $10,000 in 1902, and is now under sentences aggregating 10 years for these offenses, unlocked nine doors and sawed through three chains, visited six different rooms of the county jail, passed in front of watchers and finally climbed an 18-foot wall and escaped. This was accomplished at 3 o'clock Sunday morning, yet he was not missed until 7 o'clock. He was supposedly too weak to move without the use of a crutch, had been practically bedridden for three months and, so far as the prison officers know, had eaten nothing but beef broth in all that time.

In order to get through the many doors he must have used a first-class hack-saw and a key that perfectly fitted the various locks, yet there is not the slightest clue to the manner in which he obtained these articles. While he was working his way out he broke into various rooms and shops to obtain a suit of clothes, some tools that he afterward found were not needed, and a small ladder for use in scaling the outer wall.

Sheriff Clark made a thorough investigation, but he finds that many details of the escape are still unexplained. Every effort has been made to track him, but without success so far. He was seen immediately outside the jail, but not afterwards.

Sailors Had Abandoned Hope

Boston, Jan. 11.—Steamer Provan, from Calcutta, brought in the captain and crew of the schooner G. A. Smith of Richibucto, N. S., who were found on their dismasted and sinking vessel about 400 miles off the coast. The men were taken off the schooner with great difficulty, and within an hour after they were safely on board the steamer their own vessel foundered stern first. The men had been on the deck of the vessel without food or water for two days and had given up all hopes of rescue.

Electric Car Struck Sleigh

Providence, Jan. 11.—Frank Kennedy and James Kelly were driving at Cranston in a sleigh when the horse became unmanageable and ran. An electric car struck the sleigh and when the car was stopped both men were beneath it. Kennedy was killed instantly, but Kelly escaped with several contusions. He will recover. The medical examiner may order an inquest.

Had Students' Belongings

Boston, Jan. 11.—William H. Sullivan, 16 years old, was arrested here while trying to dispose in pawn shops the clothing, jewelry and a miscellaneous assortment of trinkets alleged to have been stolen from Harvard college dormitories. Sullivan is the son of a Cambridge tailor and was employed by his father to deliver clothing to Harvard students.

Express Struck Freight Train

Pittsfield, Mass., Jan. 11.—A western express for Boston, which left here last night an hour and 15 minutes late, ran into the rear of a freight train that was backing onto the main track from a siding at Washington. The caboose and four freight cars were wrecked and the locomotive of the passenger train damaged. No one was seriously injured.

Killed at Post of Duty

Plymouth, Mass., Jan. 11.—James Eddy, captain of engine 2, was killed during a fire that destroyed Odd Fellows' block, with a loss to building and tenants of $80,000. Eddy was suffocated by smoke while fighting the fire in the basement. The cause of the fire is unknown, but it is believed that an overheated furnace was responsible.

Telephone Line Crippled

Newport, R. I., Jan. 11.—The telephone cables across the bay between this city, Jamestown and Saunderstown have become broken, and immediate repairs will be made. The accident is believed to have been due to contact between the cables and the anchors of barges, by which they were grappled.

Aged Man Suffocated

Barre, Mass., Jan. 11.—James Murphy, aged 75, was suffocated and then burned in a fire that destroyed a 12-room house over 100 years old and a poultry and horse shed. The buildings belonged to one of the 12 farms originally taken from Rutland when Barre was made a township.

Bullet In Wife's Shoulder

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 11.—William H. Day of Northampton shot his wife in the railroad station of this city as the result of domestic infelicity. The bullet buried itself in Mrs. Day's shoulder and was afterwards extracted. She is not believed to be dangerously wounded. The husband was arrested.

Steamers Had Hard Voyages

Boston, Jan. 11.—Three overdue steamships, the Saxon King, Kansas and Oxonian, came into port Sunday and their captains in every instance reported that the voyages were the worst ever experienced. No damage of importance was sustained by any of the steamers.

Supplied With Lake Water

Winooski, Vt., Jan. 11.—As a result of the threatened water famine pipes have been laid between this town and Burlington, and 5000 people here will now be supplied with water from Lake Champlain. The local reservoir is completely dried up.

Girl Attacked by Footpad

Nashua, N. H., Jan. 11.—Lelia Hanks, 14 years old, was assaulted on a street here by a stranger, who, after choking the girl almost into insensibility, took her pocketbook, containing a small sum of money.

Side Boards and Buffets.

The Side Board adds the finishing touch to the furnishing of the dining room, and is one of the most convenient and attractive pieces of furniture ever constructed. Long linen drawer, velvet lined, silver drawer, ample cupboard, and in addition to the spacious and useful top are the extra shelves for fancy china, cut glass or silver.

Dainty Buffets with all the conveniences of a side board in condensed space. We show over 50 different styles, each one a gem of the craftman's skill. Prices, $12 00 to $50 00.

A little each week from your earnings and a side board is soon paid for.

GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.

New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store.

Hancock Street, Quincy.

We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

CITY BREVITIES.

A double quartette is being organized among the members of the Granite City club.

Schedule time was resumed on all lines of the street railway Saturday afternoon.

The city is breaking out some of the back streets by using a heavy sled drawn by six horses.

The large amount of snow on the roofs and frozen gutters caused many houses to leak on Sunday.

The street railway has a large gang of men out today leveling the banks of snow alongside of its tracks.

St. Ambrose court of Foresters will receive a visit tomorrow evening from William P. Hughes, the deputy.

At basket ball Saturday night at St. Mary's hall, the St. Mary's Jr., defeated the People's Institute, Jr., 22 to 10.

The Sunday Post contained a long sketch of the career of Capt. Jayne, superintendent of the Sailors' Acnyon[illegible] Harbor.

The sled loaded with heavy lumber which got stuck in front of the First church Friday afternoon remained there over Sunday.

Light refreshments and an entertainment will be the attractions at the regular meeting of the Bethany Brotherhood tomorrow evening.

Seldom has Quincy had more snow upon the ground than at the present time. Over a foot fell during the storm of last Friday night and Saturday.

Although a foot or more of snow fell Friday night and Saturday the Meadow Brook Ice Co. has cleared its pond so as to resume cutting again this morning. Up to Friday they had harvested about one-third of its crop.

The Unity circle of King's Daughters which is doing an excellent work in a quiet way, will hold a regular meeting Tuesday evening at Bethany chapel. Mrs. Sawtelle will speak to the circle.

Dorothy Q chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, of Brookline, is interested in saving the Dorothy Q house in this city, and listened with pleasure to a paper by Miss Hunt at its meeting last week.

Mr. L. A. Turner has been confined to his house, 1 Hill street, the past week, caused by slipping on an icy sidewalk which burst a vein in his ankle, causing an ulcer. This will oblige him to use crutches for some time.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

MUSIC HALL, - - - QUINCY.

ONE BIG NIGHT, FRIDAY, JAN 15th,

STETSON'S BIG DOUBLE

Uncle Tom's Cabin Co.

The World-Renowned Tennesseeans, Jubilee Singers, in Quartette Refrains, Banjo Playing, Imitations, Camp Meeting Songs, etc.

Cotton Picking and Plantation Scenes in which are introduced many Artists with Laughter-Provoking Specialties.

Pack of Full-blooded Cuban Bloodhounds Trained to take part in the Drama, are used in the Thrilling Scene showing Eliza's Escape from the Slave-Hunters.

Beautiful Tableaux and Transformation Scenes are displayed throughout the Play, the one representing Little Eva's Ascent into Heaven, being pronounced by Critics the Finest ever Presented.

PEOPLE'S PRICES, 25, 35, 50c.

Seats now on sale at Music Hall Pharmacy
Jan. 9. 6t

ORDER YOUR

SUNDAY DINNER

—AT—

PRATT'S

The Best of Everything and Money Saved.

Fresh Eastern Fowl,	15 cts. lb
Face Rump Roast,	14 cts. lb
Fresh Pork Roast,	14 cts. lb
Best Rump Steak,	25 cts. lb
N. Y. Rump Steak,	12 1-2 cts. lb
Hebron Potatoes,	30 cts. pk
Fancy Celery,	20 cts bunch
Large Prunes,	3 lbs. 25 cts
Bordeaux Catsup,	3 bot. 25 cts.
Baltimore Peaches,	15 cts. can
Pea Beans,	8 cts. qt

The Coffee we like to sell is OUR VERY BEST Mocha and Java, 35c. lb

We have others at lower prices.

L. M. PRATT & SON.

SKATES SHARPENED.

Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .

24 Granite Street,

NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.
Dec. 21. 1m

WOOD! WOOD! WOOD!

OF ALL KINDS.

DRY AND GREEN

At Lowest Possible Prices.

THOS. O'BRIEN & SONS.

Yard off Miller and West Streets, West Quincy.
Jan. 7 tf

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

OUR FIFTEENTH ANNUAL JANUARY

Mark Down Sale

Now in Progress.

A Beautiful Calendar with every Dollar purchase.

O.E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

W. G. CHUBBUCK,

Furniture and Piano Mover

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.

JOBBING.

Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.

lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

The Only Place in QUINCY

Where you can buy the Famous

WINGOLD FLOUR

Harbor Light Coffee

--AND--

Star Brand Coffee

IS AT THE

CONSOLIDATED

ADAMS BUILDING,

Headquarters for High Grade MEATS and GROCERIES.

Cremo

Still Going Up

in popular favor because of its goodness—its unvarying quality keeps it up. Over a million sold daily. Cremo—5c. anywhere. It's worth it anytime.

Largest Seller in the World.

The Band is the Smoker's Protection

NOVELETTES

Will be a Feature for Several Weeks

OF THE

SATURDAY EIGHT-PAGE LEDGER.

EVERY STORY

IS

COPYRIGHTED AND ILLUSTRATED

AND ARE BY

Distinguished Writers.

Some Are 6 and 7 Columns in Length.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in all parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

— OUR —

Capitol Shoe

FOR BOYS.

Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Tan Colt.

Sizes 12 to 2 $1 75

Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2.00

The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.

Every Pair Warranted.

GEORGE W. JONES,

Adams Building, - QUINCY.

FOR EVENING WEAR.

Gowns and Wraps and How They Are Made.

Combinations of white chiffon and black lace or even of white lace and of black lace make handsome and effective evening gowns.

While elbow sleeves are still used, they are immensely full and frilly at the elbow, and a good way of renovating an old sleeve is to cut it off at the elbow, slash it and fill it in with closely gathered lace.

The loose hanging jacket effect is all the rage for gowns of lace or veiling The little jacket is edged with narrow lace fringe, taffeta or satin ruching or chiffon applique. Accompanying it is always the wide swather belt of lustrous silk or velvet.

Accordion plaited waists and skirts are very smart for the slender woman,

CREPE DE CHINE DRESS.

but no one else should attempt them The accordion plaited skirts are especially pretty in crepe de chine or veiling with a nicely fitted hip yoke of lace.

Shirred skirts of the new chiffon voile have a pretty fullness broken by horizontal lines of embroidery done on bands of white taffeta or louisine. The girdle is formed of this, and it also appears on the fluffy waist in the shape of detached motifs.

The very latest thing in furs is a wide shawl-like scarf of ermine with long ends edged with chiffon, the whole being clasped in front by a jeweled slide. A hat recently seen with this kind of scarf was also of ermine trimmed with two large drooping silver tassels.

The illustration shows an evening dress of figured crepe de chine trimmed with chantilly lace and chiffon roses.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

NEW RECORDS.

Warmer Days in Three Months and Cooler Days in Five Months.

The record of noon temperature, kept by the Daily Ledger since May 1, 1896, affords an interesting study.

The highest noon temperature of the year was 97, on July 10 and 11; and the lowest noon temperature was 10 on the following dates: Jan. 19, Feb. 19, and Dec. 27.

The extremes for the eight years were 101 and 2.

February, March and April had warmer days than for seven years, while the following months had cooler days: April, May, June, August, and November.

The following summary of noon temperature will be of interest:

	For Year 1903. Highest.	Lowest.	In Eight Years. Highest.	Lowest
January,	50	10	59	9
February,	60*	10	60	5
March,	74*	33	74	23
April,	86*	30*	86	30
May,	90	46*	93	46
June,	85	54*	98	54
July,	97	61	101	60
August,	84	58*	95	58
September,	86	58	92	52
October,	78	44	85	41
November,	72	23*	75	23
December,	54	10	67	2

* Broke the record for seven years.

THE OLNEY BOOM

Bay State Democrats Present Their Candidate to the Public

Boston, Jan. 11.—The movement to make Richard Olney of Massachusetts the next Democratic nominee for President of the United States was officially endorsed by the Democratic state committee. After many endorsing speeches eulogistic of Olney had been made, resolutions were passed unanimously endorsing Olney for the leader of the Democrats in the coming presidential campaign. The resolutions were:

"The Democratic state committee of Massachusetts herewith places upon record its appreciation of the eminent services rendered the Democratic party and the nation by Richard Olney, and expresses its firm conviction that under his leadership in the coming presidential campaign important New England states will swing over into the Democratic power, and the national party will achieve a sweeping victory, ensuring a speedy reform of the abuses following a continuance in power of the Republican party and the re-establishment of those fundamental principles of government which that party has deliberately and flagrantly violated. To this end we invite the co-operation of the Democrats of New England and of the nation."

Anarchists Created Trouble

Pittsburg, Jan. 11.—Three men created a small-sized riot in the St. Casimir's Lithuanian Roman church by making the declaration that sisters of charity were not good women. The men were denounced by Pastor Sutkeitis as anarchists, and he boldly declared that they were implicated in the plot to assassinate President McKinley. A rush was being made for the three men when the priest told his congregation to let them depart in peace. In the meantime a police call had been sent in, but when the officers arrived the intruders had been allowed to depart. Later the priest said the disturbance was raised because the anarchists had declared his (the priest's) life forfeited.

Clevelands Bearing Up Well

Princeton, N. J., Jan. 11.—Despite her intense grief over the death of her oldest daughter, Ruth, the general health of Mrs. Grover Cleveland is excellent. It was feared that the sudden grief which prostrated Mrs. Cleveland would culminate in a serious illness. The four Cleveland children show no signs of diphtheria. Although former President Cleveland is deeply affected by the blow, his health is good.

THE SMART BOY

The boy must be strong before he can be smart. The sick boy has his body to attend to first, even though his brain goes a-begging.

Scott's Emulsion gives strong healthy bodies to little boys and girls. By good feeding and gentle stimulation it paves the way for bright and happy minds.

Scott's Emulsion, then the strength of good health, then the bright developing mind—that is often the progress of a weak child.

Little daily doses of Scott's Emulsion give strength to weak children and fatten the thin ones.

It is peculiarly adapted to children's needs.

We'll send you a sample free upon request.

SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York.

PANAMA QUESTION

Reyes Is Informed That It Cannot Be Reopened

NOTHING TO ARBITRATE

Present Situation Does Not Require Reference to The Hague Tribunal--Suggestion of Reunion of Colombia and Panama

Washington, Jan. 11.—Secretary Hay has sent another communication to General Reyes, the Colombian envoy, in response to his protest against the action of the United States regarding affairs on the isthmus of Panama. While state department officials decline to make any specific statement as to its nature, it is understood that in a general way it follows the lines laid down in the reply to Reyes' first note, which practically declines to reopen the Panama question.

General Reyes' second note differed in some important respects from that first sent by him to the state department. The first contained a general statement of the grievances, important and minor, which Colombia asserts she has suffered as a result of the interpretation placed by the United States on the treaty of 1846. This note also, while not specifically making a protest, by its very nature involved the presentation of one later on.

This second communication, to which an answer has been returned, dealt with considerable detail on certain specific points regarded as highly important and meriting special consideration, and presented an emphatic formal protest against the action of the United States in Panama matters. Secretary Hay's answer, it is said, follows the lines of the recent message of President Roosevelt to congress on the Panama question, justifying the steps taken by the United States government on the subject.

The secretary's reply does not discuss with Reyes one matter which he urged in his second note, namely, the transmission to the senate of the correspondence which has passed between himself and the state department. It is known that the officials of the state department resented the suggestion of Reyes as highly improper and for this reason the answer does not discuss this request. The matter of sending the correspondence with Reyes to the senate has not yet been determined by the president.

General Reyes' last note also contained some reference to the submission of disputed points to arbitration, but state department officials say there is nothing in the present situation for The Hague tribunal, if any reference to that court was intended.

General Reyes is ready to leave the city at any time for Colombia, where his personal and political interests require his attention. It is said that he may leave this country within the next 10 days, but no information is obtainable from Reyes on that subject, as he declines to see newspaper reporters on the plea that he is very busy.

From the standpoint of the state department there is no reason why he should hasten his departure, as he might very well remain and render considerable service to his country. The suggestion is made that possibly he may remain and make an effort to open diplomatic relations with the republic of Panama, through its representative here, for the adjustment of such questions as the assumption by Panama of a portion of the exterior debt of Colombia. Some suggestion also has been made, though not officially, of a reunion of the governments under the name of the republic of Colombia, Panama to have an autonomous government with absolute authority to deal with all questions relating to the control of canal matters.

The Dominican War

San Domingo, Jan. 11—The insurgents have bombarded the city. A shell struck the city hall, doing considerable damage. Another shell exploded in front of the United States legation, but did not result in injury to the building. The political situation here is unchanged, though several arrests of insurgent sympathizers have been made. Provisions are plentiful.

Vote Soliciting Prohibited

Washington, Jan. 11.—The postoffice department has issued instructions to the postmaster at Boston, prohibiting postal employes from soliciting votes in a competition. A contest has been started there by a newspaper to determine the most popular postal employe by the largest number of votes. A regulation forbids employes from soliciting votes in such contests.

Thrown Down Stairs and Killed

Newark, N. J., Jan. 11.—Owen McGowan of Lowell, Mass., was found dead in bed in a cheap lodging house here with his skull crushed. According to stories told by other lodgers McGowan came by his injuries by being thrown down stairs by Michael Cusick, a watchman, who is held pending an investigation.

A Kentucky Volcano

Owensville, Ky., Jan. 11.—A volcano on Sugar Loaf mountain is assuming alarming proportions. There are five fissures on the side of the mountain from which smoke pours in considerable volume, accompanied by a deep rumbling noise. All the trees in the vicinity are blasted and splintered.

BLOCKED BY ICE

Ineffectual Efforts of Steamer to Reach Island of Nantucket

Nantucket, Mass., Jan. 11.—The hopes of the residents of the island of Nantucket of receiving supplies from the mainland and of themselves being able to leave this ice-bound place again were shattered when the steamer Nantucket, after a determined attempt to reach here from Wood's Hole, was forced to return on account of the ice fields.

Telegraphic messages having warned the residents of the island that the steamer was to make a trial to sail here, large numbers of people gathered at the water front in the harbor to watch the vessel's approach. The steamer was finally sighted feeling her way cautiously through great pieces of drifting ice. For three hours the battle between the boat and the ice and snow was waged. At times the steamer seemed to have gained the advantage sought, but then in a moment the steamer would have to be swerved suddenly from her course for self-protection.

At the end of three hours of interesting and rather exciting maneuvers, the Nantucket headed back for Wood's Hole and the hundreds of islanders went to their homes much disappointed. In addition to the supplies on board the steamer, the residents were eagerly anticipating the mail.

Congressional Forecast

Washington, Jan. 11.—The senate resumed consideration of the Penrose and Carmack resolutions for an investigation of irregularities in the postoffice department at the beginning of today's session. There are still some Democratic senators who desire to be heard on this matter. The nomination of Mr. Buchanan as minister to Panama remains unacted on, and discussion of it will be resumed at the next executive session of the senate.

The house during the present week will pass the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill. The indications now are that the urgent deficiency bill, the next to follow, will be reported to the house the last of this week or the first of next.

Weather Badly Twisted

Salt Lake City, Jan. 11.—The phenomenon of a mid-winter thunderstorm, accompanied by heavy snow, was experienced in Salt Lake City last night. Vivid flashes of lightning were accompanied by heavy thunder, continuing for nearly half an hour. A gale which came with the thunderstorm reached a velocity of over 30 miles an hour at times and was accompanied by heavy snow and hail which was driven in blinding sheets. Telegraph service throughout this section is prostrated by the storm.

Two Men Slashed by Marine

Portsmouth, Jan. 11.—As a result of a fight between citizens and marines at the Portsmouth ferry dock Lawson Cuddy and Joseph Flynn were fatally cut and four marines are held pending the result of the men's injuries. Just what caused the row is not yet known, but it started suddenly and in an instant there was a general fight in which 50 citizens and marines equally engaged. One of the marines, Robert Dadden, the police charge, slashed right and left with a razor.

Confesses Killing of Two Men

Salt Lake City, Jan. 11.—John M. Shockley has made a full confession of the murder of Motorman Gleason and Conductor Brighton, who were shot and killed by a lone highwayman who attempted to rob their car late Wednesday night. Shockley declares he had no intention of killing his victims, but they put up such a vigorous fight when he attempted to rob them that he was forced to shoot them in self-defense.

A Walkover For Hanna

Columbus, O., Jan. 11.—Senator Hanna arrived here last evening and will remain until after his re-election to the United States senate next Wednesday. He will be returned to the senate by the largest majority ever given a candidate, the Republicans having a majority of 91 on joint ballot, the total number of members being 143. The Democratic members will vote for John H. Clarke.

Death of General Gordon

Atlanta, Jan. 11.—Lieutenant General John B. Gordon died at his winter home near Miami, Fla. His fatal illness, which overtook him last Wednesday, was congestion of the stomach and liver, following an acute attack of indigestion, to which he was subject. General Gordon was born in Georgia in 1832, of Scotch ancestry, which had a prominent part in the revolutionary war.

Insane Man to Be Deported

New York, Jan. 11.—Jerman Kehl of Conception, Chili, is to be deported to Chili. He was brought to this city from the government hospital for the insane at Washington. Kehl went to Washington to endeavor to have certain inventions patented. He was arrested at the White House on Dec. 23 for trying to make his way through the guards to see President Roosevelt.

Still Working on Airship

Washington, Jan. 11.—Professor Langley and his assistants expect to be able to complete the airship, twice launched and twice wrecked, in time for its entrance in the flying machine competition at the St. Louis exposition.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Tuesday, Jan. 12.

Sun rises—7:13; sets—4:32.

Moon sets—2:31 a. m.

High water—7 a. m.; 7:30 p. m.

The area of low pressure that was central in southeastern Kansas appears to be dissipating in light rains and snows. It will be fair in New England, with moderate temperatures.

It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.

Hote Greenleaf

Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.

Dining Room Strictly First Class.

MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.

Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN

DENTIST,

Opposite Post Office,

1355 Hancock St., Quincy.

OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.

Jan. 31. tf

JAMES F. BURKE,

REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.

MORTGAGES.

Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.

Room 4, Savings Bank Building.

June 5. tf

MAIN SPRINGS

Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.

Work called for and delivered.

SANDBERG BROS.,

Faxon Block, Quincy.

Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

JOHN STREIFERD & SON,

FLORISTS.

Telephone 13-7 Braintree.

Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.

Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

CARD.

Mrs. F. H. Hewins,

Formerly in the :—

Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations

METHOD OF THE SHENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.

Offices:

128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.

Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903. tf

Hardware Supply Co.,

1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES

Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,

GIRLS' SLEDS,

SNOW SHOVELS,

SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,

COAL SIEVES,

COAL HODS,

SAWS and

SAW HORSES.

Dec. 29. tf

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

CHARLES N. DESHAYES,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Louis Bernier of Quincy, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-seventh day of January, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in said estate, seven days at least before said Court

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

Jan. 7.

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.
Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

ANNOUNCEMENT.

EBEN HARDY,
Manufacturing
OPTICIAN . .

21 Bromfield street, Boston, has opene a Jewelry and Optical store at 307 Newport ave- Wollaston, opposite the depot.

Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silver Ware, Opera, Field and Marine Glasses.

Eyes examined and Glasses fitted. Broken Lenses matched and replaced in our own factory.
Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired by first-class workmen. All work guaranteed.
French Clocks called for and delivered. Send postal and we will call.

EBEN HARDY,
OPTICIAN,
370 Newport Ave., Wollaston.
Dec.15—1m

DANCING.
COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.

BASKET BALL
AND DANCING
THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all former pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

... for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For further particulars apply to ELMER W BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER.
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

Famous Authors

We have secured for early publication a number of short stories by the following distinguished writers:

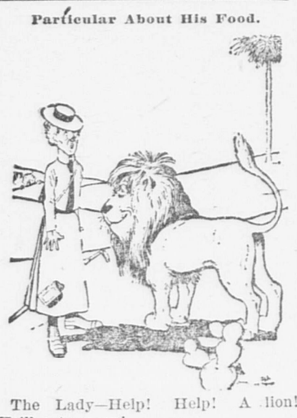
Jack London
Will N. Harben
Bret Harte
Shan Bullock
Henry Seton Merriman
Maximilian Foster
Edith Wyatt
A. W. Whiteford
Herman Whitaker
J. P. Coughlan

Every story copyrighted and illustrated, Keep your eye on our columns.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:
BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 284 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Particular About His Food.



The Lady—Help! Help! A lion! He'll eat me up!
The Lion—Don't worry, ma'am. Twenty years ago, perhaps!

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	32	4	26	43	43
Monday,	30	8	36	26	42
Tuesday,	—	11	31	37	31
Wednesday,	—	24	21	34	20
Thursday,	—	35	26	34	30
Friday,	—	27	35	40	33
Saturday,	—	33	40	45	36

New Advertisements Today.

Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Side Boards.
Mortgagee's Sale.
Experienced Coatmaker wishes work.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Probably rain or snow tomorrow.

Mrs. Charles E. Snow, is confined to her home with catarrhal bronchitis.

Miss Etta Brown is confined to her home on Washington street with tonsilitis.

David Edgarton of South Central avenue, Wollaston, is confined to his home, seriously ill.

Letter Carrier F. P. Loud has been confined to his home the past week, a sufferer with rheumatism.

Mrs. B. Porterfield will give a matinee whist at her home on Granite street on Thursday afternoon.

No one should lack for work today as snow shovellers are wanted by the street railway, the city, and others.

Members of the Fire department made a tour of the city on Sunday and cleared the snow from around the hydrants.

Miss Margaret Wallace and Miss Grace Newell of Atlantic have returned from a visit to Washington, D. C.

Mrs. D. J. Leward McCurdy of Cleverly court, has been entertaining Mrs. T. Cosgrove of Malden the past week.

Miss Corlew has returned from New York with new dances and will begin her second quarter at Wollaston tomorrow afternoon.

A large delegation of Maple lodge, K. & L. of H., will leave on the 7.12 train tonight for Charlestown, where they will be the special guest of Waverly lodge.

Mrs. H. H. Lowe, who has been at the City Hospital the past three weeks, has been moved to the home of her daughter Mrs. Howard Spear of Granite street.

Leonard C. Hewson, who underwent an operation at the City Hospital for appendicitis four weeks ago, is improving rapidly and will be moved to his home on Newcomb place on Wednesday.

Division 5, Ancient Order of Hibernians, will give a whist party and an entertainment in Hibernian hall on Friday evening. It is expected that several county officers will be there.

Mr. Obadiah B. Saunders, a well known resident of Wollaston, died at his home on Vassel street Saturday night after a long illness, aged 59 years. He was a member of Framingham lodge of Odd Fellows and Hodenasnee tribe of Red Men. He leaves a family.

City Council this evening.

Everett Gomez of Edwards street has gone to New York, on a business trip.

Alfred Mead of Hose 4 has as assistant driver Milton D. Kelley.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Prout of Goddard street, Sunday, Jan. 3.

Miss Ethel Hill of Walker street will give a whist party for several of her friends this evening.

The Milton A. C. basket ball team was defeated at Dedham on Saturday evening by Dedham A. A. 22 to 12.

Burt Morton has been promoted from conductor to sub-starter of the street railway and stationed in City Square.

The Squantum cars had a holiday over Saturday and Sunday on account of the storm. They ran on time this morning, however.

Col. Edward Anderson will give his lecture on Labrador at the Quincy Point church on Thursday evening, following the supper.

The Tubular Rivet bowling team continues at the top of the Mercantile league of Boston, but the Farley Harvey team is a dangerous rival.

"Russia Illustrated" will be Rev. Peter McQueen's subject in the Quincy Teachers Association course at High School hall Wednesday evening.

The meeting of the Smart Set whist club will be postponed this week owing to the illness of Miss Corinna Wilde, who was to have entertained the club.

Sunday noon a train of eight open cars and a gang of fifty or more Italians arrived at the Quincy depot, and the cars were quickly loaded and the snow carted off.

Master Wellington Reed of Squantum street whose life was despaired of last Thursday, is still living, although no hope of his recovery is given by the doctors.

At the end of the first half the People's Institute team of Roxbury refused to continue their game with the St. Mary's on Saturday evening, because of playing rules, and the game was forfeited to the St. Marys 9 to 0.

Patrick Barry of Atlantic, who has taken Dennis O'Neil's place as street over-seer, pro tem, kept the sidewalks in fine conditien all during the storm on Saturday. The snow plough had to be drawn by tandem horses.

The addition of a new patrolman in City Square during the early morning hours meets with universal favor among the business men. The appointment of Charles T. Crooker to the position gives general satisfaction and he is undoubtedly the right man for the place.

AT RIPE OLD AGE.

Mrs. James Baxter of Adams Street Passes Away.

Mrs. Mary Ann, widow of James Baxter, died this morning at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Theophilus King of Adams street. Mrs. Baxter was nearly 93 years of age and probably the oldest lady in Quincy. She was a most estimable lady was highly esteemed by all who knew her.

Mrs. Baxter was the daughter of Mr. Ralph and Mrs. Ann (Richards) Twombly and was born in Durham, N. H., May 19, 1811. Her husband died some years ago, and she has continued to live at old homestead, now the home of her daughter. Funeral services will be held Wednesday.

Lightship Missing.

A dispatch from Norfolk, Va., says nothing is known concerning the fate of lightship number 72 stationed at Diamond Shoals. She was built by the Fore River Co., and was equipped with steam power. No grave fears of her are entertained as she has frequently been blown from her anchorage.

—Rev. Harry W. Kimball began his pastorate at the Union Congregational church, South Weymouth, on Sunday.

BORN.

PROUT—In South Quincy, Jan. 3, a daughter to Mr and Mrs. George Prout of Goddard street.

DIED.

BAXTER—In Quincy, Jan. 11, Mrs. Mary Ann widow of James Baxter, and daughter of Ralph and Ann Richards Twombly. Born in Durham, N. H, May 19, 1811. Services on Wednesday at 3.15 P. M. Relatives and friends are invited, and requested not to send flowers.
SANDERS—In Wollaston, Jan. 9, Mr. Obadiah B. Saunders of Vassel street, aged 59 years.
CONKEY—In Braintree, Jan. 10, Mr. Albert H. Conkey, aged 28 years.
HOLLIS—In Braintree, Jan. 10, Irene I., daughter of Mr. Chester L. Hollis, aged 11 months and 12 days.
RILEY—In Randolph, Jan. 10, Miss Margaret Louise, daughter of Mr. James and the late Margaret T. Riley aged 33 years.
SIAS—In East Milton, Jan. 10, Mrs. Mary C., widow of Mr. Samuel Sias, of Bryant avenue, aged 80 years.
COOK—In Marshfield, Jan. 8, Mrs. Hannah (Decrow) Cook, aged 86 years, 4 months and 18 days.
PETERSON In Westboro, Jan. 9, Mrs. Catherine Peterson, of Quincy, aged 57 years.

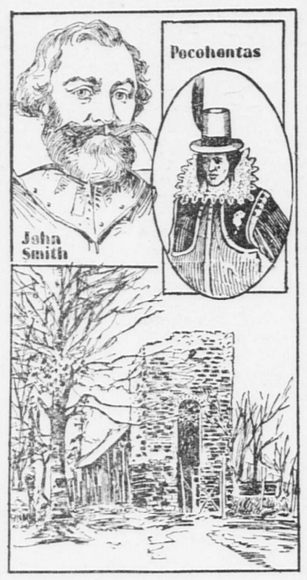
THE NATION'S CRADLE

HISTORIC JAMESTOWN, WHERE THE FIRST SETTLERS LANDED.

Plans For the Celebration of the Three Hundredth Anniversary of the Coming of the Virginia Pioneers—The Proposed Exposition.

[Special Correspondence.]

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 4.—On May 13, 1607, about 100 valiant Britons sailed up the Powhatan river, now the James, and landed on a low island divided from the mainland of Virginia by a swamp and there built a town which they named Jamestown in honor of their king, thus establishing the first permanent white colony on the soil of



RUINS OF OLD CHURCH AT JAMESTOWN.

North America. The three hundredth anniversary of that event, which was scarcely less important in its results than the discovery of the continent, will be celebrated in the summer of 1907 by an exposition, held under the auspices of a corporation chartered by the legislature of Virginia, of which General Fitz-Hugh Lee is president.

For obvious reasons the exposition will not be located on the exact spot where the pioneers landed. Though designed to be "the metropolis of Virginia, as the most ancient and convenient place," Jamestown was never metropolitan in its proportions. In its palmiest days it probably never contained more than three or four score houses and a resident population of over 250 souls. Save a few scattered ruins nothing now remains of Jamestown, the island having been practically abandoned some years ago. The most notable ruin is that of the ancient church whose crumbling stones attest the religious devotion of the earliest settlers. In this church was solemnized the first English wedding in America, when the Indian princess Pocahontas, who had previously saved Captain John Smith's life, plighted troth with Master John Rolfe, her two brothers in their war paint being the witnesses. Rolfe, who is described in the records of the time as "a gentleman of good understanding," became enamored of the dusky maiden and besought her to marry him. At first she declined, but, having received news that Captain John Smith, with whom she was in love, had been killed in a sea fight, she promised to become Rolfe's wife. The marriage was solemnized in April, 1613, and the union gained the permanent friendship of Powhatan, and his nearest neighbors, the Chickahominies, being apprised of it, declared themselves the subjects of King James.

But the story of Pocahontas is only incidental to the proposed exposition which will be held on the shores of the unsurpassed harbor of Hampton Roads, where an exceptionally fine site, embracing 250 acres of land, has been secured. It has a frontage of 5,000 feet on the roads and is known as Sewall's Point, being about six miles directly north of this city and connected with it by a trolley line. During the civil war it was occupied by formidable fortifications, traces of which may yet be seen. The government still maintains earthworks there to protect the entrance to Hampton Roads, and the trolley railroad company has built a sort of pleasure resort for the people of Norfolk.

Here the exposition company will erect extensive hotels for the accommodation of visitors as well as the exposition buildings, which will be imposing and beautiful. The railways which enter Norfolk, the Southern, Atlantic Coast Line, Seaboard Air Line and Norfolk and Western, will build a joint branch to the exposition grounds and lay out terminals between them and Norfolk, but the most convenient way of approach for visitors will be by boat from Norfolk, Newport News or Old Point Comfort, which are reached by the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad, and from Cape Charles, which has direct railway connections with Wilmington and Philadelphia.

The site of the first settlement is thirty-seven miles from Sewall's Point up the James river and can be reached also by the Chesapeake and Ohio railway from Williamsburg, which is nine miles distant. A trolley railway is being constructed to connect Yorktown and the other places upon the peninsula between the James and York rivers and will be built down to James Island. While there is very little local traffic for such a road it will be a boon to the tourists and historical students, who can find in that locality some of the most interesting scenes and associations in all America.

L. N. LASKER.

THE LOAN OF A NICKEL

[Original.]

The trolley car conductor was coming, clinking his puncher as he came. I took a nickel out of my vest pocket; a lady who sat next to me opened a hand satchel, but, not finding what she expected, was evidently much distressed. Nearer came the puncher and more disturbed appeared the lady.

"Fare," said the conductor.

"I handed him 10 cents. Supposing that I was paying for the lady beside me, he punched twice and passed on.

"Will you kindly give me your address?" asked the lady. "I wish to return your loan."

"What loan?" I asked.

"You paid my fare."

"Rather say the conductor made a mistake."

"Your address, please."

I took out my card with my address engraved upon it and handed it to her.

The next day a messenger brought me an envelope containing a nickel.

A couple of weeks later I received by mail a ticket marked "Complimentary" to an amateur entertainment given for charity. I was puzzled. Such tickets are not usually complimentary. Besides, I was abundantly able to pay. Curious to learn more of the matter, I attended the show, which was given in a small theater. My seat was one of the best in the house, right in among the creme de la creme. Beside me sat a lady, who looked at me as if she wondered how I, not in the swim—I was a newcomer to the city—could have got into that part of the house. I looked over the audience with a lorgnette, but saw no one I had ever seen before. When the performance was over I left the theater no wiser than when I entered it.

On reaching my rooms I put my gloves in my overcoat pocket and felt a small parcel. Unwrapping it, I opened a little pasteboard box and took out a scarf pin of a unique design. There was nothing to identify it, and I concluded it must have been placed there by mistake when my coat was hanging in some public place. After that I thought nothing of either mystery, though I longed for one glimpse of the woman I had loaned a nickel.

Two years later I was traveling in a railway carriage in England, and, though it was early in the afternoon, I fell asleep. When I awoke I noticed that there had been a change in the occupancy of the compartment. Before me sat a lady, and the moment I looked at her I saw that she was the woman whose street car fare I had paid. Her eyes were bent on a book, and she gave no sign of being aware of the presence of one she had met before. Since she was not looking at me, I had plenty of opportunity to look at her.

Now, I defy any one to be looked at by one in whom he or she is interested and not betray consciousness of the fact. It seemed to me that the lady was reading very rapidly. I waited to see how she would act when her glance fell upon me. She did not seem inclined to put down the book and when she did so took pains to avoid seeing me. My diagnosis of her actions was that she had recognized me, but did not wish to give me a chance to open an acquaintance. Then the guard put his head in and said:

"Tickets!"

Here was a pretty chance for revenge. I fumbled in my pocket for a ticket which I purposely failed to find, watching the lady's expression as I did so. She showed no especial interest in my discomfiture, but turned and whispered something to an elderly man, her father, beside her.

"What? Um! Can I be of any assistance to you, sir?"

"I am sorry to trouble you, but my funds are all in letters of credit and"—

"Permit me, sir." And, taking out his pocketbook, he asked, "To what point?"

"I am traveling for pleasure, and it doesn't matter. I shall stop where you stop, draw money, and then I will not inconvenience myself by having to send you the amount of your loan."

"As you wish, sir." Then to the conductor, "Ticket to Edinburgh, please," and my fare was paid.

I proposed to keep in touch with the travelers till I could learn more about the lady, who gave no evidence whatever of seeing anything in the incident to point to a former incident. I exchanged cards with her father with thanks.

On the evening of my arrival at Edinburgh I called on my benefactor to return my loan. He had gone out, but his daughter responded to my card. As she entered the room I saw her cast a quick glance at the pin I wore in my scarf, then look away in evident fear that I had noticed her interest in it. The pin was the one I had found in my own coat pocket after the charity entertainment at the theater. A sudden revelation flashed through my brain. It had been put in my overcoat pocket by the lady who sat next to me in the theater, who was her confederate.

"I am fortunate," I said, "in the opportunity to thank you for a delightful evening several years ago at a theater and for the beautiful souvenir you gave me of the occasion."

There was a flush of scarlet; then, recovering herself, she said:

"They were in acknowledgment of the loan you made me in a street car and especially for the delicate manner in which you made it."

Nevertheless I was not so modest as to consider the favors she had shown me a mere return of the loan of a nickel. I made the most of the situation, and after a tour in company with her and her father we returned to America to celebrate our wedding.

ALBERT COSWELL.

IF YOU WANT PLAIN OR FANCY
CHEESE
GO TO THE
Meadowbrook Creamery,
QUINCY, MASS.
Most Complete Line in the City.

ODD FELLOWS LOSE.

Capt. James Eddy Also Killed at Fire at Plymouth.

The Opera House, so called, at Plymouth was destroyed by fire on Sunday and Capt. James Eddy of Engine 2 was suffiocated by smoke while in the basement and his body was not recovered until two hours later.

The building was owned by the Odd Fellows and Mayflower lodge occupied the second floor. The Odd Fellows loss is estimated at $30,000.

The first floor was occupied by stores and the losses are placed as follows:

N. Shaw, grocer, $10,000.
W. G. Snow, furniture dealer, $4000.
Hathaway & Sampson, hardware and plumbing, $4000.
William Wilde, music room and confectionery store, $2000.
Plymouth Business college, $15,000.

The fire was discovered at 8 A. M., and the local department was unable to cope with it successfully. Four engines pumped water on the flames all day, but were unable to extinguish the flames, and the fire burned itself out late in the evening.

It was in the early stages of the fire that Capt. Eddy made his way into the cellar in the face of blinding smoke, against the remonstrance of James Kierstand, and that was the last seen of him alive.

The building two and one-half story frame structure, formerly known as the "Opera House", was situated at the corner of Main street and the town square on the site of the early residence of Gov. William Bradford.

Capt. Eddy was 58 years of age and has been a fireman several years. He leaves a widow and five children.

The Pilgrimage church was at one time in great danger.

The brick block of Sherman & Barnes prevented the spread of the fire to the north.

The large accummulation of snow on the housetops probably prevented a conflagration.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Monday, Jan. 11:

I. C. Belknop, Domenico Giovanni Colaberre, Dalesandro, Adonio Delroni, A. W. Gilmore, Hary Johnson, Joseph Johansson, Michael Pitts W. L. Plumber, Manio Ponti, D. Raihill, Daniel Ward, David Wilkie, Richard B. York.

Mrs. George Converse, Miss Laura W. Hill, Miss Gunhila Kulman, Miss Anna K. Lee, Mrs. Nathaniel Stevens, Mrs. Anna B. Walsh.

Crew Had Narrow Escape

Halifax, Jan. 11.—Steamer Boston arrived at Yarmouth after a stormy passage from Boston. When three miles off Yarmouth light, the Boston picked up the crew of the waterlogged schooner Lizzie Dyas, with lumber. The crew was in desperate straits and had given up hope of rescue.

Democrats Gathering

Washington, Jan. 11.—Democratic campaign leaders are beginning to gather in this city for the meeting of the national committee on Tuesday to select a time and place for the next Democratic national convention. It is believed Chicago is at present in the lead as the convention city.

Gas Explosion Kills Six Men

Winnipeg, Jan. 11.—Dispatches received here state that six men were killed and three injured in an explosion of gas in the Crow's Nest Pass company's mine at Michel, B. C.

—Complaints were made in Seattle, Wash., recently that the fire alarm system of the city was working very badly. Investigation of the boxes showed that yellow-jackets have clogged many of them by deposits of clay, which had hardened.

1904 JANUARY 1904

Su.	Mo.	Tu.	We.	Th.	Fr.	Sa.
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24 31	25	26	27	28	29	30

MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon 3 0:47 a. m.
Third Quarter 9 4:10 p. m.
New Moon 17 10:46 a. m.
First Quarter 25 3:41 p. m.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

EXPERIENCED Coatmaker and Dressmaker would go out by day or take work home. Fine tailorers. Address 656 Washington street, Quincy Point. Jan. 11-3t

WANTED—By a young man, board and room in a private family near city square. Address E., Ledger Office. Jan. 9. 2t

WANTED—In East Milton, a Swedish Girl for general housework who can speak English. Enquire at Ledger office. Jan. 8. 6t

WANTED, LADIES AND GENTS—We pay $12 per 1,000 cash, copying at home; everything furnished; send stamp, Monarch Supply Co., Station 3, Worcester, Mass. Jan. 6-6t

EXPERIENCED HOUSEKEEPER wishes position as housekeeper in widower's small family, or care of invalid, best of references. Address MRS. S. E. HALL, Post Office, Wollaston, Mass. Oct. 20-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Four Pungs; one 4-horse and three 2 horse. Apply to EDWARD BILLINGS, Weymouth. Jan. 9. 3t

FOR SALE—Second hand two seated Sleigh in good condition. JOHN VOGEL, 65 Willard street, West Quincy. Jan. 8. 6t

TO LET.

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent, $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30. lp-tf

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24. tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month

Furnished Lodging Rooms in in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of HotelGreenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust.
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 10. QUINCY, MASS., TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

Only Two Against Big Tax Loan Order.

Provisions Landed at Nantucket Island.

ALL GOODS WILL BE DELIVERED FREE AT RESIDENCES IN QUINCY.

John H. Pray & Sons Co.

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF

FLOOR COVERINGS

Assortment — COMPLETE
Prices — — — RIGHT
Work — — — PROMPT

It is generally known that we are ***Distributors of Floor Coverings*** of every description, and we desire it to be equally well known that we have all grades of ***Upholstery Fabrics, Lace Curtains, Furniture Coverings, etc.***

The advice of an interior decorator is at your service, if desired. Goods displayed either in our show-room or at residences. Estimates furnished for covering single pieces of furniture or for completely decorating either a single room or an entire house.

For eighty-six years, under the same firm name, we have distributed to the public, to our neighbors, to our friends, Carpets and Rugs, and until we added Interior Decorations and Upholstery Fabrics our sole and entire business has been Floor Coverings.

Does not this record make for intelligent confidence on your part?

Pray Building, Washington St., opposite Boylston St. BOSTON

Represented in Quincy by Mr. Otho A. Hayward; in Wollaston by Mr. W. J. Wellington

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON

Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, *Opposite City Hall.*

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

Insured for $2,000,000

L. Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, the eminent merchant of New York and Philadelphia, has taken out a policy in

The Prudential Insurance Co.

for $1,000,000, paying an annual premium of over $20,000. This makes him the most heavily insured man in the world, with the single exception of King Edward VII.

Mr Wanamaker's total insurance is now $2,000,000.

Ask yourself WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed one-half this great amount with The Prudential.

Your business judgment will at once reply: "Because after full investigation and comparison, Mr. Wanamaker found that the company which could give him the best insurance for a given amount of money was The Prudential."

Undoubtedly you will agree that Mr. Wanamaker does not pay over $30,000 per year except for most excellent reasons.

These reasons apply to YOU precisely as well as they do to HIM.

Better apply TODAY for information regarding Prudential policies to

FRANK CHESTER MANN,
General Agent for Eastern Massachusetts
209 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.

HENRY O. FAIRBANKS,
Aug. 27-eod-1y Special Agent.

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.

JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.

HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.

Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

HALL and BURGESS,
Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.

AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.

Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

Old Malden Resident Killed

Malden, Mass., Jan. 12.—Abram G. Hill, aged 65, a prominent and life long resident of this city, was driving a pair of horses when the animals ran away. Hill was thrown from the sleigh and when picked up he was dead. It is thought possible that he was stricken with apoplexy, and, falling over on the reins, started the horses. The horses kept on in their wild flight and dashed through the window of a meat market.

New President of University

Boston, Jan. 12.—William E. Huntington, D. D., who for 20 years has been dean of Boston university, has been elected president of that institution. The office had been vacant since the death of President Warren a year ago. Dr. Huntington is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin and also of the Boston university school of theology. He is about 58 years old.

Escaped In Nightclothes

Orono, Me., Jan. 12.—While five persons were asleep in the house fire broke out in the residence of M. J. Ronan. The building was destroyed. Ronan and his four boarders all were obliged to jump from a second-story window without stopping to dress. The boarders lost all of their personal effects. Ronan's loss is $2000.

Stole Seventy-Five Watches

Boston, Jan. 12.—A sentence of not more than 10 nor less than six years in the state prison was given Joseph Fisher, indicted for larceny of property from a jewelry store. When the police searched Fisher at the time of his arrest 75 watches were found on his person.

JOHN STREIFERD & SON,
FLORISTS.

Telephone 13-7 Braintree.

Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.

Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

CITY COUNCIL

Did Not Know What Else to Do.

Within Few Thousand of Total Levy.

A Careful Review of the Situation by Councilman Bass.

A special meeting of the City Council was held Monday evening that the loan order of $400,000 in anticipation of taxes might be rushed through. After considerable debate the order was passed.

Councilman Johnson was the only absent member.

The oath of office was administered to Councilman Spargo by Clerk Spear.

CONSTABLES.

The Mayor forwarded the following appointments of constables which were confirmed.

William M. Marden, Charles N. Hunt, Joseph W. Hayden, Henry L. Kincaide, Thomas A. Malone, John H. Starr, Nicholas Garbarino, J. White Hayden, Andrew Stewart, Michael Minihan, Edward Frye, Jeremiah Connelly, Henry J. Matthews, Cornelius Driscoll, Seth W. Fiske, Charles H. Tower, Charles H. Johnson, James E. Maxim, William H. Warner, Charles H. Penniman, Andrew Anderson, Edward J. Lennon, James H. Cunningham, Howard D. Hunt, Albert G. Olney, John Hennigan, Charles J. Nord, George W. Taylor, James C. Dowd, Stephen Hannon, John Harkins, Frank H. Pray, Max Ziolkowski, Paul W. Kribs, Peter Josephine, Lemuel Pitts, James C. Porter, William R. Lofgren, William L. Peck, Jeremiah T. Toomey, John Murray, Herbert W. Merrill, Alexander Shirley, George A. McKay, Harry E. Putnam, Charles H. Furbish, William C. Seelye, John Evans and John S. Pitts.

TO BE PRINTED.

The special committee reported favorable on the order for printing the Mayor's inaugural. Rules suspended and order passed.

The special committee reported favorable on the order for printing the calendar of the Council. Rules suspended and order passed.

TAX LOAN ORDER.

The special committee reported favorable on order to borrow $400,000 in anticipation of taxes. Rules suspended.

Councilman Hardwick—This is a matter that should have a great deal of consideration. There were few who know merits of the question.

Councilman Nickerson—No one wants to hurry the matter. Money is needed to pay bills. We have several notes coming due early in the year.

Councilman Hardwick—Are the debts greater or less than last year?

Councilman Nickerson—It strikes me they are greater. We have got $80,000 additional today in notes.

Councilman Bass spoke for nearly half an hour against borrowing so much. We have been called at a special meeting, he said, which emphasizes the financial condition of the city.

We are asked to appropriate nearly half a million and within $12,000 of tax levy of last year. If order passes in present form the executive is free from responsibility. The order will effect many who own homes. The city can only borrow in two ways, against its taxes for current expenses, and against its debt limit. We can incur debts for taxes until taxes come in, but only for current expenses.

An anticipation of tax note is drawn against a particular fund. They put up the tax as collateral for a loan. The proceeds of the tax must not be spent as they are pledged to the money lenders. But that is what we have been doing, that is the reason we had to borrow $80,000 at the end of last year. Tax notes of last year can not be paid out of current expenses this year. We have no right to tax the people this year for them.

We carried over into this year $260,000 of temporary loans, $80,000 of which is against debt limit. We are short in our account unless we collect in back taxes. He believed it poor policy for city to loan money by means of taxes. In order to find enough uncollected taxes to meet this $260,000 we have got to go back four years.

Of the taxes of the years 1900 and 1901 there are $16,000 uncollected. If it is on real estate he was at loss to know why the city had not sold property. If it included poll tax which he understood a good part of it was, they cannot be collected. He did not believe uncollected taxes of 1900 and 1901 good assets.

The only reason the loan order was so large was because it is feared uncollected taxes cannot be got in and he believed it was wanted to meet loan of $80,000 made in 1903. If the Treasurer wants more money later in the year he can come here for it.

He moved to amend by making the amount $300,000 instead of $400,000.

Councilman Nickerson—Do you consider this an illegal order?

Councilman Bass—That is not a proper question.

Councilman Nickerson—I know of no reason why we should take the legal opinion of the Councilman. We have a City Solicitor who has never got us into trouble yet, and why we should have to listen to this legal advise he did not know.

Councilman Bass—This is a unique order, if it is not illegal. It may lead the city government into difficulty.

City Solicitor Blackmar, in reply to a question, said it was a perfectly legal order. That form has been used for at least four years. It has been passed upon by some of the ablest lawyers. It carefully follows letter of statute. It has been passed upon by brokers and the city has been complimented upon having the best form of an order for borrowing on tax levy.

The $400,000 is perfectly legal as long as we have $400,000 uncollected taxes. You are asked to provide money for 1904. The City Treasurer is trying to set aside money to pay loans of 1903 from back taxes. We want the money to pay current expenses.

Councilman Whiton—If the amendment should pass it would leave us $10,000 short of the amount borrowed in anticipation in 1903 not including the $80,000. You may call this loan what you please. It has got to be paid. When the taxes come in they are put into the Treasury. Up to Nov. 1, last year we expended $310,000 for current expenses. In addition to that $80,000 falls due this year. When the Treasurer goes to sell notes the money lenders come pretty near knowing if bonds are all right.

In reply to a question Treasurer Gray said one note of $30,000 came due in February one of $25,000 in March and one of $25,000 in June.

Councilman Bass—These are now in debt limit. You can not pay it out of current expenses. The only proper way is to continue it along until tax comes in.

Councilman Whiton.—It is money we have got to pay. Our current expenses this year will be at least

(Continued on Page 4.)

MILLER'S

4 Quarts Potatoes, .01
2 lbs. Sugar, .01
Can Tomatoes, .01
Pkg. Ginger, .01

Inclosed in our Full Basket Sale

JANUARY 12 to 16.

$2.00, Stamps, With Each BASKET.

$1.00. $1.00.

V. E. MILLER,
CASH GROCER,
pposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass.

ICE EMBARGO

Had Cut Off Island for Nine Days.

The Trip Was a Hazardous One.

Made In a Naptha Launch in Face of Storm Signal.

Nantucket, Mass., Jan. 12.—The ice embargo which has prevented communication with the mainland except by wire since Jan. 2 was partially raised through the efforts of a dozen men, eight of whom were islanders, who made the trip in the naphtha launch Waquoit from Wood's Hole to the western end of the island, where eight were landed last evening, bringing with them a supply of meat and yeastcake. The little launch returned an hour later with 10 passengers who had been prisoners on the island. The supply of meat which was landed will relieve the privation to a great extent. No mail was either taken to the island or brought away. Neither were any newspapers carried down, so that the islanders are without much information as to the world's news except what they can obtain by wire.

The trip of the little naphtha launch was hazardous, as northeast storm warnings were flying when she put out from Wood's Hole. Those on board, however, had comparatively smooth water and clear weather during the entire voyage of 25 miles. On getting down towards the island the Waquoit was headed for Eel Point, and as notice of her coming had been wired ahead a large crowd gathered to give her a warm welcome. At about 3:30 she was sighted plowing her way through the slush-covered sea and half an hour later she had run up to within a few hundred feet of the shore. The landing was made by dories without danger and a half an hour was spent in transferring her little cargo. Ten persons were extremely anxious to reach the mainland, and at 4:30 they were on board and the launch was headed back for Wood's Hole, where she safely arrived.

—A thief had for weeks been stealing incandescent lamps in one of the Parisian theaters. An electrician caught him by arranging the wires so that when a lamp was removed an electric signal informed a man on the watch. When caught the rogue had two burners in his pockets.

FIRST CHURCH SOCIAL CLUB
FIRST ENTERTAINMENT,
FRIDAY EVENING at 8 o'clock
In the *CHAPEL* by the
Wollaston Glee Club,
25 Voices.
JOHN HARRIS GUTTERSON
In informal and amusing sketches.
ALSO LOCAL TALENT.
Single Tickets, 50 cents.
Can be obtained at the office of Mr L. S. Anderson, Savings Bank Building, between the hours of 8 to 12 A. M. and 2 to 5 P. M.
Jan. 12. 3t

Your Opportunity Has Come.

Again we call Special Attention to our

Second Annual Bargain AND Clearance Sale OF Winter Overcoats

Ulsters, Reefers and Storm Coats.

The rush of the busy season, and season of Profit to us, is all over, and now comes the time for Close Buyers and

BARGAIN SEEKERS.

We propose to keep the business coming as in the past by offering our Winter Stock of Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers and Storm Coats, at prices that force their sale and clean out our stock in preparation for the coming season.

We do not advertise to sell at less than Cost of the Material they are made of, but we do guarantee to sell you at considerable less than than you can buy the same quality for elsewhere.

You are cordially invited to call and examine our Stock whether you wish to purchase or not.

DON'T MISS YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

WE GIVE GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

F. D. FELLOWS CO.,
Reliable Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers
1387 Hancock Street, Quincy.

LONG ISLAND OYSTERS

Solid, 38 cts. quart.

Genuine Quincy Eggs, 45c. dozen.

Meadowbrook Creamery
QUINCY, MASS.

The Only Place in QUINCY

Where you can buy the Famous

WINGOLD FLOUR

Harbor Light Coffee

--AND--

Star Brand Coffee

IS AT THE

CONSOLIDATED
ADAMS BUILDING,
Headquarters for High Grade MEATS and GROCERIES.

MUSIC HALL, - - - QUINCY.

ONE BIG NIGHT, FRIDAY, JAN. 15th, STETSON'S BIG DOUBLE

Uncle Tom's Cabin Co.

The World-Renowned Tennesseeans, Jubilee Singers, in Quartette Refrains, Banjo Playing, Imitations, Camp Meeting Songs, etc.

Cotton Picking and Plantation Scenes in which are introduced many Artists with Laughter-Provoking Specialties.

Pack of Full-blooded Cuban Bloodhounds Trained to take part in the Drama, are used in the Thrilling Scene showing Eliza's Escape from the Slave-Hunters.

Beautiful Tableaux and Transformation Scenes are displayed thr ughout the Play, the one representing Little Eva's Ascent into Heaven, being pronounced by Critics the Finest ever Presented.

PEOPLE'S PRICES, 25, 35, 50c.

Seats now on sale at Music Hall Pharmacy Jan. 9. 6t

F. S. BUXTON,
TEACHER OF VIOLIN

WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.
Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-ly

Hardware Supply Co.,
1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES
Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.

Dec. 29. tf

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple,	$8.00
Dry Pine Wood,	7.00
Dry Pine Slabs,	6.00
Green Hard Wood,	7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.

THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,
Yard between Miller and West Streets.
Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.
Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

Hote Greenleaf
Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
25 years' experience
Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.
Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.
Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Brauscheid & Marien's store.
Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence in Medford.

SKATES SHARPENED.
Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .
24 Granite Street,
NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.
Dec. 21. 1m

WOOD! WOOD! WOOD!
OF ALL KINDS.
DRY AND GREEN
At Lowest Possible Prices.
THOS. O'BRIEN & SONS.
Yard off Miller and West Streets, West Quincy.
Jan. 7. tf

W. G. CHUBBUCK,
Furniture and Piano Mover
IN AND OUT OF TOWN.
Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.
JOBBING.
Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.
lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.
THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price. $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee in ertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF
The Quincy Patriot.
A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the
Braintree Observer and Reporter
A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

Brockton also authorized a loan of $400,000 in anticipation of taxes Monday evening. Brockton is one-third larger than Quincy. A loan of $15,000 was also made for water construction, just one-half the sum annually voted in Quincy.

With a cash balance left over from 1903, and receipts from water rates coming in fast, and only $1,950 of debt maturing in January, there seemed to be considerable undue haste in passing the $400,000 loan order in anticipation of taxes.

"There was expended for the public schools of the State in the last year $12,006,415.09, or $24.71 for each pupil. This does not include the cost of school buildings, but, if that be added, the entire amount expended on the public school system was $15,170,070.48 being $31.24 per pupil, or $4.87 per $1,000 of the total valuation of the state.—Gov. Bates in Inaugural Address.

Had Quincy expended $24.71 per pupil in 1903, the current expenses of the public schools of the city would have been $131,111.26, as the whole number of pupils in the Quincy schools was 5,306.

Yet one reads in the Advertiser, in editorial comments on Mayor's address:

"The main trouble with Quincy has been that our money goes for educational purposes while our numerous other wants go "for rags." There never has been a time when the school committee of Quincy has shown any desire to relieve the city from distress by practising any of the known rules of economy. A new High school may be imperative but with the present building occupied but a portion of the day, the city is not receiving the full return upon its money. We believe that the High school should have two sessions each day and that the school should be so divided that it would accommodate twice the number of pupils."

As a matter of fact, the cost of the public schools of Quincy, including 564 pupils in the High school, was just $111,162.25, about $20,000 below the average cost in the State.

This includes salaries of teachers and janitors, books, supplies and sundries, fuel, transportation and even rents for overflows, and evening schools, and all expenses of the schools.

The cost of books supplies, and sundries was but $9,128.82, but $1,327.48 more than the cost of fuel. This was less than eighteen cents per pupil for the year.

If anyone imagines that the High school is occupied but half the day, he should spend a day in the building and he will learn the facts. He will also learn to what great disadvantage the school is conducted, and the great injustice that is being done to the pupils. The necessity of using two buildings, half a mile apart, also increases the cost.

Drift of Opinion.

☞The man who breathes through his nose, keeps his feet dry, avoids drafts and liquor, and observes ordinary rules of hygiene has comparatively little to fear from pneumonia.—New York World.

☞Inside interference by citizens and not outside state legislation would rectify many municipal abuses. Indebtedness, valuations and taxes may, and probably will, increase in all cities, but taxpayer can at least succeed by persistent efforts in ascertaining whether a municipality is getting the worth of its money or whether it is being wasted or dishonestly expended.—Boston Globe.

☞Prof. Langley's latest excuse is knocked out. From the figures available, flying may be considered the easiest of all methods of progression, calling for less power than any other. An example is furnished by storks, which annually make two flights between Buda-Pesth, in Hungary, and Lahore, in India. This is an air line, is 2300 or 2400 miles, and the distance is accomplished in 24 hours without rest.—Lynn Item.

☞When the public has come to fully appreciate that the public schools are but one of the agencies at work to influence the American youth, there will be less carping at the schools. If the verdict of college presidents and of many other thoughtful people is to be accepted it is in the home that boys and girls get their moral bent, and that the schools cannot make up for the deficiencies in the home, though they can and do exereise an influence for good through every earnest, helpful man and woman with whom the child comes in contact in them.—New Bedford Standard.

☞"Serenity," "serenity," "serenity," spoken slowly three times the first thing in the morning as you stand by an open window drawing in long breaths, will put you in a gentle frame of mind. "Tranquillity," "tranquillity," "tranquillity," spoken three times slowly," in the middle of the morning, soothes the ear and rests the head. "Joy and happiness," "joy and happiness," spoken twice slowly and with a smile upon the brow, before the evening meal, bring a gentle expression and a new light upon the countenance. "Peace and rest," whispered gently over and over again when the head is upon the pillow will smooth out the tired wrinkles. Or so says a "St. Cecilia girl." Now a St. Cecilia girl is one, who has peaceful thoughts and whose face mirrors her ideas. It is a sort of inner science. You try to be good because to be good is to be beautiful. The girl who thinks as she should think, who does as she should do, who walks as she should walk, and who talks as she should talk, is sure to be rewarded. And her reward will be seen in her face. There is a great art in being a St. Cecilia girl, for you have to live a pretty even sort of life and keep your temper down or you can never preserve that sweet-faced look." Serenity, tranquillity, joy and happiness, peace and rest, are not easily gotten but they are certainly worth the quest.—New York Sun.

Revival Meeting.

The revival meetings at the United Presbyterian Church, Fort Square, Sunday were very impressive under the powerful sermons of Evangelist Kenyon. Many were moved to tears and many resolved to accept Jesus as their Saviour. Rev. Kenyon does not mince things but lays the line to the plumme. Any man that can listen to Sunday night's sermon and go away thoughtless is very hard indeed—"gospel hardened."

The sermon in the morning was three views of Mary's life, the sister of Lazarus: Mary at Jesus feet, as a learner; Mary at Jesus feet, as a beseecher; Mary at Jesus feet, anointing Him.

In the evening it was on the "Fall of man." The nature, extent, and result of the fall.

Rev. Kenyon will preach each evening this week. He will have some of his singers and helpers from Lynn, to help him.

Mr. Hunter sang two very impressive solos.

The Junior and Senior choirs gave splendid satisfaction.

It is hoped that the citizens of Quincy will avail themselves of the blessing at their doors.

Express Train Jumped Rails

New York, Jan. 12.—A Chicago and New York limited express was wrecked at Sands Switch, about 50 miles east of Binghamton. The whole train, consisting of locomotive, tender and baggage and passenger cars, left the rails from some cause not yet determined. Seven passengers were injured, but none fatally.

All Hands Safely Landed

Lewes, Del., Jan. 12.—The British bark Coudiebank, Captain Walker, went ashore last evening off Rehoboth. Six of her crew came ashore in the ship's boat and life saving crews rescued the other 20 members of the crew and one woman in the breeches buoy. The vessel will probably be saved.

Against Marrying Divorcees

Cleveland, Jan. 12.—The City Ministers' Union, composed of a large number of prominent Protestant clergymen, has adopted resolutions against the remarriage of divorced persons. Exception is made only in the case of the innocent party, and divorce is permitted only on scriptural grounds.

The Weather Forecast

Almanic, Wednesday, Jan. 13.
Sun rises—7:13; sets—4:33.
Moon rises—3:30 a. m.
High water—7:45 a. m.; 8:15 p. m.

Seasonal temperatures prevail in the great majority of districts. Rain in the southwest will extend in the Atlantic coast districts. Elsewhere it will be fair.

The remains of an ancient galley have been found six feet below the surface at Tottenham marshes during the excavations for the new reservoirs of East London water company. It is supposed to have belonged to the Danes, who were defeated in Lea valley by King Alfred in 894 A. D.

Scrofula

Few are entirely free from it.

It may develop so slowly as to cause little if any disturbance during the whole period of childhood.

It may then produce irregularity of the stomach and bowels, dyspepsia, catarrh, and marked tendency to consumption before manifesting itself in much cutaneous eruption or glandular swelling.

It is best to be sure that you are quite free from it, and for its complete eradication you can rely on

Hood's Sarsaparilla

The best of all medicines for all humors.

IS OPPOSED TO WAR

Czar Said to Refuse to Believe That It Will Come

HIS WISHES REASONABLE

Outline of Russian Proposals to Japan For a Settlement of the Far Eastern Difficulty--Alexieff's Gloomy View of Future

Berlin, Jan. 12.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Lokal Anzeiger gives a much more serious view of the far eastern situation than has hitherto emanated from that capital. The correspondent says that he has authentic information that those in official circles entertain a greater concern over the difficulties between Russia and Japan than they have heretofore allowed to become known to the public and he says he suspects that the utterances of the press have been optimistically colored in order to conceal this official disquiet.

The correspondent goes on to say that the czar takes the keenest interest in bringing order into the complicated situation and that he insists that an unvarnished report shall be made public.

Count Lamsdorff, the foreign minister, General Kuropatkin, the minister of war, and M. Avasa, chairman of the committee on East Asiatic affairs, assembled to draw up a communication which will be soon published in The Government Messenger. This communication will give a complete story of the negotiations with Japan, including the latest developments. The correspondent says:

"The czar wishes, as he told Count Lamsdorff, the whole truth shall be given to the public. He is personally against war and refuses to believe that it will come. He hopes to convince Japan that Russia's wishes are reasonable and must be respected. Accordingly, the communication chiefly embraces five points:

"First, Japan will get various concessions in Corea.

"Second, in South Corea the Japanese can act not only in their interests, but they can adopt strategic measures corresponding with these interests.

"Third, Russia allows Japan full commercial freedom of action in North Corea, but Japan must not permanently occupy fortified towns either to the north or south, and neither on the coast or in the interior.

Fourth, a neutral zone of 50 kilometres broad is to be created between Corea and Manchuria along the Yalu and Tumen rivers, in which neither Russia nor Japan can establish fortified positions; also that the strait between Japan and Korea shall be neutral, thus giving free ingress and egress to Russian vessels.

"Fifth, In reference to Manchuria Russia accepts no conditions, but declares that she is ready to permit Japan and other powers to represent their interests embracing the open door for Mukden and New Chwang.

"The czar personally edited and corrected the above points of the communication."

The Lokal Anzeiger's correspondent adds that Admiral Alexieff, the Russian viceroy in the far east, has of late been sending two or three comprehensive dispatches daily to the government, in which he takes a gloomy view of future developments. The war idea is unpopular in Russia, but it is feared that some untoward incident may occur any day which will make it inevitable for Russia to become fully convinced of Japan's warlike intentions.

A Warlike Communication

London, Jan. 12.—The Times Pekin correspondent says that the Chinese minister at Tokio, at the request of the Japanese foreign office, telegraphed the following communication to Prince Ching:

"The second Russian reply to the Japanese proposals has been received at Tokio, but it is unfavorable and cannot be accepted by Japan, who will, unless Russia recedes, be compelled to promptly resort to arms.

"In view of such an eventuality Japan urges and expects China to maintain the strictest neutrality, to preserve order throughout the empire, to guard the foreigners resident in the inserve order in the provinces of Shan Tung and Yunnan, lest foreign powers might seize the pretext of disorder and make aggressive movements therein."

The correspondent says that the dispatch has deeply impressed the Chinese, who now believe war to be inevitable.

A More Hopeful Feeling

London, Jan. 12.—Special dispatches both from St. Petersburg and Tokio take rather a calmer view of the situation. The view taken in European capitals, based on the outlines of the Russian proposals published in Berlin and the incidents of the past few days, is that although Russia has not modified her demands she is displaying a more conciliatory tone and a willingness to negotiate, which is attributed to the czar's personal influence on the side of peace.

New Treaty a Factor

Vienna, Jan. 12.—A favorable impression has been created here by China's ratification at this juncture of the treaty with the United States. Mr. Makino, the Japanese minister, says that this measure is bound to exert a strong moral effect, and that the most opportune moment was chosen to consummate it.

LAW WAS VIOLATED

Boston Woman Pays $200,000 Duties on Art Treasures

Washington, Jan. 12.—It is learned here that in 1898 Mrs. John L. Gardner of Boston began the importation of sculpture, paintings and other works of art which were admitted free of duty on the ground that they were intended for public exhibition. It is understood that the importation aggregated about $1,000,000. About a month or more ago the treasury department began to receive complaints from citizens of Boston to the effect that while the pictures and works of art were supposed to be on exhibition, they were unable to see them and that the facts were that the exhibition halls in which the works of art were placed were opened to the public only for a few hours each month during the winter season and then only on the payment of admission fee.

The matter was referred to special agents of the treasury department who went to Boston and made an investigation. The facts were then placed before the department of justice, which placed the matter in the hands of the United States attorney in Boston, who reported that the law had been violated. Proceedings were about to be instituted when Mrs. Gardner paid the duties under the law, amounting to about $200,000.

An Unusual Court Event

Macon, Ga., Jan. 12.—Judge Speer, in the United States court here, declared the court adjourned until after the funeral of General Gordon. In his remarks the judge said: "In honor of such a noble and unselfish man, of such a generous and broad-minded American, no department of government can do too much. This court of the general government will stand adjourned until the mortal remains of our illustrious countryman shall be committed to a hallowed rest in the soil of the state and country he loved and served so well."

To Be Specially Considered

Chicago, Jan. 12.—It was expected that the city council last night would definitely determine the exact nature of the alterations which would be demanded in all Chicago playhouses before they were again allowed to open, but business was so great that it was decided to make the ordinance subject for a special meeting of the council. The inquest over victims of the Iroquois theatre fire continues, but no new testimony has been elicited.

Minister Admits Forgery

New York, Jan. 12.—Rev. C. A. Alden, formerly a clerk in the charities department, pleaded guilty to forgery and was remanded until Friday for sentence. Alden disappeared from the city when charges were made that his accounts were $4000 short. Subsequently he returned and was indicted for forgery in signing the name of J. L. Collins to a bank check.

A Place Seldom Heard From

Washington, Jan. 12.—The postoffice at Coldfoot, Alaska, is one of the most northerly stations of the United States. The postmaster is a woman, who receives and sends out 10 mails each year. Commissioner McKenzie of Coldfoot is in Washington to urge upon the authorities the necessity of improving the transportation facilities of Alaska.

Many Victims of Pneumonia

New York, Jan. 12.—Deaths from pneumonia in this city last week, aggregating 364, are causing the department of health to adopt energetic means to check the progress of the disease. Commissioner Darlington thinks that the habit of expectorating in public places has much to do with bringing on the disease.

Contributions Not Needed

Butler, Pa., Jan. 12.—The general relief committee which has had charge of all contributions and directed the relief work during the prevalence of the typhoid fever epidemic in this city has issued a statement to the public in which they state that the necessity for further contributions has passed.

Stricken With Apoplexy

Columbus, O., Jan. 12.—Former Governor Asa S. Bushnell was stricken with apoplexy last evening just as he arrived at the union station to take a train for his home in Springfield. His condition is critical. Physicians hold out little hope for recovery.

Bribery In School Board

Syracuse, Jan. 12.—Dr. E. L. Mooney, a Republican member of the Syracuse board of education, was arraigned in court on the charge of receiving a bribe of $30 for the appointment of a high school teacher. His plea was reserved until Wednesday.

Philippine Officials Move Up

Washington, Jan. 12.—The senate confirmed the following nominations: W. H. Taft of Ohio, secretary of war; L. E. Wright, Tennessee, civil governor of the Philippine islands; H. C. Ide, Vermont, vice governor of the Philippine islands.

NEWS IN BRIEF

General C. H. Barney died at Hackensack, N. J., of spinal meningitis, aged 60. He served through the Civil war as lieutenant.

Chandos Fulton, one time theatrical manager and writer, and author of a history of the Democratic party and other works, died at New York. He was 58 years old and unmarried.

The Protestant Missionary society of New York has purchased 55 acres of land in Milford, Conn., to be used as a summer home for the society.

The derailment of three freight cars at Scarboro, Me., crossing blocked the tracks for several hours.

Side Boards and Buffets.

The Side Board adds the finishing touch to the furnishing of the dining room, and is one of the most convenient and attractive pieces of furniture ever constructed. Long linen drawer, velvet lined, silver drawer, ample cupboard, and in addition to the spacious and useful top are the extra shelves for fancy china, cut glass or silver.

Dainty Buffets with all the conveniences of a side board in condensed space. We show over 50 different styles, each one a gem of the craftman's skill. Prices, $12 00 to $50 00.

A little each week from your earnings and a side board is soon paid for.

GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store.
Hancock Street, Quincy.
We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

NOVELETTES

Will be a Feature for Several Weeks OF THE

SATURDAY EIGHT-PAGE LEDGER.

EVERY STORY IS COPYRIGHTED AND ILLUSTRATED AND ARE BY Distinguished Writers.

Some Are 6 and 7 Columns in Length.

CITY BREVITIES.

Illustrated fashion hints are a feature of the Ledger every day.

The Unitarian club of Wollaston will hold its monthly meeting this evening.

Houghs Neck did not have any electric cars Saturday and Sunday, but they were running Monday and today.

Refreshments will be served at the annual meeting of the Hospital Corporators at Colonial hall next Monday evening.

Another of those fine suppers at the Quincy Point church on Wednesday evening at 6.30, to be followed by a talk on Labrador by Col. Edward Anderson from personal experiences.

The F. D. Fellows Co. has inaugurated its second annual bargin and clearance sale, which includes all the winter stock of overcoats, ulsters, reefers, storm coats, etc. As most of the winter is ahead of us the prices quoted will be appreciated.

Indication of Interest.

"Teacher is interested in you, pa."

"How so?"

"Why, today, after she told me seven times to sit down and behave myself, she said she wondered what sort of a father I had."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Friend.

A friend whom you have been gaining during your whole life you ought not to be displeased with in a moment. A stone is many years becoming a ruby. Take care that you do not destroy it in an instant against another stone.

Happily Married.

"When may a woman be said to be happily married?"

"Not until she has had the pleasure of refusing several men."—Detroit Free Press.

In every family there is a genius who can't prove his genius. Their kind doesn't count.—Atchison Globe.

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you, in 6 to 14 days. 50 cents.

—A most remarkable spring is located on the farm of Mr. Davis in Ellsworth, Me. The spring is located upon a hill and the water is conveyed by a pipe to a watering tub by the roadside. There is an abundant flow of water till about 10 in the morning when it ceases to flow until about 4.30 in the afternoon when it again resumes operations, filling the tub to overflowing with an abundant stream.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

MISS SPEAR'S CLASSES,
148 Goffe Street.
Kindergarten and Day pupils received.
Music, Art, Sloyd, Basketry, Gymnastics, Shorthand and Tutoring taught by experts.
C. FOLLETT SPEAR, Directress.
Voice, Piano and Harmony. Oct. 15-3m

Worms

Hundreds of children and adults have worms, but are treated for other diseases. The symptoms are:—indigestion, with a variable appetite; foul tongue; offensive breath; hard and full belly with occasional gripings and pains about the navel; eyes heavy and dull; itching of the nose; short, dry cough; grinding of the teeth; starting during sleep; slow fever; and often in children, convulsions.

TRUE'S ELIXIR

is the best worm remedy made. It has been in use since 1851. Is purely vegetable, harmless and effectual. Where no worms are present it acts as a Tonic, and corrects the condition of the mucous membrane of the stomach and bowels. A positive cure for Constipation and Biliousness, and a valuable remedy in all the common complaints of children. Price 35 cts. Ask your druggist for it.

Dr. J. F. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Me.
Special treatment for Tape Worms. Free Pamphlet.

Mortgagees' Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by George W. Rackham to Charles C. Barton and Harry N. Squires, Trustees of the Manet Land Associates, dated August 2d, 1901, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Libro 904, Page 16, for breach of the condi ions thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction on the premises hereinafter described on THURSDAY, the 28th day of January, 1904, at 2 o'clock P. M., all and singular the following premises as described by said mortgage deed:

"A certain parcel of land situated in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth, comprising the lot numbered five (5) in Section two (2) as shown on the plan entitled "Plan of Sea Shore Lots at Houghs Neck, Quincy, Mass., 1891, H. T. Whitman, Surveyor," owned by the Manet Land Associates and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of Book 668. Said parcel of land is bounded and described as follows, to wit: Northerly by land of owners unknown, fifty (50) feet; easterly by lot numbered four (4) as shown on said plan, ninety (90) feet; southerly by Winthrop street, fifty (50) feet; westerly by lot numbered six (6) as shown on said plan, ninety (90) feet, and containing forty-five hundred square feet of land."

Fifty Dollars ($50) to be paid at the time and place of sale, balance in ten (10) days.

CHARLES C. BARTON, HARRY N. SQUIRES, } Trustees, Mortgagees.

BARTON & BARTON, Attorneys, 82 Devonshire Street, Boston.
Jan. 5. 3t--5-12-19

— OUR —

Capitol Shoe

FOR BOYS.

Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Tan Colt.

Sizes 12 to 2 — $1 75

Sizes 2½ to 5½ — $2.00

The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.

Every Pair Warranted.

GEORGE W. JONES,

Adams Building, - QUINCY.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in al. parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,

DRUGGIST,

1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

A 20 per cent. Reduction.

For dates in January and February the experiment will be tried of giving a special discount of 20 per cent. in the prices of Quincy Music Hall. The price scale as it is, though doubtless seeming high to some, is not really so when a fair account is taken of the many, many expenses of running a large hall and keeping it in first class condition, as well as the fact that at best such a hall can be rented only a small part of the time. The prices of Music Hall are not now changed, merely the experiment is to be made of giving this special discount to engagements coming in these two special months.

The Location is the best of any hall in the city. The street cars pass the door with a turn out right in front of the Hall.

The Floor is of selected maple laid with the greatest care, and is kept in perfect condition being covered with canvas when not used for dancing.

The Ventilation—a most important consideration—is such as to keep the air pure with even a crowded hall and without causing any drafts.

The Hall is Lighted by electricity, brilliantly and pleasantly, and with a switchboard arranged so that all desired effects can be obtained in the Hall proper or on the stage. Gas is used as an auxiliary light.

The Heating is direct—indirect, ample, and giving the most healthful results.

The Stage has been designed with care, and is furnished with a particularly generous supply of attractive and appropriate scenery.

For Advertising, the Music Hall Billboards throughout the City are of very great value

To Darken the Hall, there are special window fittings so that at noonday the Hall can be made as dark as at midnight.

In case of fire there are pails of water and chemical fire extinguishers throughout the Hall. There is an asbestos fire curtain by which the Stage can be instantly cut off from the Hall proper. There are nine (9) doors opening from the Hall and five (5) separate exits.

As a whole, Quincy Music Hall has been carefully planned to meet the requirements of those who wish a *large and really first class Hall.*

QUINCY MUSIC HALL

Dec. 25. tf

If You Have a House to Let

Advertise It in the Ledger.

CONVENTION CALL

Hanna's Delay In Issuing It Is Viewed With Suspicion

HIS SINCERITY DOUBTED

The Longer the Postponement the Greater the Opportunity For the Ohio Senator's Leaven to Work In Republican Masss

Washington, Jan. 12.—Mr. Hanna's sincerity in insisting that he is not a candidate for the presidency is once more called in question. A good many anxious eyes scanned the newspapers for the official call for the Republican National convention to be held in Chicago on June 21. It is understood among practical politicians that the call is usually issued within 30 days of the meeting of the national committee. The Republican national committee met in this city last month and today closed the 31 day period since the ballot was taken on the place and date for the convention.

As Mr. Hanna is chairman of the national committee and has the sayso as to when the call shall be issued, gossip is rife with his reasons for delaying this matter so long. One of the well-established rules of the party is that delegates to national conventions shall not be chosen till 30 days after the call is out. This is designated to prevent snap conventions. Every day that the issue of the call is postponed lessens by one day the period within which the delegates may be chosen, and increases the ease with which the technicalities may be raised that cannot be settled except by the committee on credentials at the national convention itself.

More than that, every day the issue of the call is postponed gives the leaven of Hanna so much longer to work in the Republican mass. The superserviceable friends whom Mr. Hanna is continually blaming for the survival of his "boom" in defiance of his often-expressed wishes could ask for no better encouragement and assistance than he is himself giving them by this delay.

Taking the postponement of the call in connection with the activity of the Hanna boomers in sending ex-Confederates into the south to work upon their reconstructed brethren who are attached to the old Republican machines there, the politicians in Washington are having a great deal to keep their minds busy about these days.

The surest way for Mr. Hanna to restore quiet and convince sceptics that he is not playing a double game would be to get out his call at once. The fact that the president is helpless, at his mercy at this stage of the proceedings, gives an added significance to everything Chairman Hanna does or omits to do.

Chicago Leads For Convention

Washington, Jan. 12.—Convention boomers are much in evidence at the Shoreham hotel. The national Democratic committee meets there today to select the city in which to hold the next national conventon. Chicago, St Lewis and New York are active applicants for convention honors. Among the disinterested observers the impression prevails that Chicago is the choice of a majority of the committee now on the ground.

Increased Rank No Temptation

Washington, Jan. 12.—Three officers of the army recently have declined to go on the retired list with increased rank. These are Brigadier General Weston, Brigadier General Greeley and Brigadier General Randall. Each of the officers was to be made a major general on condition of his immediate retirement, and in each case the offer was declined on the ground that the officer preferred active service to promotion under the conditions.

Consulates Need Overhauling

Washington, Jan. 12.—The president has ordered the state department to make a thorough investigation of United States consulates at Shanghai, Canton and Amoy. For a year the consuls have indulged in mutual recriminations and charges. The charges relate to charges for manifests, for certification of commercial papers and the issue of identification papers to Chinese who have been going into the Philippines.

Father and Son Shot Down

Ardmore, I. T., Jan. 12.—A preacher named Moss and his son were shot and killed near here by Alfred Turner, a stockman, as the result of a misunderstanding over a leased stock field. Turner alleges that young Moss attempted to kill him, when he shot, accidentally killing the elder Moss. He then shot the young man. Turner surrendered.

Cannot Keep Agreement

Toronto, Jan. 12.—A. E. Ames & Co., bankers and brokers, who failed last May with liabilities of $10,000,000, have issued a circular to their creditors stating that a second payment of 25 percent of their indebtedness, promised for Jan. 15, cannot be made. The circular places the firm's present liabilities at $2,307,895.

Drew Funds and Departed

Fonda, N. Y., Jan. 12.—Miss Florence Roseborough, the 19-year-old daughter of a wholesale drygoods merchant of Canajoharie, went to a bank and drew some money deposited in her name and has not since been seen.

INDIANS UNFRIENDLY

Our Warships Off the Isthmus Meet With Scant Courtesy

Colon, Jan. 12.—The Mayflower has just arrived after scouting the coast as far as the Gulf of Darien. The warship stopped at several points along the San Blas coast and found the attitude of the Indians everywhere to be unfriendly. They declined to give information of any sort and even positively refused to sell the ship fruit or fish or anything required.

The officers of the Mayflower were repeatedly asked to leave the coast and were made to understand that the presence of either Panamalans or Americans in their territory was unwelcome to the natives.

A man aboard the Mayflower who speaks Spanish says that in a conversation with an Indian he learned that the Colombians are in league with the San Blas Indians, whom they bought over with money.

The Atlanta, which is still in the vicinity of Porto Bello, has sent out several scouting parties along that coast to learn the mountain trails leading to Colon.

Reyes Takes His Departure

Washington, Jan. 12.—General Rafael Reyes, the Colombian envoy, who has been in Washington in connection with the Panama matter for about a month, left the city at midnight for New York, preparatory to his departure for Colombia in a few days. The departure of Reyes does not constitute the breaking off of diplomatic relations with the United States, but merely the suspension of the negotiations. Whether they will be resumed hereafter is not known. Dr. Herran, the Colombian charge, remains in Washington to attend to legation business other than Panama matters.

Buchanan Confirmation Stands

Washington, Jan. 12.—The senate, in executive session, laid on the table the motion to reconsider the confirmation of the nomination of W. I. Buchanan to be minister to Panama. By this action Buchanan now has full powers to act for this government in any diplomatic exchanges between the United States and the new republic.

Thousand Dervishes Killed

London, Jan. 12.—The war office received a dispatch from Major General Egerton, commanding the Somaliland expeditionary force, dated from Jidballi, Somaliland, Jan. 11, saying that the mullah's forces advanced, but were unable to face a frontal fire, coupled with flank attack. The Dervishes killed are estimated at 1000, mostly in the pursuit. Many prisoners and 400 rifles were taken. Two officers of regulars were killed and nine officers wounded.

Canfield Case Dismissed

Binghamton, N. Y., Jan. 12.—Justice Sewell, in supreme court, dismissed the indictment against Richard A. Canfield in the celebrated gambling case transferred to this district from New York city. It is understood that District Attorney Jerome will seek to have Canfield reindicted on the same charges, and have the case tried after the legislature passes a new law which Jerome is seeking to have passed, whereby he can compel witnesses to testify.

Karo

CORN SYRUP

is not a molasses, but a pure, wholesome syrup *fit to eat.* All grocers, 10c, 25c, 50c.

The Great Spread For Daily Bread.

Corn Products Co., New York and Chicago.

Don't Get Left!

THE BARGAINS IN

Men's and Boys' Clothing

And Furnishings

AT THE

C. F. DERBY Store

Are going rapidly, many lines of goods are ENTIRELY CLOSED OUT.

A few Winter Caps left at 35c., 42c. and 79c

Men's Heavy Working Shirts, 35c. worth 60c

A Lot of Boys' & Children's Suits WILL BE SOLD THIS WEEK.

$5 Suits, $3 75, $3 Suits, $2.25 and Suits as low as 98c.

Men's Suits, 4.49, 6.50, 8 and $10 Worth Double the Money.

Only a few Men's and Boys' OVERCOATS left. Come in and get fitted.

We'll Make the Price RIGHT AT THE

Great Bankrupt Sale

Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

BRYAN AND GARVIN

Each Has Something to Say of Money and Politics

APPEAL TO CONSCIENCE

Nebraskan Thinks Time Will Come When It Will Overcome Mammon--Governor Says Political Corruption Is Universal

New Haven, Jan. 12.—William J. Bryan was the principal guest last night at a banquet here at which about 150 Democrats were present. The occasion was declared by some of its promoters to be intended as a sort of prelude to the opening of the presidential campaign in New England. Mr. Bryan's topic was "A Conscience Campaign." He said in part:

"The word campaign suggests warfare. It is good tactics to strike the enemy where he is weakest and to use the weapons which are most effective. The weak point of every bad policy is that it sacrifices human rights to selfish interests and today to prove a system evil we have only to show that it violates a sense of justice that is satisfied with nothing less than equal rights to all and special privilege to none. The only appeal that is permanent in its effectiveness and enduring in its usefulness is the appeal to conscience, and while it seems weakness to the brutal and folly to the sordid, it arouses a response that is at least irresistible.

"If we would touch the conscience of others we must give evidence that our consciences have been quickened. The great issue at this time is the issue between man and mammon, between plutocracy and democracy. All surface questions of policy, of taxation and of regulation and of finance are but phases of that century-long, that world-wide struggle between the common people and organized wealth. To say that it does not pay for a nation to violate the rights of the people of another nation involves so much of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division that many get lost in a maze of mathematics, but to say that 'the wages of sin is death' is to give an epitome of history that accords with each person's experience. In dealing with the trusts, with finance, with labor problems, and with all the other questions at issue we must view them from a moral standpoint and arraign every evil at the bar of the public conscience.

"Will it win? Nothing else will give permanent success. As the martyrs who 1800 years ago, kneeling in prayer while hungry beasts devoured them, invoked a power mightier than the legions of Rome, so today it is not only possible but necessary to appeal to that moral sentiment which, when aroused, will prove more potent than the pulse."

After Henry G. Newton, a Republican, had spoken very briefly upon Andrew Jackson, Governor Garvin of Rhode Island was called upon. Governor Garvin said in part:

"The influence of money in determining the result of an election is almost unbounded. In the first place the daily newspapers of our large cities are great business enterprises, are owned by wealthy men or corporations, and find their largest profits in the advertising patronage of rich men and corporations engaged in other lines of business. Very naturally nearly all of these papers in New England are Republican in their politics, or, if nominally independent or Democratic, they are but half-heartedly so, having a bias, unconscious very likely, towards the views of their customers and associates of the wealthy class.

"But money has another far more direct, and no less potent, influence upon the result of an election. I refer to its power of purchasing a strong party organization. The many ways of using campaign funds I need not specify at length. Clubs are sustained, workers are hired to qualify voters and then get them to the polls, lavish advertising and spectacular public meetings are paid for, teams for getting out the vote and a multitude of other 'legitimate expenses' are provided.

"While it is true that the Democratic party need not expect permanent control of any New England state under present conditions, yet we need not despair. I am convinced that the one way in which New England Democracy can acquire liberty is through an alteration of its constitutional environment. Although we cannot under present conditions carry elections, we can change our state constitutions and agree upon a single amendment sufficiently fundamental to destroy the dominance of money in elections, and to substitute therefor the real will of the majority.

The power of money in elections is not peculiar to New England. With scarcely an exception the moneyed party is in control of every state. The wealth of the country, almost as a unit, is tributary to the national Republican organization. Through the party it secures the legislation which gives its holders excessive pecuniary returns. For tariff, franchise, and other monopolies obtained through Republican legislation, state and national, the beneficiaries in return contribute lavishly to campaign expenses, thus constituting a vicious circle by means of which the people are exploited and equal rights denied. The speediest and surest remedy seems to be for the people to gain direct and complete control of their state and national constitutions."

ACCESSORIES OF FASHION.

Pretty Folded Kid Belts and Dainty Hand Bags.

The hat made entirely of ermine is the most fashionable and smart a woman can have, and its chief beauty is that it goes with everything.

Wide kid belts are perhaps the smartest feature of fashion for street wear. They are carefully fitted and are laid in folds to give the appearance of silk or cloth. They come in all tints to match the costume.

The little hand bag to match the costume has taken the place of the ordinary pocketbook. These little bags have come to be a necessity since women no longer have pockets. The bag should be as small as possible, however, just large enough to hold a handkerchief and a powder puff together with the requisite change. The prettiest come in pearl gray and in lavender kid mounted in gold, with little stones set in the fastening. Curious flat gold purses combining cardcases with the name traced in colored stones are carried in Paris.

The illustration shows a coffee colored cloth gown with facings of brown velvet decorated with tiny gilt braids and buttons. JUDIC CHOLLET.

COFFEE COLORED CLOTH DRESS.

Situation Considered Brighter

Washington, Jan. 12.—For the first time in several weeks Secretary Hay appeared at the state department yesterday. Secretary Hay saw the Japanese minister and the two had a long talk about the situation in the far east. The general tenor of such advices as were at hand was to the effect that the situation on the whole was slightly more pacific. The last Russian note is said to be decidedly conciliatory in language.

Ten Thousand Bunnies Killed

Echo, Ore., Jan. 12.—The rabbit drive on lower Butter creek was the largest in the history of the northwest, 700 persons participating. Ten thousand rabbits were killed. The rabbits came in such droves and with such a wild rush that they could not get into the corral fast enough and they piled up fully two feet deep, hundreds smothering to death. Two persons were seriously injured.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal conditon, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

ORDER YOUR

SUNDAY DINNER

— AT —

PRATT'S

The Best of Everything and Money Saved.

Fresh Eastern Fowl,	15 cts. lb
Face Rump Roast,	14 cts. lb
Fresh Pork Roast,	14 cts. lb
Best Rump Steak,	25 cts. lb
N. Y. Rump Steak,	12 1-2 cts. lb
Hebron Potatoes,	30 cts. pk
Fancy Celery,	20 cts. bunch
Large Prunes,	3 lbs. 25 cts
Bordeaux Catsup,	3 bot. 25 cts.
Baltimore Peaches,	15 cts. can
Pea Beans,	8 cts. qt

The Coffee we like to sell is OUR VERY BEST

Mocha and Java, 35c. lb

We have others at lower prices.

L. M. PRATT & SON.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

EBEN HARDY,

Manufacturing OPTICIAN . .

of 21 Bromfield street, Boston, has opene a Jewelry and Optical store at 307 Newport avenue, Wollaston, opposite the depot.

Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silver Ware, Opera, Field and Marine Glasses.

Eyes examined and Glasses fitted. Broken Lenses matched and replaced in our own factory.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired by first-class workmen. All work guaranteed.

French Clocks called for and delivered. Send postal and we will call.

EBEN HARDY,

OPTICIAN,

370 Newport Ave., Wollaston.

Dec.15—1m.

LEWIS N. CURTIS,

PAINTER, GLAZIER.

LEADED STAINED GLASS.

Decorator and Paper Hanger.

OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.

15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

FRANK W. BAILLIE,

PAINTER,

Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc

Whiting and Tinting a specialty.

50 Gay Street.

Quincy, July 6. tf

FRANK F. CRANE,

REAL ESTATE,

AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,

Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass

Aug. 17 tf

DANCING.

COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.

BASKET BALL

AND DANCING

THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.

Assemblies every Saturday night.

Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all former pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For further particulars apply to ELMER W BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing. Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept 22—6m lpo

HERBERT A. HAYDEN

Piano Tuner.

Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.

Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass

Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

Famous Authors

We have secured for early publication a number of short stories by the following distinguished writers:

Jack London

Will N. Harben

Bret Harte

Shan Bullock

Henry Seton Merriman

Maximilian Foster

Edith Wyatt

A. W. Whiteford

Herman Whitaker

J. D. Coughlan

Every story copyrighted and illustrated. Keep your eye on our columns.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Making Sure of It.

"Hello! Where are you going with that lantern?"

"A-courtin', sir."

"Goodness! I never used a lantern when I went a-courtin'."

"That's why I'm takin' one."

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	32	4	26	43	43
Monday,	30	8	36	26	42
Tuesday,	33	11	31	37	31
Wednesday,	—	24	21	34	20
Thursday,	—	35	26	34	30
Friday,	—	27	35	40	33
Saturday,	—	33	40	45	36

New Advertisements Today.

Quincy Teachers' Association—Lecture.
Pung for sale.
House to let.
F. D. Fellows Co.—Bargain Sale.
Meadowbrook Creamery—Oysters.
First Church Social Club—Entertainment.
V. E. Miller—Basket Sale.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Teams were at work this morning carting away the large bank of snow on Depot street.

The Ladies Aid Society meets at Mrs. Smith's, 9 Prospect avenue, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The regular business meeting of the Epworth League will be held at the home of Mr. Leigh, Arlington street, Thursday evening.

There will be a musical at the Park and Downs Congregational church, Thursday evening. A fine entertainment is looked forward to.

Commissioner Knowlton wore the smile that won't come off, all day Sunday. He is the father of a 12 pound boy born that morning.

The banquet of the Quincy Yacht club will be held tonight at 6.30 at the American House, Boston. A pleasant evening is assured the members who participate.

The Social club of First church has secured some fine talent for their entertainment at the chapel on Friday evening as will be seen by advertisement. The Wollaston Glee club composed of twenty-five well known men, is to be heard for the first time in Quincy and they are to be assisted by Mr. John Harris Gutterson in informal and amusing sketches, and by local talent.

At the Junior Endeavor rally on Sunday, 7.30 P. M., at the Wollaston Baptist church forty boys and girls carried on the service. The program was as follows:—Processional, "Onward Christian Soldiers;" Congregational singing; Boys' chorus; Recitation, Ruth Hardy; Solo and chorus singing; Talk on Endeavor Work, by Mr. Webber; Silver collection; and Hymn.

The prayer meeting could not be held last Friday at the Wollaston Methodist church on account of want of gas. Several times within the last month services have had to be suspended on account of the failure of gas. The Unity Club has had to suffer the same annoyance at the last two meetings. The gas company ought to see that the service for Wollaston is improved.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

Henry P. Kittredge has gone south for the winter.

The Glee Club concert at Wollaston will take place a week from tonight, Jan. 19.

Friday afternoon at 3.45 The Loyal Temperance Legion will meet in the vestry of the Congregational church at Wollaston.

Owing to the large fall of snow it is impossible to do any work in the stone quarries, which makes business quiet in the cutting districts.

Considerable shovelling had to be done on Sonth street this morning before some of the fire apparatus could be turned about.

The monthly sociable and business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of Wollaston will be held with Mr. Fred Beckworth, Belmont street, on Thursday evening, at 7.45.

After a very interesting sermon in the morning at the Wollaston Baptist church, $1,300 was raised in twenty minutes for repairs and deficit. All then rose and sang the doxology.

On Wednesday evening at 8 the Auxiliary will hold its first social at the at home of Mrs. J. A. Jewell, Lincoln avenue, Wollaston, to which all young people and those interested in the Auxiliary are cordially invited.

CLERK CHOSEN.

By Several of the Committees of the Legislature.

Capt. David T. Remington qualified on Monday as Sergeant-at-arms of the Legislature.

Several of the standing committees have organized, and Representative Drinkwater of Braintree is clerk of the Committee on Elections. Other clerks are:

Ways and means, Warren of Newton.

Harbors and public lands, Gavin of Boston.

Cities, Winslow of Fitchburg.

Metropolitan affairs, Hall of Revere.

Public charitable institutions, Graves of Hatfield.

Public service, Battis of Boston.

Action was reconsidered on the so-called "picketing bill," a labor measure which was last week referred to the new committee, and upon motion of Representative Schofield it was, after debate, referred to the special committee and the Labor committee sitting jointly.

Several reports from State officers were received, and also petitions.

Massachusetts Press Association.

The annual meeting and reunion of the Massachusetts Press Association was held at the American House, Boston, Monday, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President,—Charles C. Doten, Plymouth.

Vice President,—G. M. Billings, Milford; Daniel H. Huxford, Randolph; George W. Prescott, Quincy; Ernest H. Pierce, Revere; W. F. Jarvis, Boston.

Secretary,—William J. Hefferman, Spencer.

Treasurer,—J. S. Smith, Rockland.

Auditor,—George H. Proctor, Gloucester.

Delegates were elected to the National Editorial convention to be held in St. Louis in May. After other business had been transacted the members adjourned to the parlors where many of the wives and daughters of the editors had assembled, and a social half hour was very pleasantly enjoyed.

At three o'clock all gathered around the festive board where a most excellent menu was served. From that hour until six o'clock the time was most pleasantly spent in listening to music by the Albion quartette of Boston, and able addresses by Rev. Edward A. Horton, of Boston; Gen. Charles A. Taylor, of the Boston Globe; Hon. Arthur Lord, president of the Pilgrim society of Plymouth; Hon. Henry E. Turner of Malden, State Auditor; and Alex. Starbuck, ex-president of the association.

Thanks of the members are due the Albion quartette for its fine music, the speakers for their able addresses, the American House for the excellent banquet, John Carter & Co. for the beautiful menus, and last, but not least, Mr. Lawrence McCarthy of the Boston theatre for tickets to the new and attractive play, "Checkers," in the evening.

TODAY'S COURT.

Edward Frahar and Michael J. Burke were fined $3 each for drunkenness at Quincy.

Albert Shioze was arraigned for being a stubborn child at Weymouth. Case continued until Feb. 18.

BORN.

KNOWLTON—In Quincy, Jan. 10, a son to Mr. and Mrs Charles F. Knowlton of Spear street, twelve pounds.

DIED.

BAXTER—In Quincy, Jan. 11, Mrs. Mary Ann, widow of James Baxter, and daughter of Ralph and Ann (Richards) Twombly. Born in Durham, N. H, May 19, 1811. Services on Wednesday at 3.15 P. M. Relatives and friends are invited, and requested not to send flowers. Burial private.

WHITE—In Weymouth, Jan. 11, Mr. Cornelius White of Elliot street, aged 83 years, 9 months and 25 days.

CITY COUNCIL.

(Continued from Page 1.)

$10,000 more than last year. The Mayor and Treasurer have explained matters. He could not see as the gentleman from Ward One was helping us out any.

Councilman Bass asked of the Treasurer if he considered it proper to sign a note when he has not sufficient funds and outstanding taxes to cover it.

Treasurer Gray—I do not propose to sign any such note. This order is to cover the maximum amount. It was the custom of all treasurers to ask for one sum. Last year he doubted if the $300,000 would be enough and this year he suggested to the Mayor that the amount be made $400,000.

Councilman Adams asked of the City Solicitor if there was any doubt about legality to pay the $80,000 out of anticipation of tax loan.

City Solicitor—No doubt as it was an obligation of city falling due this year. Everything we have to pay is classed as current expenses. The notes follow the statutes.

Councilman Adams—I do not see how we can make the order any less. He could not see as Councilman Bass had provided any way to meet this $80,000 loan.

Councilman Thompson opposed amendment.

Councilman Hardwick—We have no figures to show why expenses this year are to be more.

The amendment was lost. Councilman Bass then offered another amendment making the amount $350,000.

Councilman Langelier opposed. He would not push the taxpayers too hard.

Amendment lost.

Councilman Hardwick—If we continue to collect taxes as we have in the past we will have the biggest crisis the city has ever had.

Councilman Whiton was called to the chair.

President Nichols taking the floor spoke in favor of the order. We have got to meet our obligations. We should have confidence in our officials. The interest does not accummulate until we borrow. If the order does not pass it will be up to the Council to make some provision to meet our obligations.

The order was then passed by the following vote:

YEAS,—Adams, Gassett, Gearwar, Hadlock, Holmes, Langelier, Loud, McFarland, Nichols, Nickerson, Piper, Polk, Reardon, Spargo, Stewart, Stone, Thompson and Whiton—18.

NAYS,—Bass, Hardwick—2.

ABSENT, — Hughes, Johnson and Walsh—3.

Adjourned at 9.05 to meet Jan. 18.

AN ODD PLAYTHING.

Children and Matches Start a Little Blaze on South Street.

The alarm from Box 75 at 9.55 this morning was for a fire in a double house at 60 South srreet owned by Reuben Hersey of Hingham. The house was occupied by a family named Goldkeg and a family named Mc Cole.

The fire started in one of the upper rooms in the part occupied by McCole. It appears that Mrs. McCole is at the hospital and the father was away at work. Left at home were four children who were in bed. It is said that the children were playing with matches and started the fire in the centre of the room Neighbors saw the smoke and rescued the children and gave the alarm. The fire fortunately did but little damage only burning a large hole in the straw matting.

Tyndale vs. Stanwood.

There is on trial in the Norfolk Superior court the case of Theodore H. Tyndale vs. E. C. Stanwood of Brookline. A plea in land to determine the right of plaintiff, as administrator of the estate of Mrs. Isabella S. Whicher, to sell a certain parcel of land in Quincy, belonging to estate of the deceased. Robert M. Morse, W. H. Leonard and C. H. Hanson for plaintiff, S. H. Tyng and J. P. Prince for defendant.

Talk on Modern Shoemaking.

At the men's monthly social given Monday night by the the young men of Christ church, Mr. Nathaniel Brewer, Jr., gave a most interesting talk on "Modern shoemaking." Mr. Brewer is of the firm of Brewer, Parker & Co. of Lynn, and he brought from his factory, samples of skins, and shoes in the various stages of construction from the cutting to the finishing. About sixty men listened for nearly an hour to the talk. The social closed with songs and lunch.

—A postage stamp map of England and Wales has been made by Mr. D. M. Murrow, Wood Green, London. Although it took Mr. Morrow only two months to draw the outline of the map and to affix the stamps, yet the entire collection, which is valued at 200 guineas, was begun at the age of seven years. The exact number of stamps in the map is 2139, and no two stamps are alike. All the coast and prominent inland countries are formed of contrasting colors.

REV. MR. VAN NESS

Addresses the Meeting of Quincy Alliance.

After a month's recess, the Quincy branch of the National Alliance of Unitarian women met in First church chapel on Monday afternoon. During the business meeting Mrs. F. S. Davis gave a brief report of the Alliance Christmas party on Dec. 23, when thirty-five children and several of their mothers were entertained, with games, refreshments, tree, etc.

Mrs. George G. Saville presided, and at the close of the business meeting introduced the speaker of the afternoon, Rev. Thomas Van Ness, of Boston, who spoke interestingly for an hour on "My visit to Molokains," (Russian Unitarians.) His description of his experiences in getting to his destination and the little things that helped him accomplish it was a lesson in perseverance.

He very vividly portrayed the condition of the Molokains, how they were persecuted for their religion, also how little could be done for them, as they were not permitted to leave the country, or people from outside allowed to help them. In Russia the only recognized church is the Orthodox Greek church.

A social half hour followed the address, the hostesses for the afternoon serving hot chocolate and light refreshments.

QUINCY TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION COURSE OF ENTERTAINMENTS.

Lecture by Mr. Peter McQueen, Russia Illustrated.

QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL HALL, WEDNESDAY EVENING, JAN. 13.

Jan. 12. 2t

CARD.

Mrs. F. H. Hewins,

—: Formerly in the :—

Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations

METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.

Offices:

128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.

Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903. tf

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

OUR FIFTEENTH ANNUAL JANUARY

Mark Down Sale

Now in Progress.

A Beautiful Calendar with every Dollar purchase.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.

OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.

Jan. 31. tf

PICTURES

FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.

Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.

H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street, South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

W. A. BRADFORD,
Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting,
Jobbing promptly attended to.
Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.
Open Monday and Saturday evenings.
Telephone 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

LEDGER ADS. PAY BEST

DAY NURSERY.

Thirty-two Children Cared for During December.

At the conclusion of the business of the Quincy Day Nursery Association at the meeting last week Miss Merrill began her informal talk by saying that although not a preacher she would take a text and from the minister's book, and quoted from Paul's epistle to Corinthians—"Let all things be done decently and in order."

"This," said Miss Merrill, "is parliamentary law in a nut shell." She then showed by story and illustration some of the benefits to all, as an association, and as individuals from the understanding and practice of these laws of common courtesy and order.

Miss Merrill in conclusion spoke of the broadening, helpful influences of women's clubs and hoped to see one started some day in Quincy. She showed the need for a knowledge of parliamentary law and the nucleus of a small class for parliamentary drill was formed to which anyone interested is invited to join.

The Association takes this opportunity to thank members for the following donations duriug the month passed:

Mrs. Charles Ewell,—toys and luncheon supplies.
Mrs. Cobb,—Luncheon supplies.
Mrs. Lowe,—Cornstarch.
Mrs. W. Barker,—milk.
Mrs. Cockayne,—luncheon supplies.
Mrs. Theo. Hardwick,—sugar.
Mrs. Kenwood,—toys.
Mrs. Josephine A. Talbot, the matron, made the following report for the month of December:

Children during month,	32
Days no children came,	5
Largest number in week,	9
Smallest number in week,	4
Largest number in day,	4
Smallest number in day,	1
Families represented,	8
Visits from directors,	7

The days on which there was no attendance were: Dec. 3, 4, 5, 21 and 26.

Central Labor Union.

The Central Labor Union at their regular meeting, Jan. 7, elected the following officers for the ensuing six months:

President, A. C. Smith.
Vice President, Robert McVitie.
Recording Secretary, Geo. H. Smith.
Financial Secretary, Frank Jones.
Sergeant at Arms, James McFadden.
Trustees, Ed. Young, C. L. Bean and Frank Hibbett.

The meeting concluded with a smoke talk. A very enjoyable evening was spent with songs and speeches.

Baptist Sunday School.

This evening at 7.45 the annual business meeting of Sabbath school will be held in the chapel of the Wollaston Baptist church. It is important that there should be a good attendance, as in addition to the election of officers for the year, the report of the committee to revise the constitution will be heard and acted upon. All officers and teachers and all members of the church who are also members of the school are eligible to vote.

Clock Plant.

The clock plant is a native of Borneo, and in that country even it is said to be rare. The plant derives its name from its peculiar habits, which are known to but few who have not studied it from a scientific standpoint. The plant has leaves of two sizes, one of which acts in the capacity of a minute hand, which keeps moving until 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and the other keeps going until morning. The larger leaves act as the hour hands. Starting in a position when all the leaves lie close to the stem, with the points hanging down, they rise gradually until they turn toward the top, and then they drop to their former position. It takes the smaller leaves about one minute to go through this performance and the longer leaves just about an hour.—Melbourne Times.

A Bornean Weapon.

The Bornean mandau, or "head taker," is a modification of the Burmese dah. It is a heavy, thick bladed cutlass, from twenty to thirty inches long, and the edge is ground from the right side only, the left side being forged slightly concave. The blade is also slightly curved to the right, so that the cutting action of the weapon is like that of an enormous gouge. Only two strokes can be dealt with the mandau—from right to left downward and left to right upward.—Chambers' Journal.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Nov. 2. 6mos.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to thank the Quincy Branch of the G. C. N. U., the John Adams Court, No. 144, F. O. A., Grand lodge, No. 193, O. S. S. G., and all kind friends for their assistance, and sympathy expressed during my recent bereavement at the loss of my beloved husband.

MRS. M. T. PHILP.

Hardwick, Vt., Jan. 11, 1904.

Two Men Killed by Car

Attleboro, Mass., Jan. 12.—While endeavoring to drive their horse up the side of an embankment of snow thrown up by a street railway plough, Edward Adams and Harry O'Neil were capsized from their sleigh and thrown beneath a heavy electric car which they were trying to avoid. Adams was killed instantly and O'Neil had his skull crushed and will undoubtedly die. Motorman Goff had sounded his gong a number of times, but the car did not stop, and when the sleigh overturned the car was upon the two men.

Glines Confesses Other Thefts

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 12.—Former City Treasurer Glines of Haverhill called on Mayor Wood and informed him that in addition to $43,000 in bonds, he had taken two $1000 bonds belonging to the insurance fund of the city. Glines stated that he had used the two bonds in stock speculation about two years ago. The ex-treasurer is at liberty on $15,000 bail, pending action by the grand jury on charges of taking $43,000 in bonds. It is not thought that the total shortage will exceed $45,000.

Slippery Convict Off For Canada

Bellows Falls, Vt., Jan. 12.—It is believed that William J. Reid, who escaped from jail at Springfield, Mass., arrived here from Springfield on the New York paper train at 9 o'clock Sunday morning. A person of his description stepped off the train upon its arrival here and went at once to a livery stable, where he hired a team and drove to Chester Depot, where all trace of him was lost. The police think that he was successful in boarding a train there for Canada.

Dying Woman Was Mistaken

Somerville, Mass., Jan. 12.—Last Friday afternoon the wife of former Mayor Perry received burns that resulted in her death. The fire by which Mrs. Perry was burned spread to different parts of the house and the firemen were called in to put out the blaze. Mrs. Perry said before her death that her jewels valued at $2000 were missing and the supposition was they were stolen. The missing gems were found last night in a pile of burned clothing.

1904	JANUARY					1904
Su.	Mo.	Tu.	We.	Th.	Fr.	Sa.
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24 31	25	26	27	28	29	30

MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon	3	0:47 a. m.	New Moon	17	10:44 a. m
Third Quarter	9	4:10 p. m.	First Quarter	25	3:41 p. m

DO YOU SHAVE YOURSELF?

If you don't you should, as it is a pleasure if you use "EASY-SHAVE," the new lather. No smarting or burning. "EASY-SHAVE" makes thick, creamy lather, softens the beard, soothes and heals the skin. At Druggists, 15c. Try it today.

MAIN SPRINGS

Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.

Work called for and delivered.

SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

The BEST Newspaper Attracts The Best People. Try an "Ad" In the Daily Ledger.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

EXPERIENCED Coatmaker and Dressmaker would go out by day or take work home. Fine tailorers. Address 656 Washington street, Quincy Point. Jan. 11-3t

WANTED—In East Milton, a Swedish Girl for general housework who can speak English. Enquire at Ledger office. Jan. 8. 6t

WANTED, LADIES AND GENTS—We pay $12 per 1,000 cash, copying at home; everything furnished; send stamp, Monarch Supply Co., Station 3, Worcester, Mass. Jan. 6-6t

FOR SALE.

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom made pung built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition. GEORGE H. WILSON. Quincy, Jan. 12. tf

FOR SALE—Four Pungs; one 4-horse and three 2 horse. Apply to EDWARD BILLINGS, Weymouth. Jan. 9. 3t

FOR SALE—Second hand two seated Sleigh in good condition. JOHN VOGEL, 65 Willard street, West Quincy. Jan. 8. 6t

TO LET.

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent, $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30. lp-tf

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

TO LET.

House of 8 rooms and bath, No. 240 Goffe St. Furnace, gas, sewer connections, in complete repair and one of the most convenient (yet retired) locations in city. Only small families, with prospects of extended occupancy, need apply. A permanent occupant for one room is obtainable. R. D. CHASE, Savings Bank Building. Quincy, Jan. 12 eod 16 p tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24. tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

Dr. Emmons'

Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. By every possible condition and positively cures no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 11. QUINCY, MASS., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

Principles of Christian Science Expounded at Wollaston.

Mid Winter Banquet of Quincy Yacht Club.

TO CROWN A FEAST OR FILL A DINNER PAIL.

NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT

In 10c Packages with List of Valuable Premiums.

— OUR —

Capitol Shoe

FOR BOYS.

Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.

Sizes 12 to 2 $1 75

Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2.00

The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.

Every Pair Warranted.

GEORGE W. JONES,

Adams Building, - QUINCY.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON

Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

LONG ISLAND OYSTERS

Solid, 38 cts. quart.

Genuine Quincy Eggs, 45c. dozen.

Meadowbrook Creamery,

QUINCY, MASS.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in al. parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

If You Have a House to Let

Advertise It in the Ledger.

UNITARIAN CLUB

Listen with Pleasure to Alfred Farlow.

God is Spirit, Life and Love.

An Unusually Good Dinner Served to Members.

An excellent dinner was served at the January meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian club on Tuesday evening in the vestry of the church. It included fricasseed chicken on toast, mashed potatoes, squash, cranberry jelly, biscuits, snow pudding, coffee and apples. Several young men of the church acted as waiters.

While the menu was being served Mr. Merrill played several selection which were applauded.

Walter M. Hatch, the president, was pleased to greet the large attendance. With a tribute to Christian Science he introduced Mr. Alfred Farlow, a leading exponent of that church.

Mr. Farlow, after a few words of introductory, proceeded to tell why he was a Christian Scientist. Early in life he had chosen the legal profession, but he was not well. After a change of climate, and little progress he took up the study of Christian Science and became a well man. The aim at first was to obtain bodily health but the ethics pleased me.

The Christian Scientists certainly do believe in the Bible. The study gives them a better understanding of God. The meaning of Christian Science is God; and the principles are;—God is spirit, God is life, God is love.

The principles were explained at length. He said man is a product of God—an expression on reflection. Not a part of God. As we are governed by truth and righteousness, we are governed by God. It was the whole duty of man to be the image of God.

Christian Scientists endeavors to aid man that he may progress more rapidly. Jesus is our exampler. His was a life of perfect success, and he was a safe model for all mankind. It is not our intention to interfere with institutions of the world.

Relative to the acquirement of wealth he said money was handy and conveniences were necessary, but all we can carry out of this life is character. Christian Science will help us to have just what we need. It would be better for some to have less money.

The science destroys fear and anxiety. We do not claim Christian Scientists are the best people, but they are better than they used to be. (Applause). I believe the best man on earth would be better with Christian Science.

Mr. Farlow also explained the attitude of Christian Scientists toward sin, saying no class of people try more seriously to eliminate sin. God is the only power, and evil has no power.

He told of the relation of Mrs. Eddy to Christian Science, and said many of the stories concerning her were erroneous and from unreliable sources.

Answering the question, Is Christian Science a revelation? he said, not in the sense people understand the word. Mrs. Eddy claims to have discovered in the Scripture a different interpretation from most people. It was something she had thought out as a mathematician solves a problem.

He was not ready to say the time has come when the world can get along without the kind physician. While Scientist may not need medicine he knows his neighbor does. A Christian Scientist knows he cannot restore a limb that has gone. Quite as foolish to treat a broken limb. As fast as we are able we depend on God.

Mr. Farlow said it was contrary to Christian Science to enter into debate or controversy, but on an occasion like this he would consent to answer questions.

This he did for over an hour, questions being asked by Hon. Eugene H. Sprague, Rev. F. W. Pratt, Mr. Bainbridge, Frank W. Page, Mr. Cummings, Rev. E. C. Butler, H. J. Gurney, F. H. Bishop, and W. C. Corthell.

F. E. Parlin spoke briefly in closing, and upon his motion a vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Farlow.

Adjourned at 9.55.

ORDER YOUR

SUNDAY DINNER

— AT —

PRATT'S

The Best of Everything and Money Saved.

Fresh Eastern Fowl,	15 cts. lb
Face Rump Roast,	14 cts. lb
Fresh Pork Roast,	14 cts. lb
Best Rump Steak,	25 cts. lb
N. Y. Rump Steak,	12 1-2 cts. lb
Hebron Potatoes,	30 cts. pk
Fancy Celery,	20 cts bunch
Large Prunes,	3 lbs. 25 cts
Bordeaux Catsup,	3 bot. 25 cts.
Baltimore Peaches,	15 cts. can
Pea Beans,	8 cts. qt

The Coffee we like to sell is OUR VERY BEST

Mocha and Java, 35c. lb

We have others at lower prices.

L. M. PRATT & SON.

PROBATE COURT.

Wills, Administrations and Accounts at Quincy Session.

Judge Flint held Probate court for Norfolk county at Quincy this morning and transacted the following business:

WILLS ALLOWED.

Of Ellen Fraher late of Weymouth, Robert McIntosh executor; bond, $3,250.

Of Eunice Poole late of Randolph, H. Manley Clark executor; bond, $1,500.

ADMINISTRATIONS GRANTED.

Peter B. Sullivan on estate of James F. Sullivan, late of Randolph; bond, $3,000.

Anna B. Garland, on estate of Elizabeth W. Brown, late of Brookline; bond, $8,000.

Rose McLean, on estate of John C. McLean, late of Randolph; bond, $8,000.

Jennie G. Mehaffey, on estate of Joseph B. Mehaffey, late of Quincy; bond, $2,000.

Cora M. Bodwell, on estate of Ulysess G. Bodwell, late of Quincy; bond, $400.

Minot P. Garey, on estate of James H. Vining, late of Weymouth; bond, $200.

Josephine D. Emerson, on estate of Catherine D. Clapp, late of Milton; bond, $1,500.

Robert A. Banks, on estate of Robert J Daley, late of Norfolk; bond, $1,000.

Jeremiah Hinchon, on estate of John Reardon, late of Quincy; bond, $200.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

First and final of Katharine C. Tileston, trustee of estate of Catherine K. Cummings, late of Milton.

First and final of Charles A. Chapman and Francis H. Brown, executors of will of Harriet B. Chapman, late of Brookline.

First and final of John T. Flood, trustee of will of Thomas F. Lynch, late of Randolph.

Final of Francis A. Hobart and George D. Willis, trustees of will of Joseph E. Holbrook, late of Braintree.

First and final of John P. S. Churchill, trustee of will of Abby E. Spooner, late of Milton.

First and final of John A. Raymond, administrator of estate of Jotham Salisbury, late of Weymouth.

First and final of William J. O'Brien, administrator of estate of Margaret O'Brien, late of Quincy.

The Merchants' Train.

Many have noticed the handsome train of Pullman cars which pass through Quincy, going toward Braintree, every day shortly before 4 o'clock and return to Boston shortly after 4 o'clock. Few, however, know that it is the new merchants five-hour train which leaves Boston every night at 5 o'clock for New York. The purpose of running the train to Braintree is to turn it round as the cars on the train always run in the same order. At Braintree the Y makes an easy method of turning the whole train at one turn.

MAIN SPRINGS

Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.

Work called for and delivered.

SANDBERG BROS.,

Faxon Block, Quincy.

Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

COMMODORE SHEPPARD.

Official Names.

The United States board of Geographic Names has entered the following on the official records:

Weir; river (channel,) Boston bay, Plymouth county, Massachusetts (not Weare.)

Peddocks; island, in Boston bay, Plymouth county, Massachusetts, (not Peddock, Pethick's, Pettick's nor Puttock.)

Harding; ledge, at entrance to Boston bay, Massachusetts, (not Harding's.)

Nixes Mate; shoal, in Boston bay, Suffolk county, Massachusetts, (not Nicks Mate, Nix Mate, Nix's Mate nor Nixs Mate.)

Gallups; island, Boston harbor, Massachusetts, (not Gallop, Gallops, Gallup nor Galop.)

Georges; island, Boston bay, Suffolk county, Massachusetts, (not George nor St. George.)

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

OUR FIFTEENTH ANNUAL JANUARY

Mark Down Sale

Now in Progress.

A Beautiful Calendar with every Dollar purchase.

O.E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

Revival Meetings.

The revival meetings at the United Presbyterian church are growing in power and interest every night. We have never seen deeper interest, or listened to more powerful presentation of the gospel message.

The meeting was crowded out of the lecture room on Monday night into the main audience room.

Rev. Kenyon preached last night on the subject, "How can a man stand right with God."

The propositions discussed were:—It is the question of the ages; what it means and how can it be obtained without impairing the integrity of God; "How can God be just and yet the justifier of the ungodly." This is the question of the church, of philosophers, of God himself.

Certain things must be done. Law must be fulfilled. The penalty for sin must be paid. Satan and death must be conquered. God and the sinner must be brought together. And the union of deity with humanity in the person of Jesus Christ is the only way God could find to do it.

Mr. Fred P. Urquhart of Wakefield, the young Scotch Sanky of Evangelistic singing who has a voice of rare quality sang very impressively, "Do you know my blessed Father," "Waiting for thee" and "Calling for thee."

Many were under deep conviction and several decided for Christ. Mr. Urquhart will sing at the men's rally at 3.00 P.M. on the Sabbath. It is to be hoped that the church will be full of men and it will be. The music will be a feature to music lovers.

There will be a meeting at 3.00 P. M. tomorrow for women and house help. Addressed by Evangelist Kenyon.

ANASTASIA A. HUGHES,

Teacher of Piano and Organ,

Will receive pupils Fridays and Saturdays. For terms address 1562 Hancock Street, QUINCY, MASS.

Jan. 13. 6t

SKATES SHARPENED.

Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .

24 Granite Street,

NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.

Dec. 21. 1m

GOOD FELLOWSHIP

Marked the Gathering at American House.

Commodore Sheppard Popular.

Very Entertaining Address by Col. Anderson.

The first mid-winter banquet of the Quincy Yacht club was held Tuesday evening at the American house, Boston. The main idea of the banquet was to keep alive the interest in the club during the winter months, and as such it was on unqualified success.

The weather was against a large, gathering, yet fifty or more faced the elements, and none were sorry that they did. A good dinner was served and was followed by an impromptu talk by Col. Edward Anderson. Any one who has had the pleasure of listening to an after dinner talk by Col. Anderson can vouch for the fact that it was entertaining.

Good fellowship was supreme during the whole evening. The gathering also brought out the fact that so successful has the club been under the two years' reign of Eben W. Sheppard as Commodore that the members desire very much that he should be their commodore for a third term. This, Commodore Sheppard said, was against his wishes, but this is probably one of these cases when his wishes will not be respected.

It was a little after 6.30 when dinner was announced, and seats were taken around the tables. Commodore Sheppard occupied the seat of honor at the head of the table. At his right were Vice Commodore Frank Fessenden Crane, and Secretary H. W. Robbins. At his left were Col. Anderson and Treasurer Dexter E. Wadsworth. On either side of these were members of the several sub-committees and club members.

The menu, which was well served, was as follows:

Bluepoints.

Mock Turtle, a l'Anglaise Consomme Julienne
Olives Radishes
Broiled Salmon, Sauce Hollandaise
Sliced cucumbers Bebe Potatoes
Roast Larded Sirloin of Beef, Bordelaise
Roast Turkeyt Cranberry Sauce.
Delmonico Potatoes String Beans
Marashino Punch
Sweetbread Patties Banana Fritters au Cognac
Charlotte Russe
Frozen Pudding Assorted Cakes
Fruits
Roquefort Cheese Crackers
Coffee

Cigars lighted, Commodore Sheppard opened the after dinner exercises. He was glad to see so many present at this, the first mid-winter banquet of the Quincy Yacht club. It was suggested last summer but as it was not desired to burden the club with expense the officers had gone slow. During the past two years the club had added nearly 100 members, so that he felt like the gentleman in Pinafore who was the admiral of the Queen's Navy.

Col. Anderson was then introduced.

(Continued on Page 4.)

THE CONSOLIDATED

FISH MARKET

OPENS TOMORROW

THURSDAY, JAN. 14th,

AT HANCOCK MARKET,

Cor. Saville Street and Hancock Street, **QUINCY MASS.**

PLEASE SEND IN YOUR ORDERS EARLY TO EITHER STORE.

Recital and Concert.

Water Street Presbyterian Church,
THURSDAY EVENING.

W. J. CAMPBELL,

The well-known elocutionist, in humorous and pathetic selections; a first-class Male Quartette; one of the best Pianists of Quincy; and a variety of other talent will insure a most enjoyable occasion.

Doors open at 7. Entertainment at 7.30.
Jan. 13. 1t

QUINCY TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION
COURSE OF ENTERTAINMENTS.

Lecture by Mr. Peter McQueen, Russia Illustrated.

QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL HALL,
WEDNESDAY EVENING, JAN. 13.
Jan. 12. 2t

FIRST CHURCH SOCIAL CLUB
FIRST ENTERTAINMENT,
FRIDAY EVENING at 8 o'clock
In the *CHAPEL* by the
Wollaston Glee Club,
25 Voices.
HARRIS GUTTERSON
mal and amusing sketches.
oud, violin. L. D. Williams, piano.
Tickets, 50 cents.
ured at the office of Mr L. S. Anderson, Savings Bank Building, between the hours of 8 to 12 A. M. and 2 to 5 P. M. and at the door.
Jan. 12. 3t

MUSIC HALL, - - - QUINCY.

ONE BIG NIGHT,
FRIDAY, JAN 15th,
STETSON'S BIG DOUBLE
Uncle Tom's Cabin Co.

The World-Renowned Tennesseeans, Jubilee Singers, in Quartette Refrains, Banjo Playing, Imitations, Camp Meeting Songs, etc.

Cotton Picking and Plantation Scenes in which are introduced many Artists with Laughter-Provoking Specialties.

Pack of Full-blooded Cuban Bloodhounds Trained to take part in the Drama, are used in the Thrilling Scene showing Eliza's Escape from the Slave-Hunters.

Beautiful Tableaux and Transformation Scenes are displayed throughout the Play, the one representing Little Eva's Ascent into Heaven, being pronounced by Critics the Finest ever Presented.

PEOPLE'S PRICES, 25, 35, 50c.
Seats now on sale at Music Hall Pharmacy
Jan. 9. 6t

MILLER'S

4 Quarts Potatoes,	.01
2 lbs. Sugar,	.01
Can Tomatoes,	.01
Pkg. Ginger,	.01

Inclosed in our Full Basket Sale
JANUARY 12 to 16.

$2.00, Stamps, With Each BASKET.

$1.00. $1.00.

V. E. MILLER,
CASH GROCER,
Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass.

Hote Greenleaf
Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

JOHN STREIFERD & SON,
FLORISTS.
Telephone 13-7 Braintree.
Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.
Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

Dr. Emmons'
Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Successful in all cases at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail and beyond all question guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively cannot effect upon the health. Sent by mail, under ordinary sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price. $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee in ertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ The best thing that could happen to the average home is to get rid of about half the stuff it contains. A home, like a person, is apt to become constipated. People keep buying new stuff, bringing it into the house, shoving the old stuff aside, allowing corners and cupboards, attic and basement, to become congested with a lot of old clutter that is of no use to any one, but forms a hiding place for vermin and a breeding place for all sorts of germs. Constipated—that is what is the matter with such homes. What they need is a dose of physic. If the right sort of a burglar could enter such a house, back up a two-horse wagon in front, and haul off a few wagonloads of this useless stuff, the people in the house would not be the losers, but the gainers.—Medical Talk.

☞ There are a few old trees still standing in the forests, and others that are past their prime; also many prostrate forms. But there are many more of young trees than of old, and the general effect is of youth and vigor. The young and the growing are pressing on to take the places of the old and the dying. The forest in this way, has kept itself fresh and green for thousands of years, and if left alone, will keep itself fresh and green for for thousands of years to come. The lesson is too obvious to need further illustration. The world is still young and warm blood abounds. Those who welcome the new year hopefully far outnumber those who greet it with misgiving and dread. So those of us who have had some experience with years aforetime, will give at least half a sigh to the memory of the year that is gone, and turn, with as stout hearts as we can muster, to meet the new year that has already come.—Manchester Union.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Hardware Supply Co,
1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES
Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.
Dec. 29. tf

CARD.
Mrs. F. H. Hewins,
Formerly in the
Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.
Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations
METHOD OF THE SUCCESTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.
Offices:
128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.
Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903. tf

LEDGER ADS.
PAY BEST

IROQUOIS TRAGEDY

Startling Admisions by Chicago Building Commissioner

VISITED THEATRE ONCE

All His Knowledge of Plans of Building Was Gained In Ten or Fifteen-Second Inspection--Saw Discrepancies Too Late

Chicago, Jan. 13.—Building Commissioner George Williams was the chief witness yesterday in the inquest over the victims of the Iroquois theatre fire. He testified that during the construction of the building he had visited it but once, that time being about two weeks prior to the opening of the theatre on Nov. 23. He said that at that time the structural part of the building was completed, but that little things which go to finish it were not in place. He had never looked at the plans of the building except on one occasion, according to his own statement, he saw them for perhaps 10 or 15 seconds. He said he personally knew nothing of the construction of the building save what knowledge he had obtained from an inspector. This inspector did not report to him personally, and Williams said all the reports were written in books and that he never examined the books unless somebody made a particular inquiry concerning a certain building.

Commissioner Williams admitted that his department had passed on the arrangements of exits, passageways and aisles, that the department knew that the ordinance required an exit to be plainly marked by a sign, that appliances for the extinguishment of fire be placed in theatres and then said that the office had never been informed by the inspectors that none of these requirements had been fully met and he did not know before the theatre burned whether they had been complied with or not.

He declared that Inspector Laughlin of his department had reported the theatre as being in proper shape. When asked by the coroner who assumed the responsibility, he admitted that he, as head of the department, would be compelled to assume it. Neither he nor any member of his department, so far as he knew, had any knowledge as to whether automatic sprinklers had been placed in the theatre or not. When asked whether he had questioned Inspector Laughlin he said he had asked him no questions at all.

Coroner Traeger demanded to know if there was anybody in the office of the building commissioner whose business it was to see whether the inspectors did their duties. Mr. Williams' reply was: "Once in a while, I have done so."

Assistant State Attorney Barnes questioned Mr. Williams after the coroner was through and asked if the commissioner was not aware that the ordinances required separate places of exit and entrance for each gallery above the first in theatres. Commissioner Williams admitted his knowledge of the fact.

In response to an inquiry as to whether he did not know that the Iroquois theatre failed to meet the requirements of the ordinance in this respect, he said he knew it now, but had not known it before the fire. It was not the custom of his office to require special reports on such matters from subordinates. He admitted that he asked no questions whatever of a building inspector regarding the requirements of the ordinances or the appliances for extinguishing fire.

Laurier Will Not Interfere

Ottawa, Jan. 13.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier has received a cablegram from Premier Seddon of New Zealand, asking the Canadian government to join with the New Zealand and Australian governments in a protest to the British government against the employment of Chinese in the Rand mines. Sir Wilfrid replied that the matter was one which concerned South Africa alone and he therefore could not see his way clear to interfere.

"Cupid" Is Dismissed

Washington, Jan. 13.—The charge of disorderly conduct against Jonah K. Kalanianaole (Prince Cupid), the Hawaiian delegate in congress, was nolle prossed in the police court. He had been arrested and, declining to furnish collateral on the ground that he was immune from arrest, had been locked in a station cell all night.

Trolley Car Struck Bob-Sled

Newark, N. J., Jan. 13.—A bob-sled laden with 15 young persons was hit by a trolley car at the intersection of Washington and Court streets last evening. All on the big sled were more or less injured. Eight were seriously hurt, five being taken to hospitals.

Pardon For Mail Robber

Ossining, N. Y., Jan. 13.—John F. Cross, who over a year ago was sentenced at New York city to Sing-Sing prison for stealing letters from the postal station at which he was a letter-carrier, has been pardoned by President Roosevelt.

Moccasin Floated at Last

Norfolk, Jan. 13.—The submarine torpedo boat Moccasin, which went ashore near Currituck inlet on Dec. 8, was floated successfully by the government tug Peoria and the Peoria has arrived in Hampton Roads with the Moccasin in tow.

AT ST LOUIS, JULY 5

Place and Time of Holding Democratic National Convention

Washington, Jan. 13.—The Democratic national committee furnished a surprise, selecting St. Louis as the place for holding the national convention of 1904. The date fixed for the convention was Wednesday, July 5, at noon. Previous to the meeting of the committee it seemed a foregone conclusion that Chicago would be selected as the place of meeting, but political exigences entered into the situation and a majority of the committee voted for St. Louis. For some hours previous to the meeting of the committee there was talk in the corridors and among Democratic leaders that the convention in Chicago might be subject to the influence in favor of some particular candidate. Mr. Knapp of the St. Louis Republic hinted at this in his speech by saying that the convention, if held at St. Louis, would be welcomed by an absolutely fair press.

The committee meeting covered considerable discussion of politics and the claims of various candidates were advocated by their partisans, but nothing like favoring any candidate appeared in the committee proceedings.

Short Imprisonment--Big Fine

New York, Jan. 13.—Ex-Congressman Driggs of Brooklyn was sentenced to imprisonment of one day in jail and a fine of $10,000 for accepting money, while a congressman-elect, for securing a government contract for the purchase of automatic cashiers from the Brandt-Dent company for the postoffice department. The maximum penalty is two years in prison and $10,000 fine. Driggs' fine was paid immediately after sentence was pronounced. He does not lose his citizenship by the conviction, but cannot hold office again in the federal government. Driggs was taken to the Raymond street jail and placed in a cell. Sheriff Hesterberg decided that the term of the sentence would be complied with by detaining the prisoner until midnight.

A Division of Sentiment

Rome, Jan. 13.—While the foreign and war ministers continue to receive numerous applications for enlistment in the Macedonian international gendarmerie, which will be commanded by General Degiorgis, Ricciotti Garibaldi and Boris Sarafoff, the Macedonian revolutionary leader who is now here, have had many offers of volunteers for the purpose of forming an army to fight for the independence of Macedonia. If all these offers should be accepted the spectacle will be presented of Italians fighting against each other.

Great Compliment to Hanna

Columbus, O., Jan. 13.—The Ohio legislature, by the largest majority ever given a candidate for United States senator from Ohio, voted to return Marcus A. Hanna to the senate for a second term. The result was formally announced at a joint session today. The house cast 88 votes for Hanna and 22 votes for John H. Clarke, the Democratic candidate. The senate cast 29 votes for Hanna and four for Clarke. The Republican majority on joint ballot was 91.

Outlived Their Usefulness

Washington, Jan. 13.—The secretary of the navy has ordered that the old single-turret monitors Nahant, Jason, Canonicus, Lehigh and Montauk shall be stricken from the navy list and sold at public auction to the highest bidder. These ironclads were authorized during the Civil war. The vessels cost originally about $500,000 each, but none of them is of any value at present except as old junk.

Friends Defend Postmaster

Washington, Jan. 13.—Postmaster General Payne gave a hearing to a large number of Massachusetts citizens, who protested against the proposed removal of Postmaster Saville of Lexington, charged with selling stamps in a manner that virtually infringed on the jurisdiction of another postoffice. The papers will be forwarded to the president for his consideration.

Ready For More Trouble

Chicago, Jan. 13.—The strike of the livery drivers will be resumed tomorrow unless a settlement is reached today. A truce that had been arranged because of the Iroquois theatre fire ended last night with the employers still firm in their refusal to grant increased wages or other concessions asked.

Roof Fell on Miners

Halifax, Jan. 13.—Two coal miners, Michael Hunter, and Charles Johnson, were instantly killed in the Glace Bay colliery. A prop was driven out of place by the firing of a shot and a portion of the roof fell on them.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Germany has notified Great Britain of her readiness to appoint commissioners to negotiate a commercial treaty with Canada.

The summer residence at Dedham, Mass., of Henry B. Endicott, a Boston boot and shoe manufacturer, was damaged $9000 by fire. The house was in charge of a care-taker.

The explosion of a gasoline torch started a fire that gutted the spool bar mill at Bingham, Me.

Despondent from a long sickness, Mrs. Frederick D. Goodwin committed suicide at Newport, R. I., by taking corrosive sublimate.

Charles Belanger, aged 65, was killed instantly at Bath, Me., by the caving in of a bank of sand and rocks which had been weakened by blasting.

President Turner of the Lehigh and New England Railroad company denies that his road has been sold to any other road.

CITY BREVITIES.

Mr. and Mrs. Sargent of Goffe street move this week to Pawtucket.

The Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. has issued a large office calendar which is in great demand.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Prario are receiving congratulations a baby girl being born to them on Monday.

The Pickwick club goes to Boston tonight to the United States hotel, for their anniversary dinner.

The First church parish has a social and turkey supper tonight at the chapel; the first in the series of suppers given each month during the winter.

Frank W. Flowers, D. D. G. M., and suite will install the officers of Crescent lodge, No. 82, I. O. O. F., of East Weymouth on Thursday evening.

A verdict was given Tuesday to E. C. Stanwood of Brookline, the defendant in the case brought in the Superior court by Theodore H. Tyndale of Quincy.

Clan McGregor Installation.

There was a good deal of enthusiasm let loose Monday evening in Clan McGregor hall when Alexander Clark was installed as chief of the clan for the coming year, and A. G. MacDonnell inducted into office of tanist. This is Mr. Clark's second term of office, having been re-elected two weeks ago by an unusually large vote. Mr. MacDonnell, although a member of long standing, had never consented to be a candidate before, and did so this time only on the solicitation of the clansmen, with whom he is very popular. A collation was served after the installation. Speeches from the officers and visitors, and bagpipe playing by Adam Mackey, the clan piper, enlivened the occasion.

The Study Club.

The first of the January meetings of the Study Club was held Tuesday evening in the rectory on Elm street, with Mrs. W. E. Gardner as chairman. The subject was the book of the bible, "Esther." A paper on "The Form and Contents of the Bible" was read by Mr. Wendell Luce was followed by a second paper on "The Story of the Book of Esther," read by Miss Carrie Underwood.

The usual business meeting followed. The announcement was made of a very important social meeting which will be held on Thursday evening, January 21, in the parish house to which all the members and friends are most cordially invited.

A TIRELESS WORKER.

The Marvelous Energy That Was a Part of Macaulay.

No life was ever lived at higher pressure than that of Macaulay. He was not only "like a book in breeches," as Sydney Smith said of him; he was also like an intellectual steam engine. His thirst for knowledge was only equaled by his amazing capacity for retaining knowledge and by his passionate interest in all the aspects of life. "I wish I knew as much of anything as Macaulay knows of everything," said Melbourne, and, though the epigram may have been intended as a gibe, it approximated to the truth. To the average dullard of the world it must have seemed that this tempestuous man was literally omniscient. He plunged into Italian like a boy rejoicing in a new toy; he took up Spanish with an appetite growing by what it fed on, and then he returned to Greek with a joy which he found indescribable. He amused himself in going to India by learning German and mitigated the distress of a voyage across to Ireland by committing "Paradise Lost" to memory, claiming, doubtless with truth, that if by any inconceivable mischance the great epic were to be utterly destroyed he could from the tablets of his memory give it back to the world.—London News.

A Highland Dinner.

"The highland dinner is a very smart affair, and one that is never seen south of the Tweed," says the London Queen. "The laird wears his full dress kilt every night, and every one with any claim to a clan does the same, so that often there are more kilted men around the table than black coats.

"The full kilt dress is splendid, and a man to the manner born looks far better in it than in any other clothes. It gives width, height and dignity to the wearer, with its shayd, sporran and brooches. Not only does the laird wear his highland dress, but toward the end of dinner his piper, who has played in the hall outside during the meal, comes into the room and marches around the table. The pipes are a little deafening, but the player looks so fine that one is glad to see him. Most of the pipers in the more noble families have inherited the position from their ancestors and are rightly proud of the post. After dinner, if there is a big house party, there is often a dance. Then the piper is at his best, as he plays his pipes for the lightsome reels to be danced, beating time with his foot the while."

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.
OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
Jan. 31. tf

Side Boards and Buffets.

The Side Board adds the finishing touch to the furnishing of the dining room, and is one of the most convenient and attractive pieces of furniture ever constructed. Long linen drawer, velvet lined, silver drawer, ample cupboard, and in addition to the spacious and useful top are the extra shelves for fancy china, cut glass or silver.

Dainty Buffets with all the conveniences of a side board in condensed space. We show over 50 different styles, each one a gem of the craftman's skill. Prices, $12 00 to $50 00.

A little each week from your earnings and a side board is soon paid for.

GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store.
Hancock Street. Quincy.
We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

Cremo

The most that can be said of a 5c Cigar is told in the Smoke of the Cremo

LARGEST SELLER IN THE WORLD
The Band is the Smoker's Protection

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,
DRUGGIST,
1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

NOVELETTES

Will be a Feature for Several Weeks
OF THE
SATURDAY EIGHT-PAGE LEDGER.

EVERY STORY
IS
COPYRIGHTED AND ILLUSTRATED
AND ARE BY
Distinguished Writers.

Some Are 6 and 7 Columns in Length.

van Houten's Cocoa

Preferred by Connoisseurs for its high quality and delicious natural flavor.

Best & Goes Farthest

Your Opportunity Has Come.

Again we call Special Attention to our

Second Annual Bargain

AND

Clearance Sa'e

OF

Winter Overcoats

Ulsters, Reefers and Storm Coats.

The rush of the busy season, and season of Profit to us, is all over, and now comes the time for Close Buyers and

BARGAIN SEEKERS.

We propose to keep the business coming as in the past by offering our Winter Stock of Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers and Storm Coats, at prices that force their sale and clean out our stock in preparation for the coming season.

We do not advertise to sell at less than Cost of the Material they are made of, but we do guarantee to sell you at considerable less than than you can buy the same quality for elsewhere.

You are cordially invited to call and examine our Stock whether you wish to purchase or not.

DON'T MISS YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

WE GIVE GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

F. D. FELLOWS CO.,

Reliable Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers,

1387 Hancock Street, Quincy.

A 20 per cent. Reduction.

For dates in January and February the experiment will be tried of giving a special discount of 20 per cent. in the prices of Quincy Music Hall. The price scale as it is, though doubtless seeming high to some, is not really so when a fair account is taken of the many, many expenses of running a large hall and keeping it in first class condition, as well as the fact that at best such a hall can be rented only a small part of the time. The prices of Music Hall are not now changed, merely the experiment is to be made of giving this special discount to engagements coming in these two special months.

The Location is the best of any hall in the city. The street cars pass the door with a turn out right in front of the Hall.

The Floor is of selected maple laid with the greatest care, and is kept in perfect condition being covered with canvas when not used for dancing.

The Ventilation—a most important consideration—is such as to keep the air pure with even a crowded hall and without causing any drafts.

The Hall is Lighted by electricity, brilliantly and pleasantly, and with a switchboard arranged so that all desired effects can be obtained in the Hall proper or on the stage. Gas is used as an auxiliary light.

The Heating is direct—indirect, ample, and giving the most healthful results.

The stage has been designed with care, and is furnished with a particularly generous supply of attractive and appropriate scenery.

For Advertising, the Music Hall Billboards throughout the City are of very great value

To Darken the Hall, there are special window fittings so that at noonday the Hall can be made as dark as at midnight.

In case of fire there are pails of water and chemical fire extinguishers throughout the Hall. There is an asbestos fire curtain by which the Stage can be instantly cut off from the Hall proper. There are nine (9) doors opening from the Hall and five (5) separate exits.

As a whole, Quincy Music Hall has been carefully planned to meet the requirements of those who wish a *large and really first class Hall.*

QUINCY MUSIC HALL

Dec. 26. tf

A WARLIKE OUTLOOK

Fighting on Isthmus of Panama Not an Improbability

COLOMBIANS GATHERING

Their Invasion of New Republic's Territory Will Be Met by Forces From Our Warships, Which Are to Leave Colon

Colon, Jan. 13.—United States naval authorities here appear to be convinced from the tenor of the reports which are continually brought in that Colombia is determined to send an army to attack Panama.

The Panamaian authorities have received official confirmation of the fact that the Colombian troops at Titumati number at least 4000 men, under the command of Generals Ortiz, Uribe-Uribe, Bustamente and Novo. These troops are well armed and supplied with ammunition and have four guns, three steam launches and a good supply of cattle. The district is an unproductive one and the provisions and other supplies which the troops possess have been brought to them from other places. The government learned these facts from a reliable informant at Titumati, who contrives to send news of events from that district to Colon by means of signals and trustworthy messengers.

News has also been received that Indian Chief Inanaquina has returned to Cartagena to interview the Colombian officers regarding a request made by them for 300 Indian cayucos (small boats) to be used by the army at Titumati in crossing rivers.

Colonel Villamil, who is now stationed at Rio Mandinga, at the mouth of San Blas bay, in command of 100 Panamaian soldiers, reports that he has no need of more troops. The colonel says he has already sent out scouts as far as Conception to the east and Culebra to the west, who have confirmed the belief that the mountain trails are so difficult that it would be an easy matter for his command to stop an army attempting to pass over them.

A scouting party of the United States marines has just left Colon, on the schooner Herald, for Nombre de Dios, from where they will send a small boat to Mandikja with the object of effecting a journey to the Darien district towards Tiburon. This expedition is likely to be absent for two or three weeks and on its return the naval authorities will have the fullest information obtainable regarding trails, etc.

It is expected that all the warships will leave Colon today for the purpose of making a demonstration along the San Blas coast. The vessels will land an attacking force the moment information reaches them that Colombian troops have crossed into Panama territory.

There are no signs of a Colombian army in the vicinity of Panamian territory on the Pacific. The outlook is apparently warlike.

Panama Before the Senate

Washington, Jan. 13.—For almost five hours the senate debated the Panama question and it was still under consideration when the senate adjourned. The discussion arose over a resolution looking to the arbitration of Colombia's claims on account of the Panama revolution. It was introduced by Mr. Bacon and was met promptly by a motion on the part of Mr. Lodge to table it.

This motion aroused the feeling of senators on the Democratic side, who construed the motion as intended to cut off debate, and said they would debate the Panama question on some other resolution if not on this. Finally Mr. Lodge consented to withhold his motion and discussion proceeded throughout the day.

Republican senators in their speeches referred to the resolution as a confession of wrong on the part of the United States and expressed the opinion that any agitation of the question at this time would give undue encouragement to the people of Colombia and misrepresent the attitude of this country.

Mr. Bacon disavowed any such intention and said that he accepted the revolution as an accomplished fact. During the course of the debate Mr. Hale and Mr. Bacon practically agreed upon a declaration which Mr. Hale intimated that he would offer today in the senate. Other Republican senators indicated unwillingness to accept any measure looking to an interference with executive negotiations, while Democratic senators also intimated objections on other grounds.

The house for more than five hours considered the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, but reached no conclusions on it. A variety of topics, including Panama and the tariff, were discussed during the course of the debate.

Was Officer In Mexican War

Bristol, Tenn., Jan. 13.—Colonel George R. McClellan, 89 years of age, the oldest officer of the Mexican war, in the service of which he received his commission as colonel in 1847, died at his home here last night.

Bakers' Working Hours Limited

Albany, Jan. 13.—The court of appeals, by a divided court, decided that the state law prohibiting the employment of bakers more than 10 hours a day or 60 hours a week is constitutional.

Injured Chinaman Brings Suit

Boston, Jan. 13.—A suit for $5000 damages has been instituted by Chinese Vice Consul Nickerson on behalf of Chin Pin, an old man whose ribs were broken during the raid in Chinatown last October, against Immigration Commissioner Billings and Chinese Inspector Schell. Similar suits, it is said, are about to be begun for other injured Chinamen.

$50,000 For Catholic University

New Haven, Jan. 13.—The national board of directors of the Knights of Columbus, whose headquarters are in this city, has made arrangements for the presentation to the Catholic university in Washington, early in April, of a fund of $50,000 for the endowment of a chair of secular history. The movement to raise this fund was started four years ago.

Islanders' Impatience Grows

Naatucket, Mass., Jan. 13.—The delay in the mails is causing almost as much impatience as the gradual diminution of the food supply. It is known that there are checks and money orders on board the steamer Nantucket for the island amounting to over $6000.

Automobile Record Lowered

Detroit, Jan. 13.—Henry Ford of Detroit clipped 6 3-5 seconds off the world's automobile record for a mile. His time was 39 2-5 seconds, the previous record having been 46 seconds. The trial was made on a four-mile course especially prepared.

MODISH HATS.

Smaller Shapes Copied From Old Paintings—Shaded Effects.

In contrast to the exaggerated shapes some very small hats are being worn. These are copied from old paintings and mediæval prints, and one sees the quaint Louis XI. shapes and the furred bonnets of the middle ages converted into bewitching headgear for the modern woman.

Shaded effects are much used just now on hats and gowns, but especially on the former. The favorite combination is a deep tone of purple combined with ox blood red, shading into bright cerise. When carefully managed this is most effective, and an easy way is

TAILOR MADE HAT.

to trim a deep purple French sailor shape with a wreath of these shaded roses.

Bird of paradise plumes are again in vogue, and so are feather tips and aigrets, now that millinery is less flat than formerly. Cocks' plumes are perhaps the leading millinery ornament, but their downfall is soon predicted, because they are all too popular. They come in every shade conceivable from the palest heliotrope and pale gray to brilliant red and are placed on the hat in such a manner that they droop on the hair, forming a pretty contrast.

In the illustration is shown a tailor made hat of white felt trimmed with knotted velvet ribbon and a shaded wing under the brim.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

Are You Constipated?

It causes more than half the sickness in the world, especially of women. It can be prevented if Beecham's Pills are taken whenever nature calls for assistance. Comfort and happiness follow the use of

Beecham's Pills

Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c. and 25c.

JAMES F. BURKE,

REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.

MORTGAGES.

Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

HALL and BURGESS,

Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.

AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.

Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

F. S. BUXTON,

TEACHER OF VIOLIN

WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.
Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

A MARINE WYSTERY

Vessel Sunk With All Sails Set and Her Crew Missing

New Haven, Jan. 13.—A two-masted schooner of about 300 tons' burden is resting at the bottom of the sound near Milford, and what caused her to go to the bottom and what became of her crew is shrouded in mystery.

There are several peculiarities in connection with the sunken schooner. She is perfectly upright in the water, headed east and all sails are set and in perfect condition. She carries a mainsail, foresail, two topsails and three jibs.

The schooner was discovered by Captain Hughes of the steamer William M. Merwin. The schooner, according to Hughes, lies in 40 feet of water, three miles off Welche's Point. It is believed by Hughes that the schooner was heavily loaded and was struck by floating ice, which quickly sent her to the bottom. Both masts project out of the water several feet and if the crew had not had an opportunity to leave the schooner they could have saved themselves from drowning by climbing into the rigging. So far as can be learned by a diligent inquiry along the shore, the crew did not land in this vicinity and it is supposed that they were picked up by a passing vessel.

Without a City Treasurer

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 13.—With no less than 17 candidates from which to choose both branches of the city government met last night but failed to elect a successor to former City Treasurer Glines, who is charged with theft of $43,000 in city bonds. An order was passed for a hearing on Feb. 4 on the question of responsibility of City Auditor Rowe in connection with the Glines defalcation. The auditor will be asked why he was not more careful in his examination of Glines' accounts.

Armed Guards on Duty

Southbridge, Mass., Jan. 13.—Rumors that the plant of the American Optical company is to be blown up with high explosives came as a conclusion to a strenuous day. Earlier some former strikers who had not been re-employed after the settlement of the long strike were arrested on a charge of cutting electric cables, and three more were taken last night on suspicion of planning the escape of the first three. The plant is heavily guarded with armed men and wild excitement reigns.

Department Store Burned

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 13.—The city had a serious fire visitation last night in the destruction of the large department store of O'Donnell & Gilbride, as well as a partial damage to the central fire station, on the opposite side of the street. The loss is placed at $250,000. Rumors of incendiarism were in circulation, because the fire followed so closely two other large fires in the city, but nothing appears upon the surface to substantiate the rumors.

Prosperous Year For Fishermen

Boston, Jan. 13.—The Boston Fish bureau reports that the receipts of fresh fish at Boston from the market fleet for 1903 exceeded those of the previous year by 3,713,567 pounds, while the loss of life and property among the fishermen was less than in 1902. The catch of mackerel on the New England coast shows an increase, as is also true of the world's production, while that of codfish was less.

Exonerated Alleged Pal

Boston, Jan. 13.—While the cases of Edward J. McVicker and Michael Teehan, charged with breaking and entering, were on trial in the superior court, McVicker admitted his guilt, completely exonerating Teehan. The jury acquitted Teehan and convicted McVicker, who was sentenced to serve a year's imprisonment for breaking and entering and two years for larceny.

Baseball For New England

Boston, Jan. 13.—Representatives from Lynn, Salem, Fitchburg, Worcester, Taunton, Pawtucket and Newport met in this city last night and in a preliminary manner organized a new baseball league to be known as the New England association, to include the six above named cities and probably Woonsocket. A permanent organization will be effected later.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

is for babies and children who are thin and pale when they ought to be fat and ruddy; for men and women who are weak and delicate when they ought to be strong and hearty—for all who are not getting proper nourishment from their food.

Poor blood, thin body, open the door for disease. Scott's Emulsion bars the way. Makes the blood richer, produces healthy flesh and above all provides nourishment.

Avoid these so-called wines, cordials and extracts of cod liver oil that are prepared for the taste only, contain none of the value of cod liver oil and which contain a large percentage of alcohol.

Scott's Emulsion has been the reliable cod liver oil preparation for over a quarter of a century.

We'll send you a sample free upon request.
SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York.

HURRYING ON TREATY

Chinese-American Convention Almost an Accomplished Fact

Washington, Jan. 13.—Sir Chentung Liang Cheng, the Chinese minister here, called upon acting Secretary of State Loomis late yesterday afternoon and informed him that he had received a cable dispatch from Pekin stating that the emperor had fixed his seal to the Chinese-American treaty and further that he had acceded to the request of the American government through Minister Conger for the immediate exchange of ratifications.

Therefore, without awaiting the arrival in Washington of the copy of the treaty from Pekin, the minister and Secretary Hay will within a day or two sign a protocol equivalent to the exchange of ratifications and, the president's proclamation being issued, the convention will go into effect immediately.

The minister's advices induced the state department to change the plan it had formed earlier in the day to await the arrival of the mail copy of the treaty.

Sensational Trials Begun

Allentown, Pa., Jan. 13.—The series of trials to fix the responsibility for the murder in October last of Mabel Bechtel, the pretty 21-year-old silk mill girl of this city, has begun before Judge Trexler. David Weisenberger, one of the accused lovers of the unfortunate girl, was arraigned and acquitted of the murder charge. The case of Aloise Eckstein, Mabel Bechtel's fiancee, also charged with complicity in the crime, was then called, and the work of selecting a jury has begun. The aged mother of the dead girl, Myrtha, the 17-year-old daughter, and the two sons, Charles and John, will be tried for complicity in the crime. Thomas Bechtel, another son, committed suicide in his cell the day after he was taken into custody.

Chinese Converts Tortured

Pekin, Jan. 13.—Missionaries of the American Board of Foreign Missions complained strongly recently to Minister Conger that their converts in the district of Pao Ting Fu were being looted by bandits who claimed to be Catholics. The Chinese officials feared to act and several Christians who refused to pay blackmail were tortured. Minister Conger requested the Chinese government to suppress the bandits, but his demand was without apparent result. Secretary Williams later effected an arrangement with the officials of the district, who promised to protect the people if Minister Conger would cease to make complaint which injured them at the seat of government.

Much Wanted Crook Captured

San Francisco, Jan. 13.—Holbrook Eppill, forger and bank swindler, who is wanted in various quarters of the United States on about 100 different charges, was arrested in this city, Sheriff Shipman of Kalamazoo, Mich., assisting in the capture. Three drafts for $50 each, ready to be passed, were found among his papers. After his arrest Eppill confessed to his profitable operations of the past few years. He was apprehended through the efforts of the American Bankers' association. He will be taken back to Kalamazoo and tried on a charge of forgery.

Conspiracy Trial Launched

Washington, Jan. 13.—The trial of August W. Machen, the Groff brothers and Dr. and Mrs. George E. Lorenz, for complicity in the postal frauds, has begun in earnest. At the outset the government scored two points, when Justice Pritchard refused to make a rule requiring the district attorney to select the specific count of the indictment under which the defendants would be tried and also when he permitted certain postoffice inspectors to remain in court after the other witnesses had been required to retire.

Egerton Complimented by King

London, Jan. 13.—Major General Egerton, commanding the Somaliland expeditionary force, has been cabled King Edward's expression of satisfaction over the result of the engagement in Somaliland between the British and the forces of the mullah, which resulted in the defeat of the latter, who lost 1000 men killed. The king expresses regret over the losses of officers and men of Egerton's command.

Respite For Murderer

Harrisburg, Jan. 13.—Governor Pennypacker has respited Charles E. Kruger, who was to have been hanged at Greensburg tomorrow, until Feb. 11, for the purpose of inquiring into the mental condition of the condemned youth. Kruger recently confessed to the murder of City Treasurer Blevins of New Castle, whose murder has been a mystery.

Question of Carrying Picks

Amherst, N. S., Jan. 13.—Two hundred men in the Chinecto coal mines have gone on strike because the management refused to send their picks into the pit for them. The management holds that each man should carry his own pick, the same as is done in other collieries in Nova Scotia.

Gold Galore In Cripple Creek

Colorado Springs, Col., Jan. 13.—The most sensational gold strike in the Cripple Creek district in many years has been confirmed on Ironclad Hill. From a space no larger than a man's body ore to the value of $25,000 was shipped yesterday, some of which assays $23,000 a ton.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Thursday, Jan. 14.
Sun rises—7:12; sets—4:34.
Moon rises—4:26 a. m.
High water—8:45 a. m.; 9:30 p. m.

Temperatures continue moderate in the eastern districts and the southwest. There will be snow in New England.

The Nerves

Are good servants when they are strong; tyrannical masters when they are weak—when they will not let you sleep, nor eat, nor do anything as you should, when they keep you pale, thin and miserable.

Peptiron Pills

(Chocolate-coated)

Strengthen the nerves and make good servants of them; they are both medicine and food for them and the brain; ironize the blood, give healthy color to pale cheeks, lips and ears, create an appetite, aid digestion, and promote sweet, refreshing sleep.

Peptiron Pills are prepared only by C. I. HOOD CO., proprietors Hood's Sarsaparilla, Lowell, Mass. Price 50c. or $1.

Selling Agent in Quincy:

E. J. Murphy, 1657 Hancock St.

MISS SPEAR'S CLASSES,

148 Goffe Street.

Kindergarten and Day pupils received.
Music, Art, Sloyd, Basketry, Gymnastics, Shorthand and Tutoring taught by experts.
C. FOLLETT SPEAR, Directress.
Voice, Piano and Harmony. Oct. 15-3m

HERBERT A. HAYDEN

Piano Tuner.

Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

ANNOUNCEMENT.

EBEN HARDY,

Manufacturing OPTICIAN, .

of 21 Bromfield street, Boston, has opened a Jewelry and Optical store at 307 Newport avenue, Wollaston, opposite the depot.

Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silver Ware, Opera, Field and Marine Glasses.

Eyes examined and Glasses fitted. Broken Lenses matched and replaced in our own factory.
Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired by first-class workmen. All work guaranteed.
French Clocks called for and delivered. Send postal and we will call.

EBEN HARDY,

OPTICIAN,

370 Newport Ave., W Haston.
Dec.15—1m

LEWIS N. CURTIS

PAINTER, GLAZIER

LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger
Old Furniture Refinished.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street. Quincy.

FRANK W. BAILLIE,

PAINTER,

Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier &c
Whiting and Tinting a specialty
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

FRANK F. CRANE,

REAL ESTATE,

AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,

Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

DANCING.

COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.

BASKET BALL

AND DANCING

THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all former pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For farther particulars apply to ELMER W BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

PICTURES

FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.

Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.

H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

W. A. BRADFORD,
Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting,
Jobbing promptly attended to.
Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.
Open Monday and Saturday evenings.
Telephone 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

Don't Get Left!

THE BARGAINS IN

Men's and Boys' Clothing
And Furnishings
AT THE
C. F. DERBY Store

Are going rapidly, many lines of goods are ENTIRELY CLOSED OUT.

A few Winter Caps left at 35c., 42c. and 79c

Men's Heavy Working Shirts, 35c. worth 60c

A Lot of Boys' & Children's Suits
WILL BE SOLD THIS WEEK.
$5 Suits, $3 75, $3 Suits, $2.25 and Suits as low as 98c.

Men's Suits, 4.49, 6.50, 8 and $10
Worth Double the Money.

Only a few Men's and Boys' OVERCOATS left.
Come in and get fitted.
We'll Make the Price RIGHT
AT THE
Great Bankrupt Sale
Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple,	$8.00
Dry Pine Wood,	7.00
Dry Pine Slabs,	6.00
Green Hard Wood,	7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.
THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,
Yard between Miller and West Streets.
Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.
Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.
JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.
HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
25 years' experience
Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.
Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.
Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marten's store.
Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence in Rosendale.

Famous Authors

We have secured for early publication a number of short stories by the following distinguished writers:

Jack London
Will N. Harben
Bret Harte
Shan Bullock
Henry Seton Merriman
Maximilian Foster
Edith Wyatt
A. W. Whitcford
Herman Whitaker
J. P. Coughlan

Every story copyrighted and illustrated, Keep your eye on our columns.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	32	4	26	43	43
Monday,	30	8	36	26	42
Tuesday,	33	11	31	37	31
Wednesday,	42	24	21	34	20
Thursday,	—	35	26	34	30
Friday,	—	27	35	40	33
Saturday,	—	33	40	45	36

New Advertisements Today.

Wanted—Experienced Stitchers.
Recital and Concert.
Consolidated Fish Market.
Rooms to let.
Anastasia A. Hughes—Teacher of Piano.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Softer today.

The highest noon temperature today since Dec. 22.

On Jan. 13 of 1898 Quincy had noon temperature of 54 degrees.

W. J. Campbell, the elocutionist, will give a recital at the Water street church tomorrow evening. There will also be music.

Walter E. Loud, violinist, assisted by Frederick Blair, violoncello, and L. D. Williams at the piano, is to give a concert next Wednesday evening at Colonial hall.

The supper at the Quincy Point church tomorrow evening will include escalloped potatoes, macaroni, ham, baked beans, pies, etc. Col. Anderson will speak at 8 o'clock.

The new fish market in connection with the Consolidated grocery store will be opened on Thursday in the store formerly occupied by Charles H. Brooks, corner Hancock street and Saville street.

The entertainment committee of First church Social club has been fortunate in securing Mr. Walter E. Loud, violin; and L. D. Williams, piano, for the entertainment at the chapel on Friday evening.

Wellington, the young son of ex-Councilman and Mrs. Harry W. Read of Squantum street, who has been seriously ill for two weeks, passed away during the night. He was seven years of age.

The National Granite Bank elected these directors at its meeting on Tuesday: Theophilus King, Edwin W. Marsh, James Thompson, Joseph H. Vogel, Clarence Burgin, Rupert F. Claflin, Delcevare King and Russell A. Sears.

The National Mt. Wollaston Bank has elected these directors who have organized with Charles A. Howland as president: Charles A. Howland, Horace B. Spear, Herbert F. Doble, George H. Field, Lester M. Pratt, Henry M. Faxon, George W. Morton and Frank S. Patch.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Porter of Spring lane have the sympathy of their friends in the loss of their youngest child, Arvella, a very beautiful and unusually attractive child. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon and were conducted by Rev. E. N. Hardy of Bethany church.

A merry sleighing party of young people from Roslindale was entertained at Hotel Greenleaf on Tuesday evening. After an oyster supper there was music and dancing in the parlor. About midnight they started homeward making the night glad with mingling of cheers, laughter, and sleighbells.

The funeral of Obadiah B. Saunders was held Tuesday from his home on Vassel street. Services were conducted by Rev. Edmund D. Webber. They were attended by John Hancock lodge of Odd Fellows, and Hodenosaunee tribe of Red Men, both of which organizations performed their burial services. The burial was at South Framingham.

The Sagamore club of Atlantic with lady friends will participate in a sleigh ride party this evening, weather permitting. A large boat sleigh has been hired for the occasion. They will leave the club at seven, stopping at a hotel during the ride for supper. On their return to the club they will give a short entertainment for their lady friends.

COST REDUCED.

For Education at Woodward Institute.

The Calendar for the Year.

Directors of the Institute Organize for 1904.

The annual meeting of the directors of the Woodward Institute was held Tuesday afternoon. The board organized with these officers:

Chairman,—Rev. Ellery C. Butler.
Vice Chairman,—Rev. Frank W. Pratt.
Secretary,—Rev. William B. Barr.
Finance Committee,—Rev. Nathaniel J. Sproul, Rev. William A. Mayo and Rev. Leon H. Austin.
Committee on Text Books and Supplies,—Rev. Carlton P. Mills, Rev. William J. Heath and Rev. Edmund D. Webber.
Janitor,—Seth W. Fiske.

It was voted to include a course in domestic science and household arts to begin next September.

The following calendar was adopted for the year:

Winter term,—Monday Jan. 24, to Wednesday, March 23.
Founders Day—Saturday, March 12.
Spring term,—Monday April 4, to Fridoy, June 24.
Graduation,—Wednesday June 22.
Entrance examinations,—Friday, June 24, and Monday, Sept. 12, at 9 A. M.
Fall term,—Monday Sept. 12, to Wednesday, Dec. 21.
New Year,— Jan. 2, 1905.

The report of the finance committee showed the total cost for maintenance, including improvements and repairs for the year 1903, to have been $11,877.79, which is considerably smaller than in recent years, notwithstanding the increased number of pupils.

During the past four years there has been a constant decrease per capita until now it is less than one-half what it was at that time.

The number of pupils now enrolled is 164, a gain of nine over last year, notwithstanding the abolishment of the preparatory class.

THE LEGISLATURE.

An important measure for towns has been introduced by Representative Treadway of Stockbridge. The bill provides for the appointment by the board of selectmen and assessors, 60 days before the annual meeting, of a committee of five citizens, who shall be termed the appropriation committee, and who shall serve for one year, with renumeration at the rate of $3 per day for each day's service rendered.

This committee shall, on the warrant for the town meeting, give public hearings, at least three in number, on all articles calling for appropriation of money. The committee shall prepare a schedule of appropriations for the annual town meeting. It shall be unlawful for any town to exceed this schedule of appropriations more than 10 percent. except by a four-fifths vote of those present and voting.

Slight Fire.

The alarm from Box 136 at 10.45 this morning was for a slight fire in a store in the Litchman building on Water street. The occupant of the store started a fire and then left it for a few minutes when she came back the store was on fire. The loss will not exceed $30.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal conditon, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

DIED.

COOK—In Quincy, Jan. 11, Miss Sarah Cook, aged 8[illegible] years.
Funeral from residence of Mrs. George W. Park, 324 Franklin street, Thursday, Jan. 14, at 1.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

PORTER—In Quincy, Jan. 9, Arvella I., daughter of Mr. Henry L. and Mrs. Sarah Ann Porter aged 9 months.

READ—In Atlantic, Jan. 13, Wellington Humphrey, son of Mr. Harry W., and Mrs. Mary M. Read of Squantum street, aged 7 years.
Funeral on Thursday, Jan. 14, at 2 P. M.

BANQUET.

(Continued from page 1.)

He spoke in his characteristic way and kept his hearers in constant good humor. He had been invited to come and put things into him instead of putting them out. He was glad to meet men who do things. Men who are good on the water. Men that can furl a sail and can put their hand to the helm. Men who are brave enough to brave a storm and brave a sea.

He loved to see a man who was a brave man. There are several kinds of brave men and two kinds of bravery, these classes he forcibly illustrated by incidents that came under his observations during the Civil war. The world is going to depend on America for everything, especially on how to build boats and handle them.

There is something practical, more than fun, in our Quincy Yacht club. Something that is upbuilding. We want to be loyal to the work that is to be done. The man who lays the lines of a boat that is to be something better, is a man to be looked up to. The Fore River company will draw attention to Quincy and its yacht club.

We want men who have done things and can do things. The whole world is looking to America, with wonder at its navy that can do anything. It is to be a wonder to the whole world, not only our navy but our auxiliary navy. The time is coming when the Quincy Yacht club will lead the yacht clubs of America in yachts and methods of handling them.

Col. Anderson forcibly illustrated his remarks by incidents that came under his observation during the Civil war, and on his recent trip to Labrador. His remarks were greeted with applause and he was given a rising vote of thanks.

W. H. Shaw felt that when a body got together for a good time it was not enough to eat, smoke and have a few skyrockets. He felt that it should be a mark on the calendar as a day when the Quincy Yacht club started something. What he hoped to see was a channel so that there would be three or four feet of water at all tides up to Sea street.

John P. Bainbridge thought it was a good time to start a boom and get in a little work for Commodore Sheppard for another term.

Vice Commodore Crane agreed with the last speaker. Commodore Sheppard had been a man who had worked hard for the club, and he hoped he would be given a third term.

Commodore Sheppard said he was not a candidate for reelection as he did not feel as though he could afford the time.

His protest will probably not be allowed.

The meeting then adjourned. Those present aside from those mentioned above were:

W. H. Shaw
I. M. Whittemore.
Elmer F. Ricker.
Alfred J. Rogers, Jr.
A. T. Bliss.
Charles W. Hall.
Henry S. Crane.
Herbert R. Holmes.
Joseph L. Whiton, Jr.
A. A. Lincoln.
Amos L. Merritt.
H. E. Spear.
George T. Magee.
Edgar W. Haskell.
W. H. Dean.
Dr. E. S. Taylor.
William Norteman.
L. Peter Besse.
Henry C. Cottle.
P. Figenhammen.
C. R. Snow.
Joseph F. Lewis.
George E. Urann.
E. L. Adams.
R. L. Pond, Jr.
F. Hastings, Jr.,
R. W. Bradlee.
Harry B. Brasee.
Herbert W. Rodgers.
Arthur J. Cavanagh.
Arthur T. Downey.
William K. Reilly.
George B. Gavin.
Dr. F. S. Andrews.
E. M Hamblett.
Charles H Gould.
H. A. Nash, Jr.
R. R. Bolles.
John P. Bainbridge.
F. B. Rice.
E. O. Cockayne.
George H Brown.
G. Wesley Sargent.

Will Make Street Parade.

The greatest success achieved in the last decade by any "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Company is that won by Leon W. Washburn's which plays on Friday night, Jan. 15, at Music hall, Quincy.

Of all the dramatic successes known, there are none that equals this great play. It is established in popular favor as well as everywhere else, and needs no endorsement from other cities. It is sufficient to say that it will be presented by an excellent company of fifty persons and with new and elaborate scenery gotten up for this season's tour. A grand street parade will be given.

Another social will be held by the Mt. Wollaston Associates at Odd Fellows hall this evening, to include whist and dancing.

Rainy today.

FATAL ACCIDENT.

An Employe at the Shipyard Struck by Shifting Engine.

Carmi Di Labarbo, an Italian employed at the Fore River Works, was killed at the yards early Tuesday evening by being struck by the shifting engine. He sustained a broken arm and leg and internal injuries which caused death in about an hour.

He was 41 years of age and lived at 24 Revere road. He leaves a widow and four children.

Cochato Club, Braintree.

Society people of Braintree and neighboring towns completely filled Cochato hall, Braintree, Tuesday evening and enjoyed the concert by the Pierian Sodality of Harvard university. It was the seventh entertainment in the course being given this winter by the Cochato club and was one of the most enjoyable, especially to the young people, as dancing followed the concert.

Nat Wales, son of Mr. George O. Wales, is president of the Sodality, and is as popular with the boys as he has always been with the young people of his own town.

The following program was given, augmented by extras in response to hearty encore:

The Stadium March, R. W. Johnston, '03
Raymond Overture, Thomas
Huzza (Wine Song), Buck
Glee Club.
Le Deriner Sommeil de la Vierge, Massenet
Stein Song, Luders
Mr. J. K. Jackson, '04, and Club.
Men of Harvard March, G. Grey, '06
Pickaninny Lullaby, Macy
Glee Club.
Spanish Dances, Moszkowski
Tom, the Piper's Son, Kendall
Glee Club.
Mocking Bird—Selections.
Fair Harvard.

Whist at Milton.

A whist party was given in Ellsworth hall, East Milton, Tuesday evening, by the W. C. A., in aid of the Consumptives' Home. The hall was filled and at 8.30 the game was started. The tables were arranged in rows, each in charge of a lady member of the Association. Mr. L. Ferguson had full charge of the tables. At ten o'clock the game was stopped and the numerous prizes distributed. A musical program was then given by local talent. Mr. James Lee in vocal selections was greatly appreciated. Mr. Bartlett McLane, in a recitation, had to respond to an encore. Miss Sadie McKay, in a piano solo, given entirely by the left hand, also had to respond to an encore. A collation was served by the ladies in charge. The affair was a great success.

Merrymount Club.

The Merrymount club of Wollaston has elected these officers:

President,—R. R. Freeman.
Vice President,—Edward A. Lyman.
Secretary,—Edward A. Bowker.
Treasurer,—Walter O. Parker.
Executive Committee, — Hamilton Flood, James Casey, Dr. Charles E. Monroe, Gilbert R. Kent and Horace S. Taylor.
Base Ball Managers,—Gilbert R. Kent and Francis A. Neff.
The club now numbers 94 members.

New Market

We are pleased to learn that F. B. Washburn, a native of Quincy and well known to many of our citizens, will have charge of the new fish market that opens tomorrow at Brooks' old store, corner of Saville and Hancock streets, Quincy. He has had many years experience and is capable of giving our people nice fish of all kinds.

A graphaphone furnished the entertainment at the meeting of Bethary Brotherhood Tuesday evening. Reports were received at the business meeting. Light refreshments were served.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.
Nov. 2. 6mos.

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

W. G. CHUBBUCK,
Furniture and Piano Mover
IN AND OUT OF TOWN.
Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.
JOBBING.
Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.
lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

JAPAN'S FIGHTERS

Army Said to Consist of Six Hundred Thousand Men

COAST WELL PROTECTED

Russian Opinion Is That Failure of Negotiations Would Not Necessarily Mean War--Both Sides Desire to Avoid Attack

St. Petersburg, Jan. 13.—Mr. Kurino, the Japanese minister, in an interview said that if war should come he believed it would be a prolonged one. He said it was difficult now to see how it could be decisive, considered solely from a military point of view.

"The majority of the people of Russia," said the minister, "and many persons abroad, have under-estimated Japan's strength, the idea prevailing in some otherwise well informed quarters that Japan would be unable to put more than 200,000 soldiers in the field. This idea is entirely erroneous."

Minister Kurino said he was still hopeful of peace, but was confident that if necessary the Japanese army of more than 600,000 men would give a good account of itself and do credit to Japan's military system and that country's system of compulsory education. He said that Japan's coast defenses were so strong that General Kuropatkin, the Russian minister of war, had freely admitted that even a coalition of the powers would be unable to effect a landing on Japanese soil.

The opinion prevailing abroad that the termination of negotiations would necessarily mean war is not held very strongly here. It is pointed out that Russia has never declared what she intends to do. If Japan occupies Corea the belief prevails in some quarters that Russia would not risk a naval engagement, but would occupy northern Gorea, Japan meanwhile possibly entrenching herself on the southern slope above Gensa, 115 miles northeast of Seoul.

While this is merely speculation in diplomatic circles it is given as one of the reasons for believing that, even in the event of the failure of the present negotiations, the desire of both sides to avoid the odium of an attack might lead to a final delimitation of the boundaries on the basis of the territory occupied.

Ready to Wreck Siberian Road

Liverpool, Eng., Jan. 13.—"At least 200 Japanese military engineers disguised as Chinese coolies, barbers and other menials have already been distributed at points along the railway, and it would not be a fortnight after the declaration of war before the line would be blown up at a dozen places." This interesting statement in connection with the strategic value of the trans-Siberian railway is made by Fulford Bush, a member of a British mercantile firm at New Chwang.

Addressing the Liverpool Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Bush, after covering the question of the light construction of the railway and the probability of the line being blocked if subjected to heavy military traffic, said that his own observations, coupled with trustworthy native information, convinced him that Japan is already to destroy it at one blow.

Coreans Favor the Japs

Seoul, Jan. 13.—The emperor of Corea has ordered the opening of Wiju, subject to the acquiescence of China by telegraph. The American, English, Russian, Italian and Japanese legations at Seoul are under guard. It is stated that sweeping changes will be made soon in the personnel of the Corean government favorable to Japanese interests.

Chinese Shipping Stores

Chefoo, Jan. 13.—Stores for the use of troops in the Yalu river district have been ordered to be sent from Liam Yang, from which point one regiment is already in preparation to proceed to the Yalu. General Piniug, chief of staff, while admitting that every preparation is being made, disclaims any belief that there will be a war.

Old Soldiers Pay Last Respects

Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 13.—The train bearing General Gordon's body pulled into the station at Jacksonville at 7:58 last night. Two thousand persons had come to pay their respects to the dead soldier. Only the veterans had an opportunity of entering the car where the body lay. The Confederate veterans carried United States and Confederate flags draped in mourning.

Probably Slain by Negro

Charleston, Jan. 13.—The body of young Howell, who disappeared from his home in Columbia on Christmas day, and for whom extensive searches have been made, was discovered by hunters near that city. He had been murdered and the axe with which the deed was done was found nearby. Howell went out with a negro to cut holly bushes. The negro has disappeared.

Grafters Still In Evidence

St. Louis, Jan. 13.—Investigation into the rumor that a new combine has been formed in the house of delegates to secure boodle money has, it is alleged, produced the information that a $15,000 bribe was solicited to insure the passage of a bill authorizing the establishment of a pneumatic tube service between union station and the World's fair grounds.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines, steady work. Apply to MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy. Jan. 13. tf

EXPERIENCED Coatmaker and Dressmaker would go out by day or take work home. Fine tailorers. Address 656 Washington street, Quincy Point. Jan. 11-3t

WANTED—In East Milton, a Swedish Girl for general housework who can speak English. Enquire at Ledger office. Jan. 8. 6t

WANTED, LADIES AND GENTS—We pay $12 per 1,000 cash, copying at home; everything furnished; send stamp. Monarch Supply Co., Station 3, Worcester, Mass. Jan. 6-6t

FOR SALE.

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom made pung built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition. GEORGE H. WILSON. Quincy, Jan. 12. tf

FOR SALE—Second hand two seated Sleigh in good condition. JOHN VOGEL, 65 Willard street, West Quincy. Jan. 8. 6t

TO LET.

ROOMS TO LET—Pleasant, warm room for two; hot and cold water; bath. 632 Washington street. Quincy, Jan. 13. 3t

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30. lp-tf

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of an electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24. tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust.
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

1904 JANUARY 1904

Su.	Mo.	Tu.	We.	Th.	Fr.	Sa.
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24 31	25	26	27	28	29	30

MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon 3 0:47 a. m.
Third Quarter 9 4:10 p. m.
New Moon 17 1:06 a. m.
First Quarter 25 3:46 p. m.

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 12. QUINCY, MASS., THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

Many Quincy Cases In Order in Superior Court.

Report of Committee on Revision of Salaries.

ALL GOODS WILL BE DELIVERED FREE AT RESIDENCES IN QUINCY.

John H. Pray & Sons Co.

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF

FLOOR COVERINGS

Assortment — COMPLETE
Prices — — — RIGHT
Work — — — PROMPT

It is generally known that we are ***Distributors of Floor Coverings*** of every description, and we desire it to be equally well known that we have all grades of ***Upholstery Fabrics, Lace Curtains, Furniture Coverings, etc.***

The advice of an interior decorator is at your service, if desired. Goods displayed either in our show-room or at residences. Estimates furnished for covering single pieces of furniture or for completely decorating either a single room or an entire house.

For eighty-six years, under the same firm name, we have distributed to the public, to our neighbors, to our friends, Carpets and Rugs, and until we added Interior Decorations and Upholstery Fabrics our sole and entire business has been Floor Coverings.

Does not this record make for intelligent confidence on your part?

Pray Building, Washington St., opposite Boylston St. BOSTON

Represented in Quincy by Mr. Otho A. Hayward; in Wollaston by Mr. W. J. Wellington

LIGHT!

Do not waste your money on Inferior Gas Lamps.

Get the Genuine 20th Century Light.

Burns by actual test 4 cubic feet of Gas per Hour.
Light effectually 100 candle power.
These lights on exhibition at

W. A. BRADFORD'S,

PLUMBING, HEATING, LIGHTING,

Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Jan. 14. 6t

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,

DRUGGIST,

1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON

Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

MAYOR DEFENDANT

In Case Brought by J. F. Sheppard & Son.

H. H. Faxon Sued by C. L. Prescott

G. B. Bates Has a Suit Against City of Quincy.

The following cases are in order at the civil session of the Norfolk county Superior court now in session at Dedham:

2946, Clark v. Badger.
1221, Connors v. county of Norfolk.
1411, Leonard v. Draper et al.
1528, Rohan v. county of Norfolk.
1640, Whelan et al. v. Scott et al.
1662, Mitchell v. Feely.
1698, Boston v. inhts. of Hyde Park.
1781, Haley v. city of Boston.
2011, De Lory v. inhts. of Weymouth.
2012, same v. same.
2061, Dawson v. Ramsdell.
2062, same v. same.
2132, Curran v. Quincy Granite Quarries Co.
2229, Baker v. county of Norfolk.
2282, Bates et al. v. city of Quincy.
2297, Paton v. Fisher et al.
2310, Cox v. Raymond.
2311, Hancock v. same.
2330, Randall v. inhts. of Braintree.
2351, Rogers v. same.
2357, Morse v. Fraternal Accident Association of America.
2370, Hook v. Milton Water Co.
2390, Carey v. Thayer, Jr., et al.
2391, same v. same.
2392, Prescott v. Faxon et al.
2396, Hewett v. Goodspeed.
2400, Chickering v. N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.
2571, Dix v. Old Colony St. Ry. Co.
2572, Daniels v. Charles River Mutual Ins. Co.
2573, Brown v. Boston Elevated Ry. Co.
2596, Mullen v. Old Colony St. Ry. Co.
2597, same v. same.
2598, Swears v. same.
2599, Emerson v. N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.
2601, Alioto v. Boston Elevated Ry. Co.
2602, Babcock v. Norfork & Bristol St. Ry. Co.
2603, Jones v. Dewar.
2628, Forrester v. inhabitants of Foxboro.
2629, Sawyer v. Porter.
2630, Sheppard et al. v. Bryant.
2631, Evans v. Whipple.
2632, Kellaher v. same.
2637, Faircloth v. Prescott.
2638, same v. Williams.
2640, Spain v. Quincy Granite Quarries Co.
2645, Paul v. Wright et al.
2647, Mack v. Boston Elev. Ry. Co.
2648, Cromwell v. Messer.
2660, city of Quincy v. inhabitants of Weymouth.
2662, Wilson et al. v. Vose et al.
2663, Rice v. commonwealth.
2664, same v. same.
2667, Perkins et al. v. Union Casualty & Surety Co.
2401, Same v. Same.
2402, Colburn et. al. v. Same.
2403, Higgins v. Same.
2404, McOwen v. Slamen.
2412, White v. City of Boston.
2435, McCarthy v. Inhabitants of Dedham.
2450, Cushman v. Lyons.
2471, Cole v. Ware.
2477, Bond v. Harriman.
2496, Howes v. Kingman.
2497, Ollsson v. Porter.
2498, Bjornson v. Bradley.
2506, Sprague v. Corey.
2508, Bryan v. Chase.
2515, Dewar v. Jones.
2519, McDonald v. B. F. Sturtevant Co.
2522, Truehart v. Boone.
2524, Donaher v. Rossiter.
2532, Klous v. Commonwealth.
2536, Devlin v. Same.
2547, Crosby v. Old Colony St. Ry. Co.
2549, Cook v. Same.
2550, Same v. Same.
2551, Hodgkinson v. Same.
2552, Same v. Same.
2559, Moores v. Harding et. al.
2560, Hebblethwaite v. Old Colony St. Ry. Co.
2561, Same v. Same.
2467, Baker v. J. S. Packard Dredging Co.
2568, Dewar v. Jones.

Quick Run of Lawson.

A dispatch from Vineyard Haven to Herald says the schooner Thomas W. Lawson was still anchored in the sound Wednesday, waiting for the wind to change. Capt. Crowley reported to Capt. Howes of the tug Storm King that the big seven-master was 36 hours in running from Cape Henry to Vineyard Sound lightship. She has on board 8000 tons of soft coal—one of the largest freights ever brought north in one vessel.

Demandant Not Defendant.

It was Theodore H. Tyndale the demandant, and not E. C. Standwood the defendant, who won the case in the Superior court at Dedham this week, a plea in land to determine the right of plaintiff, as administrator of the estate of Mrs. Isabella S. Whicher, to sell a certain parcel of land in Quincy, belonging to estate of the deceased.

The alleged transfer was made by Mrs. Whicher to her son-in-law a few days before her death, to prevent the National Granite bank from recovering on a claim for about $15,000.

—Salt will put out a fire in the chimney; also will revive a low coal fire, if thrown on it.

YOUR PERSONAL APPEARANCE

depends upon the condition of your face. What a satisfaction in the morning to know that you have a clean shave. You can shave yourself quickly and with comfort if you use "EASY-SHAVE," the new lather. Try it today. At Druggists, 15c.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

JANUARY MARK DOWN SALE
— OF —
COATS.

New up-to-date Coats
Were $7.98, now **$5.00.**
Were $9.98, now **$6.98.**

We have only 2 Zibeline Coats left.
Prices, $17.98 and $25.00.
Choice now, **$12.98.**

Every Coat in the store Marked Down.

O. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

MILLER'S

4 Quarts Potatoes,	.01
2 lbs. Sugar,	.01
Can Tomatoes,	.01
Pkg. Ginger,	.01

Inclosed in our Full Basket Sale

JANUARY 12 to 16.

$2.00, Stamps, With Each BASKET.

$1.00. $1.00.

V. E. MILLER,

CASH GROCER,

Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass.

CUT OF $600.

Proposed for Norfolk County Commissioners.

Increase for Clerk of Courts.

Few Other Changes Among County Officers.

Norfolk country is interested in the report on revision of salaries made to the Legislature on Wednesday, as some radical changes are proposed in the salaries of Norfolk county officials. Some are increased and some are decreased.

The most important changes contemplated are: Reductions of $200 each to $1,200, for the Norfolk county commissioners, and an increase of $700, to $3,500, for the Norfolk County clerk of courts, as will be seen by the following summary:

	At Present.	Proposed.
Commissioners (for three),	$4,200	$3,600
Clerk of Courts,	2,800	3,500
Register of Deeds,	3,000	3,200
Assistant Register,	1,600	1,600
*Judge of Probate,	2,800	2,800
*Register of Probate,	2,300	2,300
*Assistant Register,	1,200	1,150
*District Attorney,	2,400	2,400
*Assistant Attorney,	1,400	1,600
	$21,700	$22,150

* Paid by Commonwealth.

The committee recommends that the police, municipal and district courts, other than the municipal court of Boston, in respect of salaries of the justices, be divided into 10 classes; that the clerks receive a salary equal to three-fifths of the salary of the justices, and that the assistant clerks receive a salary equal to two-thirds of the salary of the clerks.

The report says in part: "The tendency of recent legislation has not been to equalize salaries, but rather to grade up the lower salaries to the one highest in the class, thereby adding every year to the burden upon the treasuries of the counties and the commonwealth.

"The aim of this committee has been to formulate a system, not only for officials of the lower courts, but for county officials, which without making too radical changes in existing salaries, shall produce a uniformity of compensation for work of similar character in various parts of the state, and which, if adopted, will discourage, if not altogether prevent, individual application for increased salaries.

"Most of its classifications are based upon population, for the reason that, after careful consideration, this seems to be not only the fairest, but also the most convenient, system. If the committee's recommendations shall be adopted as a whole, the salary list will not come up for readjustment oftener than once in five years, when the state or national census is taken. Then necessary changes will suggest themselves automatically."

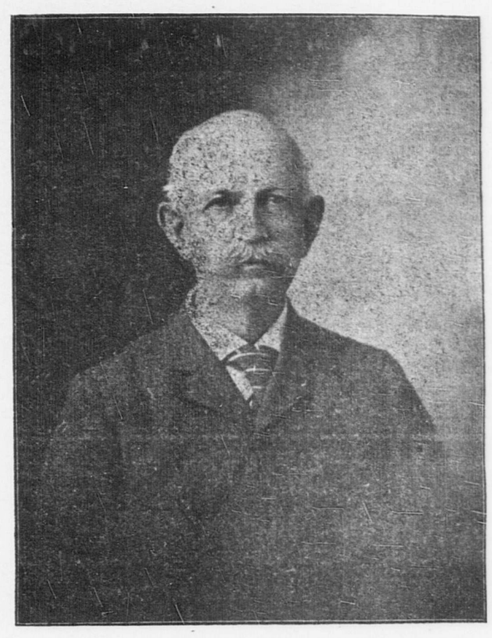
A Doctor Noble Grand.

The following officers of John Hancock Lodge, No. 224, of Wollaston were installed on Wednesday evening by D. D. G. M. F. M. Churchill and suite from Dorchester.

N. G.,—Dr. C. S. Adams.
V. G.,—J. P. Thomas.
Rec. Sec.,—G. C. Ela.
Fin. Sec.,—A. M. Tirrell.
Treas.,—J. L. Smith.
War.,—N. S. Sanford.
O. G.,—H. W. Waite.
R. S. N. G.,—A. S. Johnston.
L. S. N. G.,—W. T. S. Loughead.
R. S. V. G.,—H. Thomas.
R. S. S.,—G. A. Wardwell.
L. S. S.,—E. W. Millett.
Chap.,—D. Brown.

TODAY'S COURT.

Emma Peterson was arraigned for violation of the liquor law at Quincy. Case continued until Jan. 22.



COUNTY COMMISSIONER WRIGHT.

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24. tf

Your Opportunity Has Come.

Again we call Special Attention to our

Second Annual Bargain

AND

Clearance Sale

OF

Winter Overcoats

Ulsters, Reefers and Storm Coats.

The rush of the busy season, and season of Profit to us, is all over, and now comes the time for Close Buyers and

BARGAIN SEEKERS.

We propose to keep the business coming as in the past by offering our Winter Stock of Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers and Storm Coats, at prices that force their sale and clean out our stock in preparation for the coming season.

We do not advertise to sell at less than Cost of the Material they are made of, but we do guarantee to sell you at considerable less than than you can buy the same quality for elsewhere.

You are cordially invited to call and examine our Stock whether you wish to purchase or not.

DON'T MISS YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

WE GIVE GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

F. D. FELLOWS CO.,

Reliable Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers,
1387 Hancock Street, Quincy.

IFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

ements in this column inserted at the
ates:
s, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
three days, - - - 50 cents
one week, - - - - 75 cents
al lines will be charged for pro rata,
ls equal a line. Long term rates fur-
pplication.

WANTED.

TED—Experienced Stitchers, power
chines, steady work. Apply to
LBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy.
tf

IENCED Coatmaker and Dress-
r would go out by day or take work
ne tailorers. Address 656 Washing-
Quincy Point. Jan. 11-3t

ED—In East Milton, a Swedish
l for general housework who can
ish. Enquire at Ledger office.
6t

TED, LADIES AND GENTS—We
$12 per 1,000 cash, copying at
erything furnished; send stamp,
Supply Co., Station 3, Worcester,
Jan. 6-6t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A Custom made pung
for the Grocery and Provision busi-
le runner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILSON.
Jan. 12. tf

ALE—Second hand two seated
h in good condition. JOHN
5 Willard street, West Quincy.
6t

TO LET.

S TO LET—Pleasant, warm room
two; hot and cold water; bath.
ington street.
Jan. 13. 3t

T—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all
provements, at 22 Blake street. Rent,
month. Apply to F. M. TORREY,
Blake street, Wollaston.
lp-tf

T—Nice tenement containing five
and bath, furnace heat, situate No.
ck street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES
E, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank
Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

ET—Tenements, all improvements.
ly to J. W. PRATT, 74 Indepen-
nue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
tf

T—Two Rooms, furnished or un-
ished. Apply 26 School street.
Nov. 23. tf

T—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point,
tly occupied by L. C. Embree &
y to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf
Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

SE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern
provements, electric lights, with stable
y Point. Within one minute of the
ars and within ten minutes' walk of
River Ship and Engine Company
the office of FRANK F. CRANE,
t street, Quincy, Mass.
tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms
bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of
ailroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per
ll be leased for one or two years,
s required. Apply at the office of
F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street,
lass. Dec. 24-tf

TO LET.

ellent Offices in the new
k Building, City Square. A good
unity for lawyers.
and Ante-Rooms in the
af Block. These are all furnished
ated, and will be let permanently
e privilege of sub-letting, or for
nights each month.
nished Lodging Rooms in
Durgin-Merrill Block. Most con-
Offices in the Durgin-Merrill
nly one flight up, and right at the
the stairs. These will be let separ-
together. A good chance for a
tore in Music Hall Block.
of a Store. Price very
able.
Tenement—recently papered—four
oms, besides ample closets, etc.—city
on Granite street, in the rear of
reenleaf.
Office in Hancock Chambers—up
ht and at the head of the stairs.
urnished Lodging Rooms
d convenient.
ory or Shop on Granite street,
are of HotelGreenleaf.
dry or Shop—just put in good
hop on the ground floor, in the
Music Hall Block.

ncy Real Estate Trust.
Hall Block, QUINCY.

4 JANUARY 1904

Mo.	Tu.	We.	Th.	Fr.	Sa.
				1	2
4	5	6	7	8	9
11	12	13	14	15	16
18	19	20	21	22	23
25	26	27	28	29	30

MOON'S PHASES.

8 9:47 a. m. 4:10 p.m. New Moon 17 10:41 a.m. First Quarter 25 3:51 p.m.

FIRST CHURCH SOCIAL CLUB
FIRST ENTERTAINMENT,
FRIDAY EVENING at 8 o'clock
In the *CHAPEL* by the
Wollaston Glee Club,
25 Voices.
JOHN HARRIS GUTTERSON
In informal and amusing sketches.
Walter E. Loud, violin. L. D. Williams, piano.
Single Tickets, 50 cents.
Can be obtained at the office of Mr. L. S. Anderson, Savings Bank Building, between the hours of 8 to 12 A. M. and 2 to 5 P. M. and at the door.
Jan. 12. 3t

MUSIC HALL, - - - QUINCY.
ONE BIG NIGHT,
FRIDAY, JAN 15th,
STETSON'S BIG DOUBLE
Uncle Tom's Cabin Co.

The World-Renowned Tennesseeans, Jubilee Singers, in Quartette Refrains, Banjo Playing, Imitations, Camp Meeting Songs, etc.

Cotton Picking and Plantation Scenes in which are introduced many Artists with Laughter-Provoking Specialties.

Pack of Full-blooded Cuban Bloodhounds Trained to take part in the Drama, are used in the Thrilling Scene showing Eliza's Escape from the Slave-Hunters.

Beautiful Tableaux and Transformation Scenes are displayed thr ughout the Play, the one representing Little Eva's Ascent into Heaven, being pronounced by Critics the Finest ever Presented.

PEOPLE'S PRICES, 25, 35, 50c.
Seats now on sale at Music Hall Pharmacy
Jan. 9. 6t

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

F. S. BUXTON,
TEACHER OF VIOLIN
WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.
Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-ly

ANNOUNCEMENT.
EBEN HARDY
Manufacturing OPTICIAN . .
of 21 Bromfield street, Boston, has opene a Jewelry and Optical store at 307 Newport avenue, Wollaston, opposite the depot.
Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silver Ware, Opera, Field and Marine Glasses.
Eyes examined and Glasses fitted. Broken Lenses matched and replaced in our own factory.
Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired by workmen. All work guaranteed.
Clocks called for and delivered. and we will call.
EBEN HARDY,
OPTICIAN,
[illegible] Newport Ave., Wollaston.
Jan. 15—1m

DANCING.
COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.
BASKET BALL
AND DANCING
THURSDAY EVENINGS.
Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.
Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.
TERMS.
10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all former pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.
MUSIC.
William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.
HALL.
The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.
For further particulars apply to ELMER W BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

MISS SPEAR'S CLASSES,
148 Goffe Street.
Kindergarten and Day pupils received.
Music, Art, Sloyd, Basketry, Gymnastics, Shorthand and Tutoring taught by experts.
C. FOLLETT SPEAR, Directress.
Voice, Piano and Harmony. Oct. 15-3m

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.
THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.
Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by
GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.
Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.
☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.
Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee in ertion.
TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.
Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.
ALSO PUBLISHERS OF
The Quincy Patriot.
A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the
Braintree Observer and Reporter
A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

One expects that higher education at the Woodward institute will cost more than at the public schools, but there is quite a difference between $72.43 per capita at the Woodward and $24.71 per capita in our public schools. It is another evidence that the public schools of Quincy are economically managed when they cost only one-third what it does at the Woodward. The young ladies of the Woodward should appreciate the fact that $72.43 are being paid annually for their education.

William J. Bryan, who arrived home Saturday on the Celtic, objects to holding the Democratic national convention in New York, or anywhere in "the enemy's country." Enjoyed his journey hugely. Was enthusiastically received in Europe by the Czar, the Pope, King Edward, President Loubet, Tolstoi, and the Crown Prince of Denmark. He talks as if they put their arms around him and called him their "dear cousin."

Drift of Opinion.

☞When once we give way to temper, temper will claim a right of way, and come in easier every time. He that will be in a pet for any little thing will soon be out at elbows about nothing at all. A thunderstorm curdles the milk, and so does a passion sour the heart and spoil the character.—Spurgeon.

☞The life of the worker of daily press who is thoroughly devoted to his calling is strenuous and laborious. It is attended with an almost incessant strain upon the patience and the nerves. The work is never ended, the responsibility and the anxiety never cease. Emergencies are always imminent, and they demand the full expenditure of brain and muscle. Those who enter upon it should do so with as keen a sense of its responsibilities as if entering any one of the so called learned professions.—Samuel Bowles, editor Springfield Republican.

☞No football team from any American college finished the season with better reason for contentment than the young Indians of the Carlisle school. They showed themselves to be good individual players and good team players, so that they gave a hard rub to some of the strongest college elevens. But better than this, they were even in temper, and displayed self-control and patience in trying circumstances. No charges of "slugging" could be made against them. They won the respect of every team they played with, and all who saw them play.—The Youth's Companion.

☞Summing up the question whether the world is growing worse or better, there is much to be said on both sides. Light is increasing, and those who accept and use increasing light grow better, while, on the other hand, the greater the light which men reject the greater is their guilt. I believe the good people in the world are better than they used to be, and the bad people are worse, but, on the whole, the world is growing better. God is not wasting time. Surely there is no occasion for discouragement. A discouraged Christian is a sight for Heaven to wonder at.—Josiah Strong, President American Institute of Social Science.

☞Few people will be able to arouse much sympathy for the government clerks in Washington who are expected henceforth to work seven hours a day instead of six and a half. The law provides that they shall work seven hours, and considering the fact that most of their work is easy, seven hours is by no means excessive. It is said, however, that congressmen are quite likely to yield to the clamor of the clerks, and to provide that six hours and a half is all they need to work. They would better consult their constituents before they act like that.—New Bedford Standard.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

RUSSIA'S PLEDGES

Their Fulfillment Is All That Japan Demands

CHINA'S FINE DIPLOMACY

Ratification of Treaties With United States and Japan Indicates Russian Occupation of Manchuria Is but Temporary

London, Jan. 14.—A dispatch from Tokio to Reuters Telegram company says that Japan's answer to the last Russian note was handed yesterday afternoon to Baron De Rosen, the Russian minister, and that negotiations will be continued without any time limit being set for their termination.

The demands which Japan is said to have made, according to reports published abroad, have caused some surprise in Tokio, according to the dispatch, and it is now stated that Japan never asked for the evacuation of Manchuria, but on the contrary frankly recognizes Russia's special interests there and her right to protect them. Japan only demanded the realization of Russia's voluntary pledges respecting China's territorial integrity in Manchuria and the freedom of residential rights and international trade therein.

All the London papers have editorials which attach great importance to the ratification of the commercial treaties between the United States and China and between Japan and China. The consensus of opinion in these editorials is that the ratification of the treaties implies an act of sovereignty by China equivalent to a declaration that Russia's occupation of Manchuria is only temporary and for specific purposes.

The pro-Japanese Morning Post says: "That is precisely the point for which Japan has been contending and which Russia declined to discuss with her. Japan is now in the advantageous position of championing a cause which is also that of the United States."

The Daily Telegraph says that Japan is naturally proud of being in a measure the champion of western rights in the far east.

The Times Pekin correspondent says: "Russia's position in Pekin is now a remarkable one and the change in China's attitude is striking. Russia's wanton violation of all her pledges has finally undeceived China and thrown her into the arms of Japan. While Japan's preparations are complete and her intelligence service singularly effective, Russia is not ready. There is great confusion on the Manchurian railway, owing to the difficulties at Lake Baikal, and few Russian troops have arrived in the far east by land. Russia's military strength east of Lake Baikal is exaggerated by the European newspapers."

The Daily News thinks that China "has displayed ominous courage in her recent diplomacy which will make for peace owing to the tremendous hazards which war under the present circumstances would involve."

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Paris edition of the New York Herald and the special cablegrams from other correspondents at the Russian capital say that the opinion is held that the ratification of the Japanese and American treaties came as a shock to the Russian foreign office.

The Daily Mail's correspondent says that Japan's last note is couched in most courteous language, but that it reaffirms absolutely and unequivocally Japan's inability to accept Russia's proposals either as regards Corea or Manchuria.

Offers of Mediation

Paris, Jan. 14.—The Matin claims to be authoritatively informed that France and Great Britain are contemplating a joint offer of their good offices which diplomatists believe will probably be successful. The two powers will address themselves especially to Japan. The Japanese legation expresses the opinion that these good offices will be well received at Tokio, but it is feared that Russia will profit by the delay and complete her armaments. At the Russian embassy such fears are declared to be unfounded, Russia's defensive preparations being amply sufficient and the czar's policy resolutely pacific.

Panic at Corean Capital

London, Jan. 14.—The Seoul correspondent of The Daily Mail cables a description of a state of panic which he says exists at the royal palace. The emperor has issued a pitiful edict, stating that the country is likely to be lost owing to the weakness and vacillation of the people whom he counsels to act for the best in their own interest. The emperor has also issued an ordinance warning the army not to fire in the event of a collision between foreign troops. The correspondent adds that the entire city is extremely turbulent.

Japs Impress Merchantmen

San Francisco, Jan. 14.—A cable to the Pacific Mail Steamship company announces that the Japanese government has impressed into transport service the three steamships of the Oriental Steamship company, plying between this city and the far east. The vessels are the Nippon Maru, Hong Kong Maru and the American Maru. They are fast boats, built in 1898 and have been under Japanese subsidy. The America is due here next Saturday and will be sent back when discharged.

CREW STILL MISSING

Vessel Sunk In Long Island Sound Probably the Brainerd

New London, Conn., Jan. 14.—The two-masted schooner reported sunk in Long Island sound, off Milford, is thought to be the G. M. Brainerd of Rockland, Me., which left here Monday for New York with a load of paving stones. The sunken schooner went down with sails set and her topsails protrude above the water as she lies on the bottom. From a description of such parts of her rigging as are visible, it is almost certain that she is the G. M. Brainerd.

It was thought possible at first that the crew had been picked up by another vessel, but doubt about this view is expressed. It is said the Brainerd carried a yawl boat which would not remain afloat long if heavily loaded. The fact that nothing has been heard from the crew is regarded as ominous.

Rockland, Me., Jan. 14.—Cobb, Wright & Co., owners of the schooner G. M. Brainerd of this port, state that from the description given of the upper sails they believe that it was their vessel which was sunk in Long Island sound. Her commander was Captain F. Farr, who has a wife and four children here. The other members of the crew were T. R. Gray, John Nichols and Fred Barkster, all of whom shipped from this port. The schooner was valued at $8000. She carried no insurance.

Threw Police Off the Scent

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 14.—The police in this city and Bellows Falls, Vt., are working on a new theory in their pursuit of W. J. Reid, the forger who made the sensational escape from jail here Sunday morning. This is that Reid boarded a train at Bellows Falls on Sunday night and is now safely in Canada, while the team which he stole at Bellows Falls was handed over to an accomplice, who was to draw the officers off on to the wrong scent.

Boston Woman Slugged

Boston, Jan. 14.—As Miss Harriet Hartley was passing through School street, Jamaica Plain, last night, a man standing in a doorway accosted her and asked for a nickel. Paying no attention to him she crossed the street, when the man, running up behind her, struck her a savage blow on the head, knocking her down. He then grabbed her muff, in which she carried 25 cents, and escaped. The young woman was not dangerously hurt.

Two Alleged Holdup Men

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 14.—Two men alleged to be the ones who held up an electric car in Clinton Saturday night and robbed the conductor were arrested here by Chief of Police O'Toole of Clinton. The motorman and conductor of the car which was held up came to this city last night and claimed to identify the prisoners as the men who stopped their car. The prisoners gave their names as Thomas McCormick and Martin Nacy.

Picturesque Feature Cut Out

New Haven, Jan. 14.—Fire Marshal Gladwin sent a letter last night to the Yale Glee club in which he forbids the custom of Yale freshmen at the glee club concert of throwing cards and paper ribbons during the performance. The concert is one of the events of "prom" week and is held in the Hyperion theatre. This order will have the effect of doing away with a feature that heretofore has shared honors with the concert itself.

Town Treasurer Under Arrest

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 14.—Burton H. Mattoon, treasurer of the town of Watertown, was arrested last night on the charge of embezzlement. At a special town meeting held last Friday the report of an expert accountant showed an alleged shortage on the town books of $23,592.07. Mattoon is charged with the embezzlement of these funds. He has held many offices of trust, among which were state senator.

Steamboat Reaches Nantucket

Nantucket, Mass., Jan. 14.—Steamer Nantucket, from Wood's Hole, reached Nantucket wharf yesterday for the first time since Jan. 2, on account of ice which had surrounded the island. The steamer brought the mail which had accumulated since her last trip and express matter. She also had on board a quantity of provisions.

Lynn's Great Shoe Record

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 14.—Lynn has broken her shoemaking record. The number of pairs of shoes made in this city in 1903 was 21,897,424, valued at $28,443,251.20, according to the board of trade statistics, of which accuracy is vouched. The value of the output in 1902 was $25,000,000.

Law Needs Amendment

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 14.—The attempt of the local board of health to investigate the fire protection in the halls and theatres of the city has been frustrated by a decision of the city attorney that the board can only inquire into the sanitary arrangements of the buildings.

Snow, Rain and Lightning

Portland, Me., Jan. 14.—After several hours of snowfall, a heavy rain set in late last night, an unusual feature of which was an electrical storm which passed over the city and out to sea. No reports have been received of damage from lightning hereabouts.

Building Wrecked by Explosion

Pittsfield, Mass., Jan. 14.—The office of the Pittsfield Gas company was blown to pieces by a gas explosion. There was no one in the vicinity at the time. The explosion is said to have been due to a defect in the governor. The loss is about $10,000.

CITY BREVITIES.

Keep the water running.

Slippery and slushy this morning.

The City Council will meet again on Monday evening.

Mrs. George Heidrich and daughter are visiting her mother Mrs. Robert Scharnagel of Prospect street.

The games of basket ball at the Coliseum tonight will be between Dorchester Central and Quincy, and the Braintree and Quincy Jrs.

A business meeting was held in St. Chrysostom's Episcopal church Monday evening to elect vestrymen, clerk, treasurer and warden for this year. A large number attended. Coffee and sandwiches were served.

Owing to the freezing up of the gutters on City Hall, the building began to leak some Wednesday night. The services of the Central fire station hook and ladder was called. Long ladders were raised to the roof and the evil remedied.

The clam diggers are busy in Neponset river these days in spite of the snow. It is amusing to watch them on great cakes of ice with their baskets and pickaxes. No doubt they can sympathize with how Washington felt when he crossed the Delaware, only Washington had an ocean under him and the diggers have only clams.

The Social club entertainment at First church chapel on Friday evening promises to be rather unique in that the whole entertainment will be given by men; some thirty participating. Looks as though the entertainment committee had Leap year in mind. Whether this is so or not rumor has it that the subject of one of the sketches by John Harris Gutterson will be on "Why people do not marry."

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.
Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you, in 6 to 14 days. 50 cents.

LADIES' CLUB TOO POPULAR

Young Men Retaliate by Organizing "Wedding Tour Association."

The Quail club of Clayton, N. J., which was organized among the society ladies a few weeks ago as a social organization, has become so popular that desperate efforts are being made by the boycotted young men to break it, says a Clayton dispatch. A clause in the club's bylaws compels every member to secure her escort from out of town, imposing a fine for each violation of the rule. The weekly banquets given by the club proved so popular that almost every eligible girl in town is now a member.

But the young men assert they have a trump card to play in the game against the Quails. The other evening they organized the Wedding Tour association, with nearly fifty members. Weekly receptions are to be held at the homes of members, and the dues are to be used in paying the wedding tour expenses of the members. Each one as he is married will receive enough from the treasury to pay all expenses at some popular resort for one week. The rules of the club further state that if the girl is a member of the Quails the couple will receive a handsome wedding present in addition.

The Shovel on the Walk.

What joy some winter morning
When I suddenly awake,
And just the thought of getting
Up will make the covers shake,
When chilly drafts inform me
That the furnace fire is low,
And, looking out the window,
I can see the falling snow,
What joy it is to listen
To my neighbor's cheerful talk
And the merry, merry clatter
Of the shovel on the walk.

I make a mental picture
Of the snowdrift on the street,
And sleep at once becomes a
Blessing more than twice as sweet.
Oh, how I hug the pillow
E'en more tightly than before
And make all kinds of wishes
That relate to sleeping more!
I know that "duty calls" me,
But I'm much inclined to balk
When I hear the merry clatter
Of the shovel on the walk.

Give me the good old summer,
When the snow is at the pole,
And I don't have to shovel
Any ashes, snow or coal.
Let any man that wishes
Spend his morning pushing snow,
But not for me the labor
When the biting blizzards blow.
The stuff about the pleasure
Of the work is dippy talk,
And I don't like to hear the clatter
Of the shovel on the walk.
—Albany Times-Union.

"They say Mozart played on the piano at the age of six."

"That's nothing. I've got a little girl only two years old who plays on the piano every day."

"What does she play?"

"Dolls."—Harper's Bazar.

Difficult Digestion
That is dyspepsia.
It makes life miserable.
Its sufferers eat not because they *want to*, —but simply because they *must*.
They know they are irritable and fretful; but they cannot be otherwise.
They complain of a bad taste in the mouth, a tenderness at the pit of the stomach, an uneasy feeling of puffy fulness, headache, heartburn and what not.
The effectual remedy, proved by permanent cures of thousands of severe cases, is
Hood's Sarsaparilla
HOOD'S PILLS are the best cathartic.

Side Boards and Buffets.

The Side Board adds the finishing touch to the furnishing of the dining room, and is one of the most convenient and attractive pieces of furniture ever constructed. Long linen drawer, velvet lined, silver drawer, ample cupboard, and in addition to the spacious and useful top are the extra shelves for fancy china, cut glass or silver.

Dainty Buffets with all the conveniences of a side board in condensed space. We show over 50 different styles, each one a gem of the craftman's skill. Prices, $12 00 to $50 00.

A little each week from your earnings and a side board is soon paid for.

GREEN TRADING STAMPS.
HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store.
Hancock Street Quincy.
We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in al. parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,
Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass
Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.
April 25. tf

LONG ISLAND OYSTERS
Solid, 38 cts. quart.
Genuine Quincy Eggs, 45c. dozen.
Meadowbrook Creamery,
QUINCY, MASS.

— OUR —
Capitol Shoe
FOR BOYS.
Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.
Sizes 12 to 2 $1.75
Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2.00
The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.
Every Pair Warranted.
GEORGE W. JONES,
Adams Building, - QUINCY.

NOVELETTES
Will be a Feature for Several Weeks
OF THE
SATURDAY EIGHT-PAGE LEDGER.
EVERY STORY
IS
COPYRIGHTED AND ILLUSTRATED
AND ARE BY
Distinguished Writers.
Some Are 6 and 7 Columns in Length.

Healthy Babies

are usually good babies, and good babies usually owe their health to good food; food that requires the least digestion, least amount of labor by the stomach. The ideal food for infant, invalid or in fact, everyone, is the new table delicacy,

Karo
CORN SYRUP

The Great Spread for Daily Bread.

Pre-digested, ready to be used by the blood as soon as it enters the stomach; hence the food for little folks. Supplies energy, strength, vigor.

Sold in airtight, friction-top tins. 10c., 25c. and 50c. at all grocers.

CORN PRODUCTS CO.
New York and Chicago.

Hote Greenleaf

Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.

MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

Don't Get Left!

THE BARGAINS IN
Men's and Boys' Clothing
And Furnishings
AT THE
C. F. DERBY Store

Are going rapidly, many lines of goods are ENTIRELY CLOSED OUT.

A few Winter Caps left at 35c., 42c. and 79c
Men's Heavy Working Shirts, 35c. worth 60c
A Lot of Boys' & Children's Suits WILL BE SOLD THIS WEEK.
$5 Suits, $3 75, $3 Suits, $2 25 and Suits as low as 98c.
Men's Suits, 4.49, 6.50, 8 and $10 Worth Double the Money.

Only a few Men's and Boys' OVERCOATS left. Come in and get fitted.
We'll Make the Price RIGHT
AT THE
Great Bankrupt Sale
Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple,	$8.00
Dry Pine Wood,	7.00
Dry Pine Slabs,	6 00
Green Hard Wood,	7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.

THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,
Yard between Miller and West Streets.
Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street,
WEST QUINCY.
Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER.
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

Dr. Emmons'

Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and best special results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively saves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

FOR THE WINTER MONTHS.

Costumes For the House and For the Street.

Afternoon reception gowns are made in all the lighter clinging fabrics trimmed with tiny gaugings, plaitings, ruchings and entre deux of lace.

Very attractive little ties are made of fur in sable, ermine or moleskin.

UP TO DATE NIGHTGOWN.

These fasten in a loose knot around the throat and are finished off in black and white or with fringe or frills of chiffon to match.

Although some people do not like them, dressmakers continue to trim frocks with ruchings of taffeta or satin. On the heavier gowns some of these are very broad and have an edging of fur. Between these ruchings there are bands of gauging two or more inches wide, and in many cases velvet is used as well. So dresses are quite elaborately worked up.

The three-quarter length coat still continues to be the favorite because it is easier to walk in and because it shows an attractive glimpse of the gown underneath. These three-quarter coats are particularly becoming worn with a much frilled skirt, the frills just showing below the coat.

The picture shows an extremely up to date nightgown made of white china silk. It has a yoke of tuckings and insertion and very wide sleeves held together by ribbon bows. The ruffle at the bottom is a pretty addition and gives a flare around the feet.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal conditon, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

W. G. CHUBBUCK,
Furniture and Piano Mover
IN AND OUT OF TOWN.
Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up and Cleaned and Relaid.
JOBBING.
Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.
lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

COLOMBIA'S LOSS

It Will Not Be Made Good by the United States

THE SEVERANCE OF TIES

Hale's Resolution Intended as Wedge Looking to Peaceful Settlement of the Colombian Claims Against Panama

Washington Jan. 14.—It can be stated by authority that the administration does not contemplate paying one dollar out of the United States treasury to Colombia on account of the secession of Panama. Nor will it go before The Hague tribunal as a party to any proceedings growing out of the secession. It is stated that to do either of these things would be to commit the administration to an admission that it had been guilty of wronging Colombia.

On the other hand, it is again announced that the United States government stands ready to do everything in its power to bring about an amicable understanding between Colombia and Panama. It may be that Panama will consent to go before The Hague tribunal with Colombia and allow that tribunal to decide whether or not Panama shall make any concessions to Colombia on account of the severance of political ties.

It is certain that the United States government would look with favor upon the assumption by Panama of some small liability to make good the heavy loss which Colombia has suffered. The government is even willing to go to the extent of guaranteeing the performance by Panama of any duty and obligation she may assume toward Colombia, and exchanges on this basis between interested parties are now in progress.

In the senate, Mr. Hale offered the following resolution as the result of agreement between himself and Mr. Bacon looking to a settlement of the Panama question:

"Whereas, the state of Panama, formerly a part of the republic of Colombia, has seceded from that republic and has set up a government, republican in form, under the name of the republic of Panama; and,

"Whereas, the independence of said republic of Panama has been recognized by the United States and by many other nations; and,

"Whereas, a treaty is now pending before the senate between the United States and the republic of Panama, the ratification of which will ensure the speedy building of the interoceanic canal by the United States across the territory of said republic of Panama; therefore,

"Resolved, That in any claim which the republic of Colombia, in any form, may make against the said republic of Panama, the president is requested to tender his best offices toward the peaceful adjustment of all controversies that have arisen, or may arise, between said republic of Colombia and the republic of Panama."

Mr. Hale asked for the printing of the document, and said that he would not ask for immediate consideration.

Panama again was the principal subject of consideration in the senate and the debate was spirited. Mr. Carmack opened the proceedings with a set speech in pointed criticism of the president's course and was followed by Mr. Spooner, the only other speaker of the day, in defense of the president's action as law-abiding and in defense of the president himself as a "patriotic, brave and true man." Mr. Tillman frequently interrupted Mr. Spooner and there were a number of sharp encounters between them. At adjournment the Panama question was still before the senate.

Predicts War With Colombia

Lockport, N. Y., Jan. 14.—In an address on "National Greatness" last night, President Schurman of Cornell university predicted that the United States would become involved in war with Colombia as a result of the present trouble over Panama. The Monroe doctrine would be affected in a great measure, he said, resulting in new complications and war with other South American countries. The outcome ultimately would be the subjugation, one by one, by the United States.

For International Arbitration

Washington, Jan. 14.—The American "group" to be affiliated with the interparliamentary union for international arbitration was organized last night at a meeting here. About 40 members of the senate and house of representatives became members. Representative Bartholdt of Missouri was made chairman and Representative Rodenberg of Illinois temporary secretary. A committee to draft a suitable platform was authorized.

Politics Only For the Rich

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 14.—President Hadley of Yale addressed Harvard students last night upon the topic "Opportunities for Political Influence." He said that politics is a game and no man should enter the political field unless rich, for if he does he will have to yield sooner or later to the wrong influence or else get out and starve.

Heavy Run on a Bank

Superior, Wis., Jan. 14.—A run on the savings department of the First National bank entirely subsided two hours before the regular closing time yesterday afternoon. A quarter of a million dollars was paid out Tuesday and $75,000 yesterday.

ECKSTEIN SET FREE

Bechtel Murder Trial Delayed by Befogged Prosecutor

Allentown, Pa., Jan. 14.—Alois Eckstein, one of the lovers of Mabel Bechtel, who was so mysteriously murdered last October, was acquitted of complicity in the crime after a brief trial in which the conduct of the prosecution sorely tried the patience of Judge Trexler, the jurymen and counsel for the defense. District Attorney Lichtenwalner was so befogged that it was with difficulty the case was carried to a conclusion.

The court ended the proceedings until after the jury had been instructed to render a verdict of acquittal. The district attorney wanted to go ahead with the trial of the accused members of the Bechtel family, but the attorney for the Bechtels protested. The district attorney, however, was insistent, and ordered the names of the defendants called, but the judge interrupted by saying to the district attorney:

"Do you intend to conduct the prosecution yourself or will you rely on assistant counsel? If the latter, the trial will go on, otherwise this court will adjourn until tomorrow morning."

"The district attorney proposes to conduct this case himself," muttered the official.

"Then this court stands adjourned until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning," ordered the judge, and the court was thereupon adjourned three hours before the scheduled time.

Burial of General Gordon

Atlanta, Jan. 14.—Banked in masses of flowers, the offerings of loving friends, and covered with the Confederate flag, the body of General Gordon lay in state from early morning till late at night in the capitol yesterday. Unending lines of men, women and children trooped past the casket, catching a fleeting glimpse of the dead commander. The remains lay in state until noon today, when they were taken across the street to the Central Presbyterian church, where were held the last rites of the church. When they were concluded the march was taken to Oakland cemetery, where the body was laid to rest. A battalion of the Sixteenth United States infantry was in line, beside a large number of military bodies, organizations of Confederate veterans, Sons of Veterans, business bodies and thousands of private citizens.

Wynne's Faith In Machen

Washington, Jan. 14.—Robert J. Wynne, first assistant postmaster general, was the central figure in the postal trial yesterday and when court adjourned until Friday he was still on the stand. He frankly stated that he had often signed papers prepared in Machen's division without examining into their contents because they came to him in official form and because of the fact that he regarded Machen as one of the most expert men in the service and relied on him.

Boston Courtesy Appreciated

London, Jan. 14.—At the command of King Edward, a signed and framed photogravure of himself has been sent to the Ancient and Honorable Artillery company of Boston, together with a letter from the Earl of Denbigh, commanding the Honourable Artillery company of London, expressing the king's gratification of the magnificent reception given by the Ancient and Honorable company to the Honourables of London last fall.

Dishonest Navy Yard Employe

New York, Jan. 14.—Thomas Costelloe, a clerk in the paymaster's department in the navy yard in Brooklyn, was held in the sum of $5000 to await the action of the grand jury on a charge of converting to his own use money received as proceeds of junk sales at the navy yard. In all, it is estimated that Costelloe diverted nearly $7000 in cash.

No Uneasiness Over Kaiser

Berlin, Jan. 14.—A statement published to the effect that letters had reached official quarters in London from Berlin that great uneasiness was felt concerning the condition of Emperor William is without foundation. The subject of the emperor's health is no longer a matter of discussion in Berlin newspapers.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The continuance of cold weather is having a serious effect on the paper industry throughout the Adirondacks because of its effect on the water power.

The trustees of Norwich university, Northfield, Vt., have received the resignation of President Brown, who has been stopping for several months in North Carolina, where he went in the hope of regaining his health.

Mrs. Dolly Patten, at one time a missionary with her first husband, Rev. J. F. Bryant, in Africa, died at Littleton, Mass., aged 92.

The Searsport house, at Searsport, Me., was burned. F. T. Grinnell was proprietor of the hotel and he estimates the loss at $7000. The fire started from an unknown cause in the barn.

The trustees of the Maine insane hospitals elected Dr. P. H. S. Vaughan superintendent of the Eastern Maine insane hospital at Bangor, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. George W. Foster.

It is semi-officially announced that the czarina is suffering from a slight attack of influenza. Her condition does not give rise to anxiety.

The mills of the American Yarn company of Pawtucket, R. I., which have been closed because of a shortage in cotton, have reopened on full time.

The New England Historic Genealogical society re-elected James P. Baxter of Portland, Me., president for a fourth consecutive term.

CHURCHES NOT EXEMPT

Chicago Guarding Against Repetition of Her Fire Horror

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Building Commissioner Williams has closed 16 more public halls. He has also closed the halls in Grace Episcopal church and the Second Fresbyterian church structures. A large West Side lodging house has also been closed.

Mayor Harrison was on the stand in the Iroquois theatre inquest. His evidence related chiefly to a report submitted to him by Commissioner Williams, which declared that none of the theatres in Chicago fully complied with the terms of the building ordinances. The mayor described the wanderings of this report from him to the council, from the council to a sub-committee, from this committee back to the council and then to the printer. He said no action had been taken upon it by the council up to the time of the Iroquois theatre fire.

Death of Colonel Denby

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 14.—Colonel Charles Denby, United States minister to China during the administrations of Presidents Cleveland and Harrison, died suddenly, aged 70. He was a Virginian by birth. When Fort Sumter fell he raised a military company in support of the union. He was wounded at the battle of Perryville. His promotion to be colonel of the Eightieth regiment of Indiana volunteers followed soon after that event. He held the almost unprecedented record of 13 years' continuous service as minister and had held other important offices.

Old Chaplain Resigns

Boston, Jan. 14.—In the senate a letter was received from Chaplain Edmund Dowse of Sherborn thanking the senate for his election as chaplain, but resigning the office. Senator Dana eulogized the retiring chaplain, and moved that the resignation be accepted. The motion prevailed. Chaplain Dowse, who is over 90 years old, has been in failing health for some time. After adjournment the senate held a caucus and nominated Rev. Edward A. Horton of Boston as Chaplain Dowse's successor.

Mystery Surrounds a Death

New York, Jan. 14.—A beautiful and stylishly-dressed young woman, about 20 years old, who gave her name as Gertrude Bechtel, engaged a furnished room on Fifty-Third street Tuesday night, saying that she expected an important letter on Wednesday. When the letter came it was delivered to her in her room. Later she was found dead, having swallowed carbolic acid. On the floor lay what appeared to be the ashes of a letter. Nothing was found that could offer any clue to her history.

Mrs Shenley Left $48,000,000

Pittsburg, Jan. 14.—The American will of Mrs. Mary E. Schenley, who died recently in Europe, has been filed for probate. The will creates a trust with three trustees, who are given the duty of selling her property in Pennsylvania and sending the money to her trustees in England. No public bequests of any character are made. The value of the Schenley estate in Allegheny county is placed at about $48,000,000.

Sensational Tragedy In France

Toulon, France, Jan. 14.—Lieutenant Trouille, observing that an orderly named Crotien, 20 years old, was madly enamoured by his wife, dismissed the man yesterday. Later Crotien entered the house, seized Mme. Trouille and threw her out of the window, killing her instantly. Crotien was arrested and was with difficulty saved from being lynched. Mme. Trouille was 22 years old and had only been married three months.

Driven on Ledge by Ice

Dutch Island, R. I., Jan. 14.—An immense field of ice drifted down the west passage of Narrangansett bay into Dutch Island harbor, driving half a dozen coasters which had sought shelter there out into the ocean and forcing the schooner William F. Campbell onto a sunken ledge. Unless the ice, which is 20 inches thick, forces her farther onto the ledge it is thought that a tug will be able to haul her off.

Intended to Prevent Disasters

Chicago, Jan. 14.—The Chicago and Northwestern railway has issued an order that under no circumstances shall passenger trains exceed their schedule speed. All trains that become late on any portion of their trip must arrive at destination late. The management explains that it does not care to risk disaster which might occur on account of fast running to make up lost time.

Eight Killed In Elevator Shaft

St. Louis, Jan. 14.—A crowd of employes pressing against the elevator gate on the sixth floor of the Brown Shoe company building caused the gate to give way and 10 persons were plunged down the shaft. Six were taken out dead and the other four were seriously injured. Two of the injured died soon after reaching the hospital.

Wealth Did Not Bring Health

Philadelphia, Jan. 14.—Wallace S. L. Rhoads, a wealthy real estate dealer of this city, committed suicide by hanging at his home in Germantown. He had been in ill-health for about two years and this is assigned as the cause for the suicide. He was 43 years old and leaves a wife and three children.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Friday, Jan. 15.
Sun rises—7:12; sets—4:36.
Moon rises—5:18 a. m.
High water—9:45 a. m.; 10:15 p. m.

There has been snow or rain quite generally east of the Mississippi. Snow will continue in New England and it will be colder.

Legislative Committees.

Practical Politics says: Senator Bemis of Norfolk was the top notch man in committee favors. He got this chairmanship of metropolitan affairs, was made second man on public lighting, was put on rules and constitutional amendments, and he was also given a place on the special committee on the relations of employers and employes.

Senator Bracket of Milton was a disappointed man. He wanted the chairmanship of mercantile affairs. Last year he was the working man on that committee, although Heath was ranking man, and for that reason Brackett was hoping that things would come about this year so he could have this chairmanship. He made a good play for it, but the fates were against him and he got the chairmanship of the committee on counties instead.

Representative Freeman of Quincy got the chairmanship of harbors and public lands, and in view of that the talk that he was not satisfied is just a little surprising. Yet they say he wanted something else on the list.

Representative Fallon of Quincy asked for liquor law and got water supply instead.

FRAUNCE'S TAVERN WAITER

What the First Arrest at the Noted Landmark Revealed.

In New York the other day John Jambal, a waiter, was arraigned for selling a glass of beer to a policeman on Sunday without insisting on the customary sandwich being purchased. In the complaint the place in which the liquor was sold was put down as "101 Broad street."

After questioning the waiter and the policeman for some time Judge Holbrook, who presided, looked at Lawyer Walsh and asked:

"Has that place at 101 Broad street a good reputation?"

The lawyer answered in the affirmative, and then the judge asked:

"How long has the place been there?"

This appeared to surprise Mr. Walsh, and, after gazing at the ceiling for a moment, he answered:

"Oh, I guess somewhere between 130 and 140 years."

"What's that?" asked the judge as he and his colleagues straightened up. "How long did you say?"

"Well, for more than a century and a quarter," replied the lawyer, "and as far as I can learn this is the first arrest that has ever been made there. That ought to establish a good reputation, I think."

"But what place is it?" was the judge's next question.

"Why, I thought you knew," said the lawyer as he laughed. "That is Fraunce's tavern, and I don't suppose I need tell you anything of its history."

The three judges bowed their heads over their desk for a few moments, and when Judge Holbrook rendered the verdict of the court his face was flushed.

"The prisoner is discharged," he said simply.

Fraunce's tavern is the famous old place in which Washington bade farewell to his officers on Dec. 23, 1783.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.
Nov. 2. 6mos.

ANASTASIA A. HUGHES,
Teacher of Piano and Organ,
Will receive pupils Fridays and Saturdays. For terms address 1562 Hancock Street, QUINCY, MASS.
Jan. 13. 6t

HALL and BURGESS,
Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.
Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.
OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday
Jan. 31. tf

SKATES SHARPENED.
Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .
24 Granite Street,
NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.
Dec. 21. 1m

MAIN SPRINGS
Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.
Work called for and delivered.
SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

LEDGER ADS.
PAY BEST

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
25 years' experience
Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.
Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.
Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marien's store.
Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence in Roslindale.

ORDER YOUR
SUNDAY DINNER
—AT—
PRATT'S
The Best of Everything and Money Saved.

Fresh Eastern Fowl,	15 cts. lb
Face Rump Roast,	14 cts. lb
Fresh Pork Roast,	14 cts. lb
Best Rump Steak,	25 cts. lb
N. Y. Rump Steak,	12 1-2 cts. lb
Hebron Potatoes,	30 cts. pk
Fancy Celery,	20 cts bunch
Large Prunes,	3 lbs. 25 cts
Bordeaux Catsup,	3 bot. 25 cts.
Baltimore Peaches,	15 cts. can
Pea Beans,	8 cts. qt

The Coffee we like to sell is OUR VERY BEST
Mocha and Java, 35c. lb
We have others at lower prices.
L. M. PRATT & SON.

CARD.
Mrs. F. H. Hewins,
—: Formerly in the :—
Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.
Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations
METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.
Offices:
128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.
Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903. tf

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.
JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.
HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

JOHN STREIFERD & SON,
FLORISTS.
Telephone 13-7 Braintree.
Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.
Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

Hardware Supply Co.,
1475 Hancock St., Quincy.
SKATES
Straps, Sharpeners.
BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.
LANTERNS, 50 cts.
COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.
Dec. 29. tf

PICTURES
FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

W. A. BRADFORD,
Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting,
Jobbing promptly attended to.
Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.
Open Monday and Saturday evenings.
Telephone 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

His Ready Argument.

"There is no doubt," said the estimable citizen, "that intoxication injures the system."

"My dear sir," answered Colonel Still of Kentucky, "just think of the harm water has done to our financial system."

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	32	4	26	43	43
Monday,	30	8	36	26	42
Tuesday,	33	11	31	37	31
Wednesday,	42	24	21	34	20
Thursday,	39	35	26	34	30
Friday,	—	27	35	40	33
Saturday,	—	33	40	45	36

New Advertisements Today.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.—Coats.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Stetson's Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. will be at Quincy Music hall tomorow night.

A treat is promised at the Water Street church this evening, as W. J. Campbell has a high reputation as a recitationist.

A medal should be presented to the man who could get about this morning without sinking a foot in the wet slush, and another to those who could keep on their feet.

The machinery is being removed from the old T. A. Whicher shoe factory building on the corner of Union and Main streets, and it is understood the building will be remodelled into tenements.

Word has been received in Quincy of the death at Norwood on Wednesday of David S. Blair of Quincy. Mr. Blair has been in poor health for some time. He was formerly employed on the Old Colony street railway. He leaves a widow and two children.

First Church Supper.

The inclement weather of Wednesday evening did not prevent a good attendance of people at the parish supper of First church, as over a hundred were present. There was an abundance of cold turkey, hot baked beans, macaroni, all kinds of pie, rolls and coffee.

Miss Ellen M. Fottler was chairman of the supper committee, and the families represented on the committee were the Newcomb, Pettengill, Pierce, Porter Pratt, Prescott, Price, Reed, and Rogers continuing the alphabetical order in vogue for the monthly suppers given during the winter.

Owing to the bad going and heavy rain the people did not linger long after supper for the usual social hour, but before leaving invested in home-made candy which was on sale for the benefit of the organ fund. The young ladies having the sale in charge were much pleased at the completely selling out of their stock, and a home-made candy table will be a feature at the church suppers hereafter.

DIED.

CORCORAN—In Quincy, Jan. 13, Catherine T., daughter of Mr. William J. and Mrs. Mary E. Corcoran, of 210 Willard street, aged 1 year 23 days.

BLAIR—In Norwood, Jan. 13, Mr. David S. Blair of Quincy, aged 30 years and 10 months.

RAIN---SLUSH.

Accompanied by Thunder and Lightning.

Snow Has Rapidly Disappeared.

But Gutters are Full of Water and Almost Impassible.

Wednesday night was a hard one for anyone who had to be out. It commenced to rain in the afternoon and the rain increased in violence toward evening. At 5 o'clock the banks of snow alongside of the sidewalks became softened up and people who undertook to cross from one side of the street to the other sank deep in slush.

At times during the evening it rained in torrents and with it came thunder and lightning. The street crossings became wide pools of water. Then the rain begun to let up and ice began to form, only adding a new form of terror to the pedestrian.

Heavy pungs on the way from Boston had difficulty in getting along. As soon as they turned from the car tracks the runners would sink deep into the snow and their already exhausted horses were unable to move them. The result was that there was a string of stalled pungs all the way from Whitney road to Neponset bridge.

Not a few of these became stalled on the car tracks. This served to delay the street cars so that they were way off time.

Some little attempt was made to clear out the gutters in City Square late Wednesday afternoon but not enough was accomplished to do any good.

On Hancock street near Butlers brook is a large water gate in the centre of the street. As the street on both sides slopes toward this gate it was supposed to carry the water into the brook. This gate, however, was choked up with snow and ice. The result was, that at 5 o'clock there was a pond in the street at this point that was two feet deep in some places.

A gang of men was sent out by Supt. Conway from the street railway car barn and after considerable difficulty they were able to force a hole down through the ice so that much of the water run off. As pedestrians used the street car tracks for walking instead of the slushy slippery sidewalks the draining of the street at this point was appreciated.

This morning the High school pupils had a hard time getting into the building, and many got wet feet. Many of the pupils arrived on the cars and as they attempted to get from the street to the sidewalk they sank deep in the slush.

In a place like this it seems as though the janitor of the school might have hunted up a couple of boards to bridge over the gutter.

The street gang was put to work this morning clearing out the gutters and walking should be better by tonight.

County Commissioners.

The Norfolk County Commissioners met Wednesday at Dedham and organized with Thomas Blanchard of Stoughton as chairman.

The following appointments were made:

Chaplain at Dedham jail,—Rev. Edward W. Virgin of Dedham.

Physician at Dedham jail,—Dr. Francis L. Babcock.

Janitor at County court house,—John E. Drummond.

County police,—John E. Drummond and Owen J. Reynolds of Dedham, William M. Marden of Quincy.

Insured for $2,000,000

L. Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, the eminent merchant of New York and Philadelphia, has taken out a policy in

The Prudential Insurance Co.

for $1,000,000, paying an annual premium of over $30,000. This makes him the most heavily insured man in the world, with the single exception of King Edward VII.

Mr Wanamaker's total insurance is now $4,000,000.

Ask yourself WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed one-half this great amount with The Prudential.

Your business judgment will at once reply: "Because after full investigation and comparison, Mr. Wanamaker found that the company which could give him the best insurance for a given amount of money was The Prudential."

Undoubtedly you will agree that Mr. Wanamaker does not pay over $30,000 per year except for most excellent reasons.

These reasons apply to YOU precisely as well as they do to HIM.

Better apply TODAY for information regarding Prudential policies to

FRANK CHESTER MANN,
General Agent for Eastern Massachusetts
209 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.

HENRY O. FAIRBANKS,
Aug. 27-eod-1y Special Agent.

LEAGUE BOWLING.

The Quincys and Weymouths Continue to Win.

The Weymouth gained a little on the Quincys in the Old Colony bowling league Wednesday evening. The Quincy Point team also moved up in percentage:

The standing to date is:

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Quincy	30	25	5	83
Weymouth	30	20	10	66
East Weymouth	30	10	20	34
Quincy Point	30	5	25	17

At Quincy.

Wednesday evening at the Granite street alleys one of the most interesting games of the season was rolled, Quincy defeating the Quincy Point team two games out of three. Quincy won the first game by a margin of 4 pins and took the second easier by 19 pins. The last game was won by the Point team by 4 pins. Morton of Quincy was high man of night, rolling 268. Caldwell of the Point team captured the high single with 96.

The score:

QUINCYS.

	1st	2d	3d	Total
Morton,	93	85	90	268
Ferris	83	86	78	247
Grant,	81	84	91	256
Moorehead,	77	94	79	250
White,	73	93	81	247
Totals.	407	442	419	1268

QUINCY POINTS.

Dunn,	76	86	85	247
Caldwell,	81	96	79	256
McMasters,	93	78	75	246
Lyons,	83	80	92	255
Flynn,	70	83	92	245
Totals,	403	423	423	1249

At East Weymouth.

The Weymouth team defeated East Weymouth three straight games at the East Weymouth alleys last evening. Weymouth broke two league records rolling 453 for single String team total and 1,300 for team total. Burrell of Weymouth was high man rolling 282. Turner of the same team got the high single rolling 108.

The score:

WEYMOUTHS.

	1st	2d	3d	Total
Burrell,	97	91	94	282
Peleran,	90	80	80	250
Turner,	85	108	72	265
Glover,	79	83	84	246
J. Connell,	81	91	85	257
Totals,	432	453	415	1300

EAST WEYMOUTHS.

Welch,	83	73	79	252
Flanery,	86	72	64	205
Farrar,	85	77	65	220
Newcomb,	77	74	89	240
Smith,	82	77	73	232
Totals,	413	373	413	1199

The Juniors.

The Weymouth Juniors proved too much for the Quincy Juniors as they won two out of three games, and led on total pins 45 points.

The score:

WEYMOUTH, JRS.

J. Connell,	86	85	71	235
Riley,	76	78	73	231
Coyle,	88	85	99	261
Walsh	71	74	83	228
Douse	65	73	71	209
Totals,	386	395	395	1176

QUINCY, JRS.

	1	2	3	Totals.
Brown,	81	80	87	248
McClay,	85	74	79	238
Moran,	66	58	79	203
French,	66	69	71	206
Nash,	84	69	82	235
Totals,	382	350	399	1130

ROLL CALL

And Annual Meeting of Wollaston Congregational Church.

The Wollaston Congregational church, Rev. Edward A. Chase minister held its annual supper, roll call and business meeting on Wednesday evening.

The treasurer's report showed contributions for the year of $5970.56. Of this $1435.35 were for benevolences, an advance of 25 per cent over last year. Balance in the treasury, Jan. 13, 1904, $95.60.

The following officers were elected:

Clerk,—Alfred W. Thompson.

Treasurer,—John B. Cornish.

Deacons,—Joseph W. Lovett and Smith B. Harrington.

Collector,—A. L. Baker.

Supt. Sunday School,—Bertram C. Henry.

Executive Committee (new members)—Richard M. Watt and Herbert Tucker.

Prudential Committee,—A. L. Baker, John B. Cornish, Dr. E. R. Johnson, William S. Sayward, Alfred W. Thompson, Edward S. Tenney and H. T. Whitman.

Music Committee—Bertram C. Henry, Dr. E. R. Johnson and Mrs. Edward A. Chase.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

TREATY IS RATIFIED

The Open Door In Manchuria Secured by United States

ALL NATIONS BENEFITED

Will Tend to Establishment of Order In Disturbed District and Greatly Strengthen Our Position In the Far East

Washington, Jan. 14.—Late yesterday the president issued and signed the proclamation putting into effect the American-Chinese commercial treaty. Shortly afterward the following statement was issued by the state department:

"The treaty which will go into effect in a day or so through the exchange of ratifications effected today, and by its promulgation by the President of the United States, is the result of nearly a year and a half's negotiation. Although relating in its principal provisions to questions of commerce and navigation, removing restrictions which have hampered them both in China, it also treats of a number of questions of great importance to the people of the two countries.

"For example, it defines the rights and privileges of the diplomatic and consular officers and of American citizens, especially missionaries residing in China, and insures the latter enjoyment of rights which they have only had in the past practically by toleration. The treaty also deals with trade-marks, copyrights and patents, ensuring them a fair degree of protection in China—a thing which they have had very little of in the past.

"Perhaps the provision of the treaty which interests most the public is the opening of two new localities in Manchuria to foreign trade—the city of Mukden and the town of Antung (or Shao, as it is frequently called), on the Yalu river. It is to be noted in this connection that the Japanese and Chinese treaty, the ratifications of which were exchanged yesterday at Pekin, also secures to international trade the opening of the port of Tatungou, about 13 miles below Antung and at the mouth of the Yalu.

"It is highly probable that the presence in these localities at an early date of American consular officials and of other nationalities—for all the nations having treaties with China acquire by our treaty and that of Japan the right to establish consulates at these places—will greatly tend to the establishment of order in this much disturbed borderland of China and will powerfully contribute toward insuring the principles of the 'open door' to which this country stands irrevocably committed, as well as aiding in securing the integrity of China and its administrative control over its Manchurian provinces."

South Dakota Divorce Invalid

New York, Jan. 14.—Supreme Court Justice Dickey has decided that a divorce obtained in South Dakota in 1902 by Mrs. Ellen T. Elder from George W. Elder of Bay Shore, L. I., on the ground of cruelty, is invalid in this state. The court declared that a divorce obtained in South Dakota as the result of collusion between husband and wife, as in the present instance, then such a decree is of no force and effect here and that the parties are still husband and wife.

Jurors Hard to Secure

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Night sessions are to be held in the trial of Marx, Neidermeyer and VanDine, the car barn bandits, if faster progress is not made in securing a jury. Judge Kersien made this announcement at the close of a day in which not a single juror had been accepted. Only three jurors have so far been secured.

Salaries Paragraph Eliminated

Washington, Jan. 14.—After a lively debate, the house, in committee of the whole, by a vote of 78 to 65, struck out of the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, the paragraph providing for the salaries and expenses of the civil service commission and clerks employed under the commission.

Lawyer Illegally Holds Bonds

New York, Jan. 14.—A. N. Fragner, a Brooklyn attorney, and C. G. Gall, his clerk, were held for the grand jury on a charge of taking $20,000 worth of bonds from Hugo Wantzelius, guardian for Camille and Edith Keiner, minors. In court Fragner promised to return the bonds later.

The Latest St Louis Graft

St. Louis, Jan. 14.—The grand jury has begun an investigation of the story to the effect that a bribe of $15,000 had been solicited from J. W. Peebles to ensure the passage of the bill providing for a pneumatic tube service between union station and the World's fair grounds.

Wanted No Religious Ceremony

London, Jan. 14.—Herbert Spencer's will directs that his body shall be placed in a coffin with a loose lid and easily opened from below and that the body shall be cremated and the ashes buried without any species of religious ceremony.

Bushnell at Death's Door

Columbus, O., Jan. 14.—Physicians attending former Governor Bushnell, who was stricken with apoplexy, say his condition is very grave and that they have given up all hope of his recovery.

THE CONSOLIDATED FISH MARKET

OPENS TOMORROW

THURSDAY, JAN. 14th,

AT HANCOCK MARKET,

Cor. Saville Street and Hancock Street, **QUINCY MASS.**

PLEASE SEND IN YOUR ORDERS EARLY TO EITHER STORE.

A 20 per cent. Reduction.

For dates in January and February the experiment will be tried of giving a special discount of 20 per cent. in the prices of Quincy Music Hall. The price scale as it is, though doubtless seeming high to some, is not really so when a fair account is taken of the many, many expenses of running a large hall and keeping it in first class condition, as well as the fact that at best such a hall can be rented only a small part of the time. The prices of Music Hall are not now changed, merely the experiment is to be made of giving this special discount to engagements coming in these two special months.

The Location is the best of any hall in the city. The street cars pass the door with a turn out right in front of the Hall.

The Floor is of selected maple laid with the greatest care, and is kept in perfect condition being covered with canvas when not used for dancing.

The Ventilation—a most important consideration—is such as to keep the air pure with even a crowded hall and without causing any drafts.

The Hall is Lighted by electricity, brilliantly and pleasantly, and with a switchboard arranged so that all desired effects can be obtained in the Hall proper or on the stage. Gas is used as an auxiliary light.

The Heating is direct—indirect, ample, and giving the most healthful results.

The Stage has been designed with care, and is furnished with a particularly generous supply of attractive and appropriate scenery.

For Advertising, the Music Hall Billboards throughout the City are of very great value

To Darken the Hall, there are special window fittings so that at noonday the Hall can be made as dark as at midnight.

In case of fire there are pails of water and chemical fire extinguishers throughout the Hall. There is an asbestos fire curtain by which the Stage can be instantly cut off from the Hall proper. There are nine (9) doors opening from the Hall and five (5) separate exits.

As a whole, Quincy Music Hall has been carefully planned to meet the requirements of those who wish a *large and really first class Hall.*

QUINCY MUSIC HALL

Dec. 25. tf

CHIMNEY FALLS.

One of Large Ones at New Power Station.

Two Men Taken to the Hospital.

Several Other Workman Hit by Falling Bricks.

There was a serious accident Wednesday afternoon at the new street railway power station at Quincy Point. Two men were so seriously injured that they had to be taken to the City Hospital and several others received slight wounds.

The accident was caused by half a ton of bricks, which had become loosened in one of the tall chimneys by the frost, falling upon the workmen. The men were at work on a staging 35 feet from the ground when suddenly without warning they were covered with a shower of bricks.

Two men, Roderick Hart of Pawtucket, R. I., and an Italian named Padazia who were upon the staging were knocked off, and several others were hit with flying bricks.

A call was sent for the ambulance and a physician. Dr. Bushnell was the first physician to arrive. A little later Medical Examiner Jones and Dr. Lynch arrived. It was found that Hart and Padazia were the most seriously injured and they were removed to the hospital. Hart had a scalp wound and his back injured. Padazia had his hip injured. It was a wonder that more were not more seriously injured.

Revival Meetings.

The meeting at the United Presbyterian church Wednesday night resulted in several conversions. The remarkable thing about the meeting is that many church members see that they have not yet found Christ, and are only living a legal religious life.

There will be a men's rally on Sunday at 3 P. M. Evangelist Kenyon has lectured much to men and desires to meet and speak to the men of Quincy. All men and no boys under 14 years invited.

THE TIE BROKEN.

Merrymount Club Now Leads the Braintree Club.

The second game in the series between the Merrymount club of Wollaston and the Braintree club were played Wednesday night at the Merrymount rooms. The result was, six points for Merrymount and for four Braintree.

Merrymount captured two out of the three strings at bowling, both games of pool, one at billiards and one at cribbage.

Braintree secured one point at bowling one at billiards, and two at whist.

At bowling:

MERRYMOUNTS.

	1	2	3	Totals
Hamlin,	83	82	86	251
W. Baker,	77	67	80	224
C. T. Baker	73	87	84	244
Emery,	76	76	85	237
Nash,	64	106	89	259
	373	418	424	1215

BRAINTREES.

Hobart,	73	82	74	229
French,	65	91	89	245
Stoddard,	89	76	82	247
Saunders,	81	68	72	221
Beverley,	79	70	72	221
Totals,	387	387	389	1163

POOL.

MERRYMOUNT.		BRAINTREE.	
Chadbourne,	50	Holbrook,	30
Kolson,	50	Tenney,	30

BILLIARDS.

Dewson,	75	Tenney,	41
Brown,	87	Cuff,	75

WHIST.

Whitehouse and Hill,	4	Gammons and Jackson,	8
Blake and Thompson,	0	Keith and Colbert	8

CRIBBAGE.

Freeman and Chapman of Merrymount defeated White and Shaw of Braintree.

The next games will be at Braintree on Wednesday, Jan. 27.

The standing in the series is: Merrymount, 11; Braintree, 9; as follows:

	Merrymount.	Braintree.
Bowling,	5	1
Billiards,	1	3
Pool,	3	1
Whist,	0	4
Cribbage,	2	0
Total,	11	9

—The New England Farmer says: "It is no use a man's trying to be holy unless he has made up his mind to be honest." And isn't it a surprise to every business man how many dishonest people there are in every community.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata, seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines steady work. Apply to MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy. Jan. 13. tf

WANTED—In East Milton, a Swedish Girl for general housework who can speak English. Enquire at Ledger office. Jan. 8. 6t

WANTED, LADIES AND GENTS—We pay $12 per 1,000 cash, copying at home; everything furnished; send stamp, Monarch Supply Co., Station 3, Worcester, Mass. Jan. 6-6t

FOR SALE.

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom made pung built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition. GEORGE H. WILSON
Quincy, Jan. 12. tf

FOR SALE—Second hand two seated Sleigh in good condition. JOHN VOGEL, 65 Willard street, West Quincy. Jan. 8. 6t

TO LET

ROOMS TO LET—Pleasant, warm room for two; hot and cold water; bath. 632 Washington street.
Quincy, Jan. 13. 3t

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent, $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30. 1p tf

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street.
Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

TO LET.

House of 8 rooms and bath, No. 240 Goffe St. Furnace, gas, sewer connections, in complete repair and one of the most convenient (yet retired) locations in city. Only small families, with prospects of extended occupancy, need apply. A permanent occupant for one room is obtainable.
R. D. CHASE,
Savings Bank Building.
Quincy, Jan. 12 eod 16 p tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust.
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

TRUE'S ELIXIR

The only sure, safe, entirely vegetable remedy for worms in children or adults. 25c at your druggists. DR. J. F. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Me.

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 13. QUINCY, MASS., FRIDAY, JANUARY 15, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

American at Seoul Ordered to Remain Indoors.

All the Big Shipyards of Country Interested.

GOOD IN PIE, CAKE AND PUDDING.

NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT

In 10c Packages with List of Valuable Premiums.

LIGHT!

Do not waste your money on Inferior Gas Lamps.

Get the Genuine 20th Century Light.

Burns by actual test 4 cubic feet of Gas per Hour.
Light effectually 100 candle power.
These lights on exhibition at

W. A. BRADFORD'S,

PLUMBING, HEATING, LIGHTING,

Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Jan. 14. 6t

A 20 per cent. Reduction.

For dates in January and February the experiment will be tried of giving a special discount of 20 per cent. in the prices of Quincy Music Hall. The price scale as it is, though doubtless seeming high to some, is not really so when a fair account is taken of the many, many expenses of running a large hall and keeping it in first class condition, as well as the fact that at best such a hall can be rented only a small part of the time. The prices of Music Hall are not now changed, merely the experiment is to be made of giving this special discount to engagements coming in these two special months.

The Location is the best of any hall in the city. The street cars pass the door with a turn out right in front of the Hall.

The Floor is of selected maple laid with the greatest care, and is kept in perfect condition being covered with canvas when not used for dancing.

The Ventilation—a most important consideration—is such as to keep the air pure with even a crowded hall and without causing any drafts.

The Hall is Lighted by electricity, brilliantly and pleasantly, and with a switchboard arranged so that all desired effects can be obtained in the Hall proper or on the stage. Gas is used as an auxiliary light.

The Heating is direct—indirect, ample, and giving the most healthful results.

The Stage has been designed with care, and is furnished with a particularly generous supply of attractive and appropriate scenery.

For Advertising, the Music Hall Billboards throughout the City are of very great value

To Darken the Hall, there are special window fittings so that at noonday the Hall can be made as dark as at midnight.

In case of fire there are pails of water and chemical fire extinguishers throughout the Hall. There is an asbestos fire curtain by which the Stage can be instantly cut off from the Hall proper. There are nine (9) doors opening from the Hall and five (5) separate exits.

As a whole, Quincy Music Hall has been carefully planned to meet the requirements of those who wish a *large and really first class Hall.*

QUINCY MUSIC HALL

Dec. 25. tf

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in al. parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON

Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 26—tf

THE CZAR'S DESIRE

Will Do All In His Power For Maintenance of Peace

TALKS WITH DIPLOMATS

Expresses Hope of Continuance of Good Relations With Japan --No Interference With American Interests In Manchuria

St. Petersburg, Jan. 15.—"I desire and intend to do all in my power to maintain peace in the far east."

These were the words which the czar spoke to the members of the diplomatic corps at the New Year's reception held in the winter palace at noon yesterday. The czar made a leisurely round of the great white hall, with its beautiful colonnades in which the representatives of the various countries had assembled. His majesty chatted freely with everybody and at considerable length with several of the diplomats.

Keen curiosity was exhibited all over the room when the czar approached Mr. Kurino, the Japanese minister to Russia. The conversation between the czar and the minister was cordial and extended. The czar emphasized the high value which he places upon the good and neighborly relations between Japan and Russia, not only now, but in the future, and expressed his unshaken hope that a mutually satisfactory settlement of the difficulties between the two countries would be arranged. Minister Kurino left the reception profoundly impressed with the czar's words.

It had become known here through the foreign office that Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador to the United States, had been instructed to assure the United States government that Russia would not interpose objections to the commercial treaty between China and the United States or impede American rights or interests in Manchuria. The czar referred to these instructions in a lengthy conversation with Ambassador McCormick and laid much stress on his desire that Russia and the United States should live on the terms of intimate and cordial friendship which had existed for so many years and which it was his especial desire to maintain. He most emphatically disclaimed the slightest inclination to hinder the developments of American commerce.

Mr. Kurino informed a press correspondent that the Japanese reply had been handed to Baron De Rosen, the Russian minister at Tokio, and that he (Mr. Kurino) would present Count Lamsdorff, the Russian foreign minister, with a duplicate copy. The minister said he was not authorized to state the terms of the reply, but he said that it ensured the continuance of negotiations concerning the far east so far as Japan was concerned.

FOREIGNERS IN DANGER

All Americans at Seoul Ordered to Remain Indoors

London, Jan. 15.—The Seoul correspondent of The Daily Mail says that the native press is advocating the slaughter of all foreigners. United States Minister Allen has ordered all American women and children to remain in-doors and he predicts that rioting by the military is imminent. Collin de Plancy, the French minister, has vainly advised the emperor to take refuge in the French legation.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The state department has received a cablegram from Minister Allen, at Seoul, stating that the Corean newspapers are trying to incite the people against foreigners and especially against American interests. The department feels that these interests can be cared for properly by the United States gunboat Vicksburg and the United States marine guard now in the Corean capital. The European nations also have considerable guards, which undoubtedly could be relied upon to assist in repressing disorder that might threaten any special foreign interests.

Japan Not Thoroughly Prepared

London, Jan. 15.—A private dispatch from Tokio, received at one of the embassies here from a source considered quite reliable, says that in spite of all reports to the contrary the Japanese troops will not be thoroughly prepared to start for Corea on the scale desired in the event of such a step being considered necessary, before the first week in February. This is considered significant in conjunction with Baron Hayashi's estimate that the negotiations are likely to extend for three weeks longer, and as supplying an additional reason for Japan answering in pacific terms, but on the basis on which Russia had previously expressed disagreement. It is also pointed out that in three weeks Japan's new cruisers will be practically out of all danger.

Several of the diplomats here do not share the British foreign office's complete pessimism, believing Russia will give in at the last moment.

To Check Seizure of Mines

London, Jan. 15.—The Shanghai correspondent of The Daily Mail reports the gradual and extensive movement of Chinese troops toward Shan Hai Kwan, probably with the view of securing the harbor of Ching Wan Tao, on the Gulf of Liao Tung, and the coal mines thereabouts against Russian seizure.

UNDER $9000 BAIL

Bank of Which Mattoon Was Treasurer Has Closed

Winsted, Conn., Jan. 15.—Former State Senator Burton H. Mattoon, treasurer of the Watertown Savings bank, was held in the superior court on charges of embezzlement and altering the books of the bank. Judge Romaback fixed the bond at $9000, which was furnished.

Watertown, Conn., Jan. 15.—The officials of the Watertown Savings bank have issued a notice that the 90-day law has been taken advantage of and hereafter no funds will be paid to depositors without such notice. The directors refuse to discuss the affairs of the bank. The bank has suspended operations for the present.

Anarchist Sentiment Resented

Marion, Ind., Jan. 15.—Deville D. Ballard, at the Marion Soldiers' home, stated that he would like to see monuments to the Chicago anarchists raised everywhere where there is a McKinley monument. Many of the old comrades of McKinley were among the enraged inmates of the home. Ballard was followed to the office of the adjutant, where he pleaded for his papers and for protection. He was given his discharge and a file of guards protected him to the gate, but once outside he was forced to run for his life.

TO CURE GRIP IN TWO DAYS.
Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause. To get the genusne, call for the full name. 25c

CARD.

Mrs. F. H. Hewins,

—: Formerly in the :—

Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations

METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.

Offices:

128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.

Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903. tf

W. A. BRADFORD,

Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting,

Jobbing promptly attended to.

Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.

Open Monday and Saturday evenings.

Telephone 111-3 Quincy. Jan. 7-tf

ORDER YOUR

SUNDAY DINNER

—AT—

PRATT'S

The Best of Everything and Money Saved.

Fresh Eastern Fowl,	15 cts. lb
Face Rump Roast,	14 cts. lb
Fresh Pork Roast,	14 cts. lb
Best Rump Steak,	25 cts. lb
N. Y. Rump Steak,	12 1-2 cts. lb
Hebron Potatoes,	30 cts. pk
Fancy Celery,	20 cts. bunch
Large Prunes,	3 lbs. 25 cts
Bordeaux Catsup,	3 bot. 25 cts.
Baltimore Peaches,	15 cts. can
Pea Beans,	8 cts. qt

The Coffee we like to sell is OUR VERY BEST

Mocha and Java, 35c. lb

We have others at lower prices.

L. M. PRATT & SON.

FORSAKEN COUNTRY.

Col. Anderson Talks of His Visit to Labrador

The ladies' of the Quincy Point church gave another of their famous suppers in the church vestry on Thursday evening which was enjoyed by nearly 100. Those who have never sampled escalloped potatoes should have been there, for the new dish was a favorite. The menu also included baked beans and pork, cold ham, macaroni, pickles, and pies in variety. It is said that one gentleman prominent in the coal business actually ate two pieces of pie and wanted more, after all that has been printed about the unhealthfulness of pies. But the pies were good, and he was not to blame.

Mr. T. B. Pollard presided at the evening's entertainment. First came a solo by Mrs. Eugene Page who was accompanied by Mrs. Sellick. The audience enjoyed it and she was recalled. Quincy Point people hope to hear her often.

The treat of the evening was a talk on Labrador by Col. Edward Anderson, a former pastor of the church, who told of his experiences in that country last summer. He said one was struck at the outset by the scene of desolation. No trees or shrubs grow there. There are no horses or cows, and no animals except dogs, which are more wolf than dog. They have condensed milk, but no cows milk or butter. The diet is mainly bread, molasses and tea. They do not eat the cod as that means money, but content themselves with small fish like smelts.

Nothing grows there, said Col. Anderson, because it would freeze at night. The cold is caused by the icebergs, which are numerous and a menace to navigation. He told of the icebergs at length. Fishing is the only occupation. Colonies of men go there from Newfoundland every summer to fish.

He told of the mission and hospital work of Dr. Grenfield; of the visits occasionally of the rector; of the pack of dogs used in winter for transportation, etc., and illustrated his talk with many amusing comments.

Ice cream was for sale at the close of the entertainment.

Basket Ball.

The basket ball game at the Coliseum on Thursday evening was extremely one sided. The Quincys piled up goal after goal until they had a total of 54 points, while the Centrals of Dorchester obtained but one point, and that on a foul. Cushing of the Quincys alone scored twelve goals, while Parker and Mahoney secured six each and Collins 3.

The game between the juniors resulted in a victory for Quincy over Hyde Park 12 to 2.

At St. Mary's hall, the St. Marys juniors defeated the Kileys of the Rail 18 to 12.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

MAIN SPRINGS

Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.

Work called for and delivered.

SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.

Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

PAINTING

and Glazing.

WARD L. HAYWARD

28 Mechanic Street.

Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

SKATES SHARPENED.

Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .

24 Granite Street,

NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.

Dec. 21. 1m

THE Y. M. C. A.

An Outlook and an Estimate of the Association.

Before the year 1904 expires Quincy young men hope to realize to a fuller extent than ever before the benefits of the Young Men's Christian Association. These will come on the completion of the new building. From "An Outlook and an estimate of the Y. M. C. A. by Hamilton W. Mabie, LL. D., we make these extracts.

"Whatever may have been the defects, either in quality or in management, of the Association in the past, it has become a model of high and effective organization, and a potent influence in directing capable and manly young men. It is an expression of the religious life which fits the temper and the need of the day, and it is therefore fundamentally the right expression of that life. It is a religion of action, contrasted sometimes too sharply with the religion of meditation, but pre-eminently, in spite of its occasional over-emphasis on action, the religion which the modern world needs, and which can do the most for the redemption of the modern world.

The nature of religion and its fundamental principles do not change from age to age, but the language in which these things find expression must change, and the methods by which they are wrought out into practical effect change with the language and with the men. The Association work is perhaps the best expression which has been reached by modern methods of bringing good influences to bear on young men.

It stands for that broad conception of life into which the young man of today is born. It honors the body in its place and for its work as much as it honors the spirit, and it recognizes the needs of the body in their place and for their work quite as imperative and important as the needs of the spirit. It demands the health of the body as well as the health of the spirit.

"For many years past the Association has opened the door of education to young men who have lacked regular school opportunities or who have been compelled at any early age to substitute the factory, the shop, or the office for the school; so that Association buildings have become schools for the teaching of almost every branch of knowledge, and the Association has recognized its full responsibility, not only to develop the body and the spirit, but to develop the mind as well.

"Its influence is fundamentally educational. It surrounds young men with an atmosphere which makes them dissatisfied with their attainments and stimulates them to a larger familiarity with the best things which men have thought, said and done in the world. This, too, is part of the all-round religion; sanity in out-of-door life as well as integrity in social and business life. The gymnasium and the out-of-door sports are a part of, not apart from, its fundamental religious work.

"One cannot read the story of the achievements of the last year in extending the work of the Association so as to touch an ever-increasing number of different groups of men in different occupations and localities without feeling that there is something prophetic in its work. Without heralding the fact or arrogating to itself the preaching of the gospel of the unity of all Christian men, it is quietly, persistently and effectively carrying on the work of unity in a spirit of unity. It is an influence already penetrating all churches, Roman Catholic as well as Protestant; and wherever it goes it makes men aware of the identity of their needs, the similarity of the spiritual constitution of man, the unity of the interests of religious men, and their harmony touching the fundamental things on which alone the religious life can be based."

Hingham Grade Crossings.

The Railroad Commissioners have issued an order granting the petition of the Selectmen of Hingham for approval of plans for changing the grade of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. in that town in accordance with the plans for the abolition of grade crossings in Hingham.

FRANK W. BAILLIE,

PAINTER,

Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc

Whiting and Tinting a specialty.

50 Gay Street.

Quincy, July 6. tf

SHIP SUBSIDY.

President Bowles Attends Hearing in Washington.

President Bowles of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company, and representatives from most of the large shipyards of the country attended on Thursday a hearing given by the House committee on merchant marine and fisheries, on a bill, introduced by Representative Augustus P. Gardner of Massachusetts, to appoint a commission to investigate the condition of the American merchant marine and to recommend a bill for the relief thereof.

A dispatch to the Herald says: friends of the ship subsidy scheme say that it is evident that the burden of the campaign for a ship subsidy bill has been shifted from the shoulders of the owners of fast passenger vessels, notably the American Navigation Company, to those of steam and sail freight carriers.

Representative Gardner, who introduced the bill, explained that it was drawn along the lines laid down in the annual message of President Roosevelt. He outlined the history of American shipping, which had increased only 300,000 tons in 100 years, although the exports had increased from $150,000,000 to $2,000,000,000 in that period. At present but 9 per cent. of that trade was carried in American ships.

Mr. Gardner said: "If history is a true guide, sooner or later a war will take place between Germany and England. When that time comes, if we find ourselves without a merchant marine, woe betide us. I do not see how we could avoid taking a part in the struggle."

Winthrop L. Marvin of Boston, well known as an authority on the merchant marine, followed with the assertion that the commission should be created, "that Congress might keep the one unkept pledge of the United States."

He pointed out that not a keel for a steel steamship for the foreign trade had been laid in an American shipyard since 1901, and there was no prospect for future contracts.

Admirable Bowles stated that at the present time there was no chance for American shipyards to build steamers for the foreign trade.

Revival Meetings.

A wonderful meeting at the United Presbyterian church last night; 24 accepted Jesus as their only Saviour. Many were under conviction of sin.

There will be a men's rally on Sabbath at 3 P. M. This meeting is for men only, boys under 14 not admitted. Evangelist Kenyon has a special message to men.

There will be a special meeting for ladies on Thursday at 3 P. M. Special music at all these services. Mr. Fred Urquhart, the young Scotch Sankey Evangelist of Wakefield, Mass., will sing Sabbath morning at 10.30 and also at men's meeting. Also music by the mixed quartet.

TO-DAY

And Every Day until the Bankrupt Stock of

C. F. DERBY

Is Closed out we will sell

MEN'S and BOYS'

CLOTHING,

Furnishings and Hats

At Lower Prices than any other store.

COME AT ONCE

For Best Bargains.

You want good goods for a little money. We want the cash. Here is your opportunity.

BANKRUPT SALE,

Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

MUSIC HALL, - - - QUINCY.

ONE BIG NIGHT, FRIDAY, JAN. 15th,

STETSON'S BIG DOUBLE

Uncle Tom's Cabin Co.

The World-Renowned Tennesseeans, Jubilee Singers, in Quartette Refrains, Banjo Playing, Imitations, Camp Meeting Songs, etc.

Cotton Picking and Plantation Scenes in which are introduced many Artists with Laughter-Provoking Specialties.

Pack of Full-blooded Cuban Bloodhounds Trained to take part in the Drama, are used in the Thrilling Scene showing Eliza's Escape from the Slave-Hunters.

Beautiful Tableaux and Transformation Scenes are displayed thr ughout the Play, the one representing Little Eva's Ascent into Heaven, being pronounced by Critics the Finest ever Presented.

PEOPLE'S PRICES, 25, 35, 50c.

Seats now on sale at Music Hall Pharmacy Jan. 9. 6t

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

JANUARY MARK DOWN SALE

— OF —

COATS.

New up-to-date Coats

Were $7.98, now **$5.00.**

Were $9.98, now **$6.98.**

We have only 2 Zibeline Coats left.

Prices, $17.98 and $25.00.

Choice now, **$12.98.**

Every Coat in the store Marked Down.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE

25 years' experien ce

Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.

Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.

Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carl ...'s. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. ...lantic—Branscheid & Marden's store.

Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.

Telephone at office and residence in Roslindale.

JOHN STREIFERD & SON, FLORISTS.

Telephone 13-7 Braintree.

Cut flowers. Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.

Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood (ask ... keep ... oak or Maple, $8.00

Dry Pine Wood, 7.00

Dry Pine Slabs, 6.00

Green Hard Wood, 7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.

THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,

Yard between Miller and West Streets.

Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.

Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

W. G. CHUBBUCK,

Furniture and Piano Mover

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up and Cleaned and Relaid.

JOBBING.

Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.

lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

F. S. BUXTON,

TEACHER OF VIOLIN

WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.

Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

Dr. Emmons'

Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positive ... no other remedy known to medical science ... has will so quickly and safely do the work ... longest and most obstinate irregularities from ... ay cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No ... ak whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively saves ... no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee in ertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot,

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

How many men are there in the United States who have achieved distinction mainly because they bear their ancestors' names? There come to mind Lincoln, Grant, Carter Harrison, Henry George, William R. Hearst, George B. McClellan, Oliver Wendell Holmes, William Lloyd Garrison. Cornelius Vanderbilt, and many more. They have not demonstrated George William Curtis's apothegm that it is unfortunate to inherit a great name.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ A democratic republic is not a success in our great American cities on account of the social diversities and mercenary motives inherent in segregated human nature that have always and in every land divided the people. All European governments are based upon the unreliability of the masses. A constitution can not make companions of the gentleman and the boar. Our country at large, where the better class reach the government through the town meetings, is all right, but the cities and minor politics that involve directly our peace are not under the control of the more conservative and competent citizens. Indeed, the absence from the caucus and primaries of the scientists, authors, merchants, inventors, bankers, professional men generally, clergymen, builders, engineers, and all who make up the grandeur of the nation, is glaringly marked. Politics abhors a vacuum; where the good keeps out the bad rushes in.—William Hemstreet, in Gunton's Magazine.

Sensitive Professor's Suicide

Huntington, W. Va., Jan. 15.—A man who registered under the name of Professor Lyman E. Smith at the Glenwood inn, Kenova, committed suicide by shooting. Letters found in his pocket show that he came from Baltimore several days ago from an extended trip abroad. He had evidently been a professor in some leading college. He left a note saying that a Baltimore newspaper had criticised some of his writings, which he thought cruel and unfair, and that he could not stand the censure.

Boers to Settle In Montana

St. Paul, Jan. 15.—Arrangements are almost completed for establishing a Boer colony in Montana and it is expected that the immigration of the Boers into this country will commence early in the spring. The idea of establishing a colony in Mexico was given up on account of the prevalence of yellow fever in that section of the country. President Hill of the Great Northern is largely responsible for the selection of Montana for the colony.

Church and State Separate

Rome, Jan. 15.—The Vatican authorities have been informed that the appointment of Mgr. Serafini as apostolic delegate to Mexico cannot lead to diplomatic relations between the holy see and Mexico. Pope Leo made several attempts to have the Catholic religion given official recognition in Mexico, but President Diaz refused to comply with Leo's wishes, although not opposed to Catholicism.

Question of Immigration Rights

San Francisco, Jan. 15.—In the United States district court, Judge Dehaven, in acting upon the habeas corpus proceedings brought on behalf of Chin Dak Dong, who was born in this city, but went to China and recently returned and applied for admission, held that the fact of Chin's birth having taken place in this country, irrespective of his present allegiance, entitles him to land.

Thieves Worked During Fire

Havre, Mont., Jan. 15.—Fire in this city consumed two blocks of business houses. A block of dwelling houses also burned. Thieves began to plunder the burning or deserted buildings and secured considerable booty. A company of soldiers at Fort Assinaboine was rushed to the city and martial law was declared. The loss by fire is about $400,000.

—At a government experiment station 425 pair of pigeons reared 2,200 pairs of squabs in a year, making a profit of $1.50 a pair.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

WARNS OF DANGER

Device For Communicating Signals Under Water

TRANSMITTERS IN TANKS

Wires to Telephone Receiver In Pilot's House by Which the Presence of Other Vessels Is Known at Long Distance

Boston, Jan. 15.—Tests in submarine signalling were made on the steamer James S. Whitney of the Metropolitan Steamship company, which arrived in port from New York at 9:40 o'clock last night. On board the steamer were representatives of the Canadian government who had made the trip from New York to Boston to test the efficiency of the submarine signalling apparatus which had been installed on the James S. Whitney and her sister ship, the Henry M. Whitney.

Permission had been received from the United States government to equip four of the lightships on the course between New York and Boston with submarine bells which were tolled automatically.

The Whitney left New York at midnight Wednesday night, and it was expected that the first submarine signal would be received from the Vineyard sound lightship, which the Whitney passed about 8 o'clock yesterday morning. No communication, however, was established with the Vineyard sound lightship, owing, perhaps, to the fact that the lightship had not received instructions to toll the submarine bell as the Whitney approached.

About 2 o'clock in the afternoon, as the ship approached the Pollock Rip lightship, the distinct sound of a tolling bell was heard in the telephone receiver placed in the pilot house of the Whitney. A few minutes later another bell was heard which was submerged underneath the Pollock Rip shoals lightship. At this time signals were distinctly heard from both the Pollock Rip and the Pollock Rip shoals lightships, but as the Whitney passed one on the starboard and the other on the port side it was impossible to distinguish clearly from which lightship the individual sounds were received.

At 7:20 last evening, as the Whitney neared Boston harbor, the sound of a bell was heard clearly in the telephone receiver in the pilot house. The Whitney veered her course at intervals so that the sound of the bell was heard both from the port and starboard sides. For the first time since the tests in submarine signalling was done a button was pressed which lighted a red or a green light, depending on whether the Whitney had Boston lightship on her port or starboard bow. The tests off of Boston lightship showed within one-eighth of a point on the compass whether the signal came from port or starboard.

When the Whitney arrived in port her officers and those observers who had made the trip for the purpose of testing the submarine system of signalling declared that the experiment had been successful in showing that submarine signalling could be practiced. The inventors claim that the device will not only give notice to the commander of a warship of the approach of an enemy's vessel, but will also prove of value in preventing ocean collisions, either with other vessels or icebergs.

The apparatus consists of two transmitters, sunk in separate tanks, one on either side of the vessel, with wires leading from the transmitters to a telephone receiver in the pilot house. The signals received by the Whitney were given from the Vineyard sound, Pollock Rip, Pollock shoals and Boston lightships. From each of these lightships an automatically tolled bell was suspended 15 feet under water. The sounds of the bells were carried through the water and caught by the transmitters in the tanks of the Whitney and thence sent over the wire to the telephone receiver in the pilot house. The Whitney passed the lightships at distances of from four to six miles.

By means of a switch in the pilot house the observer on board the steamer was able to tell from what direction the sound of the bell came. The switch connected with the transmitters in the port and starboard tanks. No sound having been heard when connected with the port tank, but the toll of the bell being distinguished when the switch connected with the starboard, the operator knew that the signal came from the starboard side.

The inventors say that carbon is the most important factor in the reproduction of submarine sound waves.

Decision Affecting Unionism

New York, Jan. 15.—It is unlawful for labor unions to arrange a plan whereby workmen must become union men or be deprived of employment, according to an opinion handed down by Justice Dickey in the supreme court, Brooklyn.

Returned From Philippines

San Francisco, Jan. 15.—Transport Sheridan, from the Philippines, brought 102 cabin passengers, 31 in the steerage and 1195 men of the Twenty-Eighth regiment, which went to the Philippines three years ago.

Death In Ginger Ale

Little Rock, Jan. 15.—As the result of drinking ginger ale, flavored with lemon extract, three men are dead from poisoning at Alexander and two more are not expected to live.

CHURCH DOORS CLOSED

Weeding Out of Unsafe Structures In Chicago Continues

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Fifteen churches have been closed for violations of the building ordinances and Building Commissioner Williams has placed them all under guard of police until alterations are made. The three largest churches closed were the First Methodist, the Anshe Kanossos Israel, Jewish, and the Roman Catholic church of the Nativity of Our Lord. In addition to closing the churches, policemen were sent to guard a number of lodging houses, and the building in which a prominent commercial college is situated was closed.

Arrangements were made by Mayor Harrison and the proprietors of the Iroquois theatre by which the building is to be used for the purpose of testing automatic sprinklers, fire extinguishers and kindred appliances before it is reconstructed.

The city council met last night for the purpose of considering the revision of the building ordinances. A motion declaring that some of the proposed changes were of a character that required extensive investigation and that it was not proper for the council to pass upon 50 of these at a single sitting was passed, and all consideration of the new ordinance was postponed "until the council is ready."

Lynchings In Three States

Petersburg, Va., Jan. 15.—Elmore Mosely, a negro, was tried in Sussex county for killing another negro on the public highway. He was acquitted. A mob of negroes went to Mosely's house, seized and carried him to a tree and hanged him, riddling his body with bullets.

Gainesville, Fla., Jan. 15.—Jumbo Clark, a negro, was lynched at High Springs for criminally assaulting Jessie Mizell, 14 years old. He was hanged to a tree and his body riddled with bullets. There were 50 men in the mob and no masks were worn, although the lynching occurred in broad daylight.

Vicksburg, Miss., Jan. 15.—"Butch" Riley, a negro, shot C. C. McMillan and was placed in jail at Tallulah, but the sheriff was relieved of the negro by a mob last night and the negro was lynched.

Wholesale Mail Robbery

New York, Jan. 15.—Large depredation of the mails in rural districts near this city is believed to have been indicated by the discovery of about 200 letters in a ferry house. All of the letters had been opened and their contents tampered with. Postoffice inspectors refused to discuss the matter further than to say that their investigation might lead to the disclosure of an unusually ... robbery of the mails.

Head Battered by Robbers

Mount Vernon, N. Y., Jan. 15.—Frederick W. Farquhar, a contracting engineer, is suffering from the effects of a beating which he received at the hands of two robbers in New York. The men, after knocking him senseless with a piece of lead pipe, stole his watch and pocketbook. He laid three hours in a snow pile and was nearly frozen when discovered. He is suffering from concussion of the brain.

The Bechtel Murder Trial

Allentown, Pa., Jan. 15.—After consuming almost an entire day in selecting a jury, the trial of Mrs. Catherine Bechtel on the charge of being an accessory after the fact in the murder of her daughter, Mabel, is under way. Three witnesses were called before court adjourned for the day. Their testimony brought out nothing that would tend to prove the commonwealth's contention.

President Receives Diplomats

Washington, Jan. 15.—The annual dinner to the diplomatic corps was given at the White House by President and Mrs. Roosevelt last night. There was a very large attendance, those present, in addition to the guests of honor, including senators and representatives who are members of the foreign affairs committees of their respective houses and a number of out-of-town guests.

Suicide on Eve of Freedom

New York, Jan. 15.—Francesca Fraggussa, a prisoner whose sentence would have elapsed tomorrow, committed suicide by jumping from his cell on the third tier in the west side jail to the area way below. He struck head first on the stone floor and died instantly. He was 23 years old and was serving six months for non-support.

Six-Year Term For President

Chicago, Jan. 15.—The National Business league, at a meeting here, inaugurated a movement to amend the constitution of the United States so as to fix the presidential term at six years and make the chief executive ineligible for re-election.

NEWS IN BRIEF

M. E. Bernier, Canadian minister of inland revenue, has sent in his resignation to the premier. He will be succeeded by T. R. Brodeu, speaker of the house of commons.

Commander Southerland, U. S. N., on his own request has been relieved from duty as hydrographer and assigned to command the new cruiser Cleveland.

Boston university will confer fellowships of the college and theological departments for the coming academic year upon Clifford G. Allen of Ohio and George C. Cell of Kansas. The fellowships enable a year in study abroad.

A strong Belgian syndicate, with a capital of $20,000,000, is said to have been formed to establish an arms factory in Japan.

CITY BREVITIES.

Henry L. Cobb, clerk at Hearn's pharmacy, has gone south for his health.

The West Quincy Methodist church is arranging for a concert by a troup of jubilee singers.

Mrs. James B. Pollock of New York is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Penniman.

The two men injured at the Power station Wednesday who are now at the City Hospital, are found not to be serious.

At the meeting of the Police, District and Municipal court clerks' association held Wednesday evening, John P. S. Churchill of the Quincy court was elected treasurer.

The report of treasurer at the annual meeting showed the Merrymount club to be in a flourishing financial condition, with practically no liabilities, and owning all the club fixtures including two bowling alleys.

Miss Christina Booth entertained a few friends Thursday evening at her home, No. 5 Owens place. During the evening piano selections were rended by Miss Elizabeth Ruxton and Mr. Gilbert Booth. Games were also enjoyed after which refreshments were served.

At the matinee whist held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. Porterfield on Granite street, the following were awarded souvenirs. The highest score was 47, and 23 the lowest. Seven tables were in play. The winners were: Mrs. J. F. Allen, sofa pillow; Mrs. Jennie Langhorn, pin cushion; Mrs. R. Mavers, lamp complete; Mrs. Maggie Robertson, salad dish; Mrs. Wm. Westland, needle book; Mrs. M. Davidson, consolation.

DRESS TRIMMINGS.

Tassels, Cords, Braid, Lace Fringe and Ruchings All Popular.

Cloth gowns are almost invariably combined with beautiful embroideries of the same shade, particularly if the gown is of pale colored cloth and intended for dressy occasions. These embroideries are a feature of the princess gown in cloth. This gown very often in reality has its waist and skirt separate, but so draped and arranged that they appear as one.

Cords and tassels and all sorts of braids are favorite trimmings, and very

CLOTH AND MOLESKIN GOWN.

few gowns are evolved by the best dressmakers without the addition of some of these fussy, dangling little ornaments.

Dyed lace and beautiful wide fringe constitute the trimming of many crepe de chine gowns. One of these seen recently was of pale blue crepe de chine trimmed with wide straight bands of cluny lace dyed to match. The tucked square yoke was edged with a wide fringe.

Moleskin is used to trim many gowns, especially those of gray cloth. The illustration shows a costume of this description, but in this case the moleskin bands are crossed with black and white braid. The very full skirt is trimmed with horizontal tucks.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

TO CURE GRIP IN TWO DAYS.

Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause. To get the genuine, call for the full name. 25c.

Sheriff's Sale.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. Quincy, Dec. 22, 1903.

TAKEN on execution and will be sold at public auction on SATURDAY, the thirtieth day of January, 1904, at 9 o'clock A. M., at my residence No. 163 Franklin street, Quincy, said County, all the right, title and interest which John Roberts of said Quincy had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the twenty-second day of December, 1903, at 2 o'clock P. M., (being the time the same was seized on execution) in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in Quincy, said County, and being lots No. 105 and 107 on plan by Whitman & Breck, recorded with Norfolk Plans, plan book 11, plan 461 and with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 597, page 7 and lib. 633, page 315, said lots are bounded as follows:

Southeasterly on Roberts street, formerly called Smith street, 108 feet; southwesterly on land of Spargo, 80 1-10 feet; northwesterly on land of Richards, Brooks and Heirs of T. J. Nightingale, 180 feet; northeasterly on land of Phillips, 80 1-10 feet.

GEORGE H. FIELD, Deputy Sheriff.

Jan. 15. 5t-15-22-29

Side Boards and Buffets.

The Side Board adds the finishing touch to the furnishing of the dining room, and is one of the most convenient and attractive pieces of furniture ever constructed. Long linen drawer, velvet lined, silver drawer, ample cupboard, and in addition to the spacious and useful top are the extra shelves for fancy china, cut glass or silver.

Dainty Buffets with all the conveniences of a side board in condensed space. We show over 50 different styles, each one a gem of the craftman's skill. Prices, $12 00 to $50.00.

A little each week from your earnings and a side board is soon paid for

GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.

New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store.

Hancock Street Quincy.

We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

Your Opportunity Has Come.

Again we call Special Attention to our

Second Annual Bargain

AND

Clearance Sale

OF

Winter Overcoats

Ulsters, Reefers and Storm Coats.

The rush of the busy season, and season of Profit to us, is all over, and now comes the time for Close Buyers and

BARGAIN SEEKERS.

We propose to keep the business coming as in the past by offering our Winter Stock of Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers and Storm Coats, at prices that force their sale and clean out our stock in preparation for the coming season.

We do not advertise to sell at less than Cost of the Material they are made of, but we do guarantee to sell you at considerable less than than you can buy the same quality for elsewhere.

You are cordially invited to call and examine our Stock whether you wish to purchase or not.

DON'T MISS YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

WE GIVE GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

F. D. FELLOWS CO.,

Reliable Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers,

1387 Hancock Street, Quincy.

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,

DRUGGIST,

1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

THE CONSOLIDATED

FISH MARKET

OPENS TOMORROW

THURSDAY, JAN. 14th,

AT HANCOCK MARKET,

Cor. Saville Street and Hancock Street, QUINCY MASS.

PLEASE SEND IN YOUR ORDERS EARLY TO EITHER STORE.

Cremo

A cigar that is always the same in quality and price, 5 cents.

A smoke for particular smokers.

Largest Seller in the World.

The Band is the Smoker's Protection.

Cremo

LONG ISLAND

OYSTERS

Solid, 38 cts. quart.

Genuine Quincy Eggs, 45c. dozen.

Meadowbrook Creamery,

QUINCY, MASS.

— OUR —

Capitol Shoe

FOR BOYS.

Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.

Sizes 12 to 2 $1 75

Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2 00

The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.

Every Pair Warranted.

GEORGE W. JONES,

Adams Building, - QUINCY.

You Have a House to Let

Advertise It in the Ledger.

W. R. C. Installation.

Paul Revere Relief Corps held its annual installation of officers Tuesday afternoon. The following officers were installed by Mrs. Dorcas H. Lyman, Department Counsellor, assisted by Mrs. Edith B. Wolfe as conductor.

President,—Mrs. Mary A. Fox.
Senior Vice President,—Mrs. Jennie Ewell.
Junior Vice President,—Mrs. Cylenda Richardson.
Secretary,—Mrs. Isabel A. Souther.
Treasurer,—Mrs. Mary A. H. Crane.
Chaplain,—Mrs. Jennie Holton.
Conductor,—Mrs. Mary E. Powers.
Guard,—Mrs. Celia Baxter.
Assistant Conductor, — Mrs. Annie Grignon.
Assistant Guard,—Mrs. Mary Mahoney.
Patriotic Instructor,—Mrs. Eliza A. Penniman.
Color Bearer, No. 1,—Mrs. Idella Savage.
Color Bearer, No. 2,—Mrs. Edith B. Wolfe.
Color Bearer, No. 3,—Mrs. Annie R. Brown.
Color Bearer, No. 4,—Mrs. Rebecca Longhead.
Musician,—Miss Elvira Ewell.

At the close of the installation, Mrs. Lyman, in behalf of Corps 103 presented the retiring president, Mrs. C. Alice Litchfield, with a beautiful ring. Mrs. Lyman was presented a silver souvenir spoon by Mrs. Laura Holt in behalf of the newly installed officers.

A bountiful supper was served and a social time enjoyed by all. Visitors were present from Cambridge, Somerville, Waltham and Faneuil.

—The Panama railroad, which is 47 miles in length, earned $1,250,000 last year.

TO PREVENT THE GRIP.

Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause. To get the genuine, call for the full name. 25c.

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,

DENTIST,

Opposite Post Office,

1355 Hancock St., Quincy.

OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.

Jan. 31. tf

JUVENILE ANTICS

All That House Opposition to Civil Service Amounted To

MONEY FOR COMMISSION

Big Majority Voted For It When It Came to a Roll-Call and Members Had to Go on Record For or Against Appropriation

Washington, Jan. 15.—The house passed the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, carrying an aggregate of $29,711,700, and then adjourned until Monday next. This is the second of the big supply measures to pass the house.

The house, by a vote of 88 to 72, refused to sustain the action of the committee of the whole, which on Wednesday adopted an amendment striking out the paragraph providing for the salaries and expenses of the civil service commission, thus restoring the item to the bill.

No friend of the merit system needed to have lain awake nights with anxiety over the fate of the civil service commission because of Wednesday's performance in the house. It is not many years since that sort of thing was the regular order of proceeding once in every congress. The commission's appropriation is carried in one of the great annual budget bills, and these measures are always considered first in committee of the whole and the results later reported to the house itself, which then accepts or rejects the work of the committee. In committee there is no roll call, and therefore no member appears on the permanent record as voting "aye" or "no." Hence it is a matter of great delight now and then for certain eminent statesmen to marshal a majority of the members present against the commission's appropriation in committee, let the news go out to the world as the protest of congress against "all this reform fol-de-rol," and then let the opposition go to pieces as soon as the roll call is sprung upon the house, and every member has to be recorded by name one way or the other.

The vote in committee showed a majority of 13 against the appropriation. Ten years ago the adverse majority was 38, but when the roll was called in the house, the majority in favor of the appropriation was 78. From this example it was easy to guess what the showing would be when Representative Bingham sprung the yea and nay vote on the civil service item yesterday.

In 1900, one of the handful of congressmen who actually braved public opinion by going on record against the civil service commission appropriation was W. A. Rodenberg of Illinois. In 1901, having meanwhile been dropped out of congress by his constituents, he very gladly accepted at President McKinley's hands a position on the very commission he had tried one year before to starve to death, and he soon became a convert to the system.

The first time the house indulged in this kind of horseplay, it did so to twit Mr. Roosevelt, who was then civil service commissioner, and who had been so imprudent as to appear in the gallery that session as an interested spectator. The revival of the sport was doubtless incited in no small measure by the appearance in the same place of the two new commissioners, Messrs. Cooley and Greene. Congress has a good deal that is juvenile in its make-up.

Opposition to Mills' Promotion

Washington, Jan. 15.—The nomination of Colonel Mills, superintendent of the United States military academy, who has been nominated by the president to be a brigadier general, was objected to in the senate committee on military affairs by Senators Blackburn and Scott. It is asserted by several senators supporting the nomination of Brigadier General Wood to be major general that the opposition is a movement consistent with opposition from senators to the confirmation of Wood. Mills was promoted over the heads of a large number of army officers.

Panama Discussion

Washington, Jan. 15.—The senate listened to speeches by Mr. Newlands and Mr. Depew on the Panama canal question. Mr. Newlands declared that the course of the president in Panama was an act of war and in contravention alike of the treaty of 1846, of international law and of the constitution of the United States. Dr. Depew praised the president's policy as patriotic and justified by precedent and law. He contended that Colombia had overreached herself in her rejection of the Hay-Herran agreement.

Coghlan's Report From Colon

Washington, Jan. 15.—Admiral Coghlan has cabled the navy department from Colon as follows: "Report of the appearance of Colombian force between Colon and Chiriqui lagoon due to men now in that vicinity who belonged to Colombian forces who would not join Panama men, but took to the mountains behind David and are now unorganized marauders. About 300 men, some unarmed, have been seen about Sante Fe and Coolet river, committing depredations.

Seat Belongs to Keliher

Washington, Jan. 15.—House elections committee No. 1 unanimously decided the Conry-Keliher contested election case from the Ninth Massachusetts district in favor of Keliher, the sitting member.

"Uncle Tom's Cabin" Tonight.

There are some theatrical attractions that are not affected in the least degree by the shifting tests and humor; one of these being Stetson's "Uncle Tom's Cabin," the great standard American drama that has retained its hold upon the public for over a decade. Its first production took place in the Troy Museum quite a number of years ago. After which it was produced in the old National Theatre, Chatham street, New York, in January, 1853, where it enjoyed a three years' run to enormous business. It will be presented at the Music hall, Quincy, tonight by Stetson's big company, an organization long known to be superior in every way and one which is ever popular with theatre-goers. The Company has been newly equipped for this season and the street parade was even finer if possible than during previous tours.

Mr. Frye Thanked.

Alex P. Frye, formerly of Quincy has received signal honors in Cuba. A dispatch to the Herald reports: The House of Representatives of Cuba Tuesday passed a resolution amid tremendous enthusiasm, denouncing as false and disproven by the laws of Cuba, the alleged charges of Senator Foraker that Alexis P. Frye appointed incompetent and immoral teachers. Mr. Frye had the power of appointment. A second resolution was unanimously passed requesting President Palma to personally convey to Mr. Frye the thanks of the nation for his defense of Cuban women against calumny. The Senate committee reports that the President has done as requested.

Submarine Boats.

Representative Roberts of Massachusetts introduced a bill in Congress on Wednesday appropriating $4,500,000 "for the purpose of construction of submarine torpedo boats, the type to be selected by the secretary of the navy from the best designs submitted to him on or before Sept. 15, 1904."

Norwegian Steamer Wrecked

New York, Jan. 15.—Steamer Belita, from West Indian ports, brought six sailors and the mate of the Norwegian steamer Snyg, which was wrecked off Honduras. It took the crew 36 hours to get ashore, a distance of a mile. During that time two lifeboats were smashed.

Live Stock Men With Roosevelt

Portland, Ore., Jan. 15.—By unanimous vote the National Live Stock association adopted resolutions endorsing the policy of President Roosevelt with reference to the building of the Panama canal. A copy of the resolutions was wired to the president.

Dread of Surgeon's Knife

New York, Jan. 15.—George Storm, president of the Owl Commercial company, a branch of the International Tobacco company, committed suicide in his office here by shooting. It is said that he feared a second operation for appendicitis.

Wild Beasts Attack Trainer

Paris, Jan. 15.—In Bostock's arena at the Hippodrome palace Mme. Berelli was attacked by jaguars during her performance and badly bitten. She was rescued with difficulty, but it is not believed that her life is in danger.

Naval Collier Probably Lost

Paris, Jan. 15.—Notwithstanding the long search for the missing French naval collier Vienne, no trace of the vessel has been discovered and it is considered that the ship and her crew have been lost.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Saturday, Jan. 16.
Sun rises—7:11; sets—4:37.
Moon rises—6:05 a. m.
High water—10:30 a. m.; 11 p. m.

Snow has continued in the lower lake region and in the St. Lawrence valley. Generally fair and colder weather will prevail in New England.

A LINGERING COUGH

The cough that holds on in spite of all remedies needs energetic and above all thorough treatment. A mere cough mixture won't do. Root out the cold that causes the cough.

How? Scott's Emulsion. Why Scott's Emulsion? Because it stops the irritation, soothes the tissues and heals the affected membranes.

When? Right away. Scott's Emulsion begins to help with the first dose.

People who have used Scott's Emulsion will not be satisfied with any of the numerous substitutes that are offered in the form of wines, extracts, cordials, etc. When life and health are at stake it is unwise to experiment with unknown and untried preparations.

We'll send you a sample free upon request.
SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York

OFFICERS RESIGNED

Books of Co-Operative Society Said to Show $80,000 Deficit

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 15.—By reason of a tangle in the financial affairs of the Arlington Co-operative society of this city practically the entire board of officers resigned at a meeting of the society last night, and a committee was appointed to investigate the society's accounts. The investigating committee was also directed to employ counsel and bring any civil or criminal proceedings that the evidence might warrant.

The Arlington Co-operative society was organized by mill operatives in this city in 1884. Up to three years ago it was successfully conducted. Since that time, however, dividends have been somewhat intermittent, until within the past six months they stopped. The result was the bringing of a number of suits and attachments against the company.

At the outset of last night's meeting the resignations were announced of President Steed, Clerk Dewhurst, Auditor Hartley and Directors Dixon and Legatt. During the discussion which followed it was stated that $23,000 had been paid out of the general fund on account of dividends, and it was also alleged that there was missing from the treasury, or that the books of the company showed a deficit amounting to $80,725.94.

The former clerk was ordered to turn over to the investigating committee all the funds of the society, amounting, it was stated, to about $9000.

Forty Freight Cars Wrecked

East Greenwich, R. I., Jan. 15.—Through the breaking of an air hose connecting the cars of an east-bound freight train near here last evening, the wreckage of about 40 freight cars was strewn about both tracks. No one was injured. When the air hose broke all the cars stopped instantaneously and a number of the cars were thrown directly in front of another freight approaching upon the west-bound track, and which proceeded to plough through the wreckage. Yards of track was torn up.

Quarrel May Prove Fatal

South Norwalk, Conn., Jan. 15.—William Carpenter, 21 years old, last night shot and seriously wounded Miss Margaret Neville, with whom he had been keeping company. The girl's condition is critical. Carpenter was arrested. He stated that he had an argument with the girl's mother, which he later renewed with the girl, who upheld her mother. In the heat of the argument, Carpenter says, he lost his head and did the shooting.

Alimony In Installments

Providence, Jan. 15.—Judge Dubois of the supreme court holds that under the statutes alimony cannot be paid to a woman in a gross sum. The rescript was in answer to a request that William Hartley, whose wife recently secured a divorce, be ordered to pay alimony in a lump sum instead of weekly installments.

Reid Still Evades Police

Rutland, Vt., Jan. 15.—Massachusetts officers spent another day telephoning about the state in an attempt to locate William J. Reid, who escaped from jail in Springfield last Sunday, but without result. The officers still cling to the theory that Reid is over in New York state.

Rearrested on Murder Charge

Bridgeport, Conn., Jan. 15.—Paul Brown, a sailor, was arrested here on a bench warrant charging him with a murder committed in New London recently. Brown was arrested soon after the murder, but was discharged for lack of evidence. New evidence is said to have been found.

Stabbed Eighteen Times

Boston, Jan. 15.—Eighteen knife wounds are alleged by the police to have been made by Manuel Cercura upon Joseph Souza. Both men are Portuguese sailors. Cercura was arrested on a charge of assault and battery with intent to kill. Souza's condition is serious.

Killed In Elevator Well

Boston, Jan. 15.—Dennis O'Connell, a porter at Hotel Touraine, while working at the bottom of the elevator well in the hotel, was crushed to the basement floor by a descending elevator. O'Connell died before the arrival of an ambulance.

Rebels Are Good Fighters

Montevideo, Jan. 15.—General Nuniz, with 2500 government troops, has been obliged to beat a retreat near Santa Clara, owing to the numerical superiority of the revolutionists, commanded by General Sarniva. Nuniz is said to have resigned later on the plea that he was suffering from heart disease. The Uruguayan government forces were also defeated at Paso do Toros.

Three-Cent Fares Wait

Cleveland, Jan. 15.—At a meeting of the directors of the Cleveland Electric Railway company the proposition to accept the ordinance establishing a 3-cent fare within certain zones of the city was not ratified. The 3-cent zone was declared to be too large.

Bulgarians on the Warpath

Salonica, Jan. 15.—A Turkish powder magazine in the Kumanova district, 16 miles from Uskub, was blown up by Bulgarians. Thirty Turks were killed. A sharp engagement is reported to have occurred 45 miles from Salonica.

Death Hovers Over Bushnell

Columbus, O., Jan. 15.—Late last night former Governor Bushnell was still alive, but the physicians stated that dissolution was imminent. The patient lies in a stupor and recognizes none about him.

What are Humors?

They are vitiated or morbid fluids coursing the veins and affecting the tissues. They are commonly due to defective digestion but are sometimes inherited.

How do they manifest themselves? In many forms of cutaneous eruption, salt rheum or eczema, pimples and boils, and in weakness, languor, general debility.

How are they expelled? By

Hood's Sarsaparilla

which also builds up the system that has suffered from them.

It is the best medicine for all humors

ANASTASIA A. HUGHES,

Teacher of Piano and Organ,

Will receive pupils Fridays and Saturdays. For terms address 1562 Hancock Street, QUINCY, MASS.

Jan. 13. 6t

MILLER'S

4 Quarts Potatoes,	.01
2 lbs. Sugar,	.01
Can Tomatoes,	.01
Pkg. Ginger,	.01

Inclosed in our Full Basket Sale

JANUARY 12 to 16.

$2.00, Stamps, With Each BASKET.

$1.00. $1.00.

V. E. MILLER,

CASH GROCER,

Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass.

DANCING.

COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.

BASKET BALL

AND DANCING

THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $3. A discount of 50 cents to all ormer pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For further particulars apply to ELMER W BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept 22—6m lpo

PICTURES

FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.

Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.

H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.

JOHNSON & BROOKS,

PROPRIETORS.

HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,

QUINCY, MASS.

Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

HALL and BURGESS,

Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.

AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.

Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

Hote Greenleaf

Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.

MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

MISS SPEAR'S CLASSES,

148 Goffe Street.

Kindergarten and Day pupils received.

Music, Art, Sloyd, Basketry, Gymnastics, Shorthand and Tutoring taught by experts.

C. FOLLETT SPEAR, Directress.

Voice, Piano and Harmony Oct. 15-3m

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,

DENTIST,

Opposite Post Office,

1355 Hancock St., Quincy.

OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.

Jan. 31. tf

Hardware Supply Co.,

1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES

Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.

Dec. 29. tf

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.

Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER.
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

EBEN HARDY,
Manufacturing OPTICIAN . .

of 21 Bromfield street, Boston, has opene a Jewelry and Optical store at 307 Newport avenue, Wollaston, opposite the depot.

Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silver Ware, Opera, Field and Marine Glasses.

Eyes examined and Glasses fitted. Broken Lenses matched and replaced in our own factory.
Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired by first-class workmen. All work guaranteed.
French Clocks called for and delivered. Send postal and we will call.

EBEN HARDY,
OPTICIAN,
370 Newport Ave., Wollaston.
Dec.15—1m

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

Famous Authors

We have secured for early publication a number of short stories by the following distinguished writers:

Jack London
Will N. Harben
Bret Harte
Shan Bullock
Henry Seton Merriman
Maximilian Foster
Edith Wyatt
A. W. Whitelord
Herman Whitaker
J. P. Coughlan

Every story copyrighted and illustrated, Keep your eye on our columns.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water st.
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. O. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Nothing Else Would Satisfy Him.

He—What shall we buy our little Willie for his birthday?

She—I'm afraid nothing will keep him quiet but a new drum.—New York Times.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	32	4	26	43	43
Monday,	30	8	36	26	42
Tuesday,	33	11	31	37	31
Wednesday,	42	24	21	34	20
Thursday,	39	35	26	34	30
Friday,	34	27	35	40	33
Saturday,	—	33	40	45	36

New Advertisements Today.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.—Coats.
Sheriff's Sale.
Lost—Pocket Book.
C. F. Derby—Bankrupt Sale.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

The alarm from box 57 at 7.53 Thursday evening was a false alarm.

There will be vesper services at the Wollaston Congregational church on Sunday at 4 o'clock with a New Year's message.

The first entertainment in the series of three to be given by the Social club of First church, is to be given in the chapel this evening. Some good talent is advertised.

Mrs. Isabella, wife of Mr. John Masson, one of South Quincy's well known business men, died at her home at No. 138 Franklin street this morning, aged 47 years. She was a member of the Loyal Ladies of Clan McGregor.

The Junior Christian Endeavor society of Bethany church held an enjoyable social in the chapel Thursday from 5 to 7 P. M. Misses French and Atkins, the directors planned an enjoyable program which opened with various games. A supper was served and several songs were sung in chorus.

The stormy weather Wednesday evening prevented a large attendance at the lecture in High school hall in the Teachers' Association course by Rev. Peter McQueen on Russia. Those who did attend pronounced the lecture good, and the pictures with which it was illustrated fine.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Ann, widow of James Baxter, was held Wednesday afternoon from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Theophilus King, on Adams street. The services were conducted by Rev. Ellery C. Butler and Rev. Edwin N. Hardy. During the services Miss Florence Emery sang. The burial was at Mt. Auburn.

The Quincy Point Young Men's club hope to get into their new club house in the near future. New members are being added at every meeting and indications are that the Point will have a hustling young men's club. A great deal of interest is being shown in the series of "club papers" on some current event of the day which are presented by the members.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Nov. 2. 6mos.

The sleighing is not very good.

Another eight-page Ledger tomorrow with a novelette.

On Saturday at 2.30 the Mission band will meet with Mary Murray, Newport avenue.

Several sleigh parties passed through Quincy Thursday evening.

Rev. E. N. Hardy will exchange on Sunday morning with Rev. G. Wolcott Brooks of the Village church of Dorchester.

The recitals of Mr. W. J. Campbell at the Water street church Thursday evening were very enjoyable, and music was interspersed. There was a good attendance.

The family of George Weston are moving to Providence, R. I., this week where Mr. Weston is now located in the auditing department of a large department store.

It may be that the American Tube Works are going to establish a plant at Quincy Neck, but the Railroad Commissioners have this week authorized the company to construct a freight track in Somerville.

On Sunday evening at 7.30 in the Baptist vestry at Wollaston the Junior Society of Christian Endeavor will hold a rally service to which all the congregation are invited. A silver collection will be taken to aid the Juniors in their work.

The new steamer Lewis Luckenbach, Capt. Taylor, arrived Thursday, from Philadelphia on her maiden trip to this port, says the Globe. She brought a cargo of coal in her hold, while on deck she had 14 boilers for the battleships in course of construction at Quincy Point.

All interested in the Frances E. Willard Settlement home of Boston are requested to contribute canned fruit, pickles, groceries, or money for the benefit of the home. It is requested that all articles be left at the home of Mrs. H. D. Black, W. C. T. U. Supt. of Settlement work, 71 North Central avenue, not later than Jan. 27.

Sons of St. George Social.

Granite Lodge, No. 193, Order Sons of St. George, held a regular meeting in Doble's hall on Wednesday at the close of which a social was held for members and their friends. After a few opening remarks by President William Warmington, Mr. Frank Craig gave a piano solo.

The president then introduced Rev. William E. Gardner of Christ church who spoke at length on the benefits derived from fraternal organizations. The speaker treated his subject in a very broad-minded manner, and showed to his audience very clearly how the great principles of Christianity permeate the whole structure of fraternal organizations.

At the conclusion of Mr. Gardner's remarks, refreshments were served, which were greatly enjoyed by all present. Cigars were then passed round, after which songs were rendered by Messrs. Tutton, Tate, Best, Hodge, Craig, and Lashford. Mr. Walker gave a reading which was well received. Mr. George Jacques gave a few remarks on the general progress of the order, followed by Mr. Frank Tinney on the social and fraternal side of the question. At 10.30 o'clock the meeting was closed by all joining in the singing of "America." Everyone departed for home, very well pleased with the evening's entertainment and particularly with the remarks of Rev. Mr. Gardner.

Installation of Officers.

At the regular meeting of Loyal Ladies Tuesday evening, ex-President Mary A. Smith, assisted by Sister Mary Daly acting as conductor, installed the following officers:

President,—Margaret Stronach.
Vice President,—Marjorie Milne.
Ex-President,—Henrietta E. Marr.
Chaplain,—Alice Findlay.
Rec. Sec.,—Elizabeth E. Russell.
Fin. Sec.,—Agnes Reynolds.
Treas.,—Susan McRitchie.
Conductor,—Margaret Pierce.
Ass. Conductor,—Jennie Fyfe.
Inside Guard,—Margaret Michael.
Outside Guard,—Jane Philips.
Trustees,—Fannie Wood, Annie Mutch and Mary Morrison.
Pianist,—Lizzie Marnock.
Physician,—Roderick McLennan M. D.

After the installation a collation was served by the amusement committee.

TO PREVENT THE GRIP.
Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause. To get the genuine, call for the full name. 25c.

Sunday School Officers.

Notwithstanding the severity of the weather a goodly number were present at the yearly business meeting for election of officers for the Baptist Sunday school of Wollaston. Mr. Albee who has held the office of Superintendent for seventeen years was re-elected unanimously. Mr. Hall as assistant superintendent, Mr. Sparrow as treasurer and secretary, and Mr. George Brown as auditor. Mr. Patterson who has also served many years was elected librarian and Mrs. Hall superintendent of Kindergarten department.

THE LITERARY WORLD.

Joseph R. Buchanan as a Ball Player. Mark Twain's Audiences.

[Special Correspondence.]

New York, Jan. 15.—In his youth Joseph R. Buchanan, author of "The Story of a Labor Agitator," was a baseball player of some prominence in semiprofessional circles in Missouri and Illinois. He is still fond of the national game and, though he has passed the half century mark, takes part in the annual contest between the editors and compositors of the publishing concern with which he is connected in New York. The most noticeable of Mr. Buchanan's features is his snow white hair, which is never trimmed down to the baseball standard.

During last summer's game between the editors and compositors, played in Brooklyn, a sedate looking gentleman who had been for some time closely observing the lively movements and antics of Buchanan at first base touched one of the compositors, whose side was at bat, upon the shoulder and asked:

"Will you tell me whether that nimble chap playing first base is as old as he looks or as young as he acts?"

Mary E. Wilkins and F. Marion Crawford met at a reception recently, but despite the efforts of the lady who was introducing them Mr. Crawford failed to realize Miss Wilkins' identity. The lady repeated Miss Wilkins' name, first simply as Miss Wilkins, then Miss Mary Wilkins, then Miss Mary E. Wilkins, then Miss Mary E. Wilkins, the writer of New England stories, but all to no purpose. Miss Wilkins, who is the most modest of authors, was only very much amused. The incident was often repeated and garbled. Mr. Crawford afterward explained that, despite all the repetitions, he had failed to catch her name in the chatter of the crowded drawing rooms.

It was on the train somewhere between New York and the west. Mark Twain was traveling between towns on a lecture tour, and a friend had been drawing the humorist out on the subject of his experiences, says Harper's Weekly.

"What sort of audience," he asked, "do you like best? Who, in your opinion, make the most responsive and sympathetic listeners?"

"College men," replied Mark after a moment's thought—"college men and convicts."

Mark is quoted in London Punch as having said he fled to Italy to escape one of Punch's contributors, Mr. H. W. Lucy (Toby, M. P.), who has been in America recently. Mr. Lucy thus explains the cause of Mark Twain's alleged flight to Europe: He and Twain once decided to collaborate in a magazine to be called the Obituary. Each was to write scurrilous obituaries of any of his personal friends who chanced to be famous, making all sorts

"COLLEGE MEN AND CONVICTS."

of accusations against them. They were then to submit proofs to the victims, intimating that unless large sums were paid to the writers the obituaries would be published after the death of the subjects. So Mr. Lucy, when he arranged to visit America, wrote Mark Twain, complaining that he had never received any profits from the Obituary, to which his friend replied that in its earning capacity "the Obituary is better for Twain than for two" and that he intended to escape his dissatisfied partner by a trip to Italy.

F. Marion Crawford published his first novel twenty years ago. It was "Mr. Isaacs," and, although the story was written in only thirty-five days, it made him famous. He was brought up in Rome and speaks Italian as fluently as a native. The novelist is very fond of athletic sports and a lover of the open air.

Will N. Harben, author of "Abner Daniel" and "The Substitute," is in New York studying Maclyn Arbuckle's presentation of the chief part in George Ade's new play, "The County Chairman." Mr. Harben is projecting a play for Mr. Arbuckle and will fit the principal character to the actor's personality. It will be Mr. Harben's initial venture into the field of the playwright.

BERTHA MILDRED NIXON.

More Serious.

Maid—There's a man at the door, mum, an'—

Mrs. Bluff (entertaining several ladies)—But I told you to say I was not at home to any other callers.

Maid—Oi told him that, mum, but he says he's not a caller, but a collector, an' he won't go 'way.—Philadelphia Press.

COUNTY SALARIES.

Feeling That Norfolk Is Able to Pay Commissioners, $1,400.

Surprise is expressed that a reduction in salary for the Norfolk County Commissioners is proposed by the special committee on salaries of the Legislature, especially as the county has for several years paid $1400 to each commissioner. A reduction is proposed in only one other county that of Barnstable.

Eight counties are asked to increase salaries of county commissoners, and these counties may not be as able to pay an increase as Norfolk. They include: Dukes, an increase of $200; Plymouth, an increase of $300; Franklin, an increase of $200; Hampshire, an increase of $200, Berkshire, an increase of $900; Hampden, an increase of $1,100 Bristol, an increase of $600; Worcester, an increase of $450.

As is usual in a revision of salaries of this kind there is a total increase, and it is proposed that the total salaries to county commissioners shall be $38,700 instead of $35,450

It will be noticed from the summary below for county commissioners that the increases are largely in counties with small per capita valuation.

Counties.	Present salary.	Proposed salary.
Nantucket,	—	—
Dukes,	$400	$600
Barnstable,	1,300	1,200
Franklin,	1,600	1,800
Hampshire,	1,600	1,800
Berkshire,	2,100	3,000
Plymouth,	2,700	3,000
Norfolk,	4 200	3,600
Hampden,	2,500	3,600
Bristol,	3,300	3,900
Worcester,	4,950	5,400
Essex,	5,400	5,400
Middlesex,	5,400	5,400
Suffolk,	—	—
Total,	$35,450	$38,700

A table showing the population of the counties in thousands, and of the valuation in millions, has been prepared by the Ledger, and shows Norfolk county to have a higher valuation than Bristol and Hampden, although those counties lead in population:

Counties.	Population in Thousands.	Valuation in Millions.
Nantucket,	3	3
Dukes,	4	4
Barnstable,	27	26
Franklin,	41	24
Hampshire,	58	35
Berkshire,	95	63
Plymouth,	113	85
Norfolk,	151	125
Hampden,	175	159
Bristol,	252	195
Worcester,	346	264
Essex,	357	288
Middlesex,	565	556
Suffolk,	611	1,220

MILTON.

The annual ball of the Firemen's Relief Association will be held at the Town Hall next Wednesday evening.

Rev. Edwin H. Hadlock of Springfield will preach at the East Milton Congregational church on Sunday.

It was ladies' night this week at the Thursday Evening club. Whist was the main feature of the evening. Refreshments were served.

Milton people have commenced to talk up candidates for the annual town meeting in March.

Dr. Walter Kete attended on Thursday evening the annual dinner of the New England alumni of the University of Pennsylvania at the Thorndike, Boston.

Martin Banner of church street underwent an operation for appendicitis at the hospital this week.

Hon. John D. Long gave a talk on methods of procedure in Congress before the Thursday evening club last week. It was a very entertaining address.

Case of Destitution.

The fire at 60 South street this week brought out a case of destitution which is being investigated by the police and the state. It appears that the family consists of the father, Archibal McCole, employed at the Fore River Works; the mother, who is at a hospital, and eight children, the oldest of whom is but 11 years of age. There is but little in the house in the way of furniture, and the cellar is flooded with water from a leaky water pipe which the owner of the building has neglected to have repaired.

Agent Loring of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, and Inspector McKay are investigating the matter today.

BORN.

FLETCHER—In Quincy, Jan. 9, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. J. Warren Fletcher of Garfield street.

WYNOT—In Braintree, Jan. 14, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wynot of Washington street.

DIED.

BLACKMAN—In Quincy, Jan. 14, Ernest, son of Mr. Otto and Mrs. Sigle M. Blackman, aged 5 years, 4 months and 6 days.

MASSON—In Quincy, Jan. 15, Mrs. Isabella, wife of Mr. John Masson of 138 Franklin street, aged 47 years.

WILLS—In North Scituate, Jan. 14, Mrs. Fannie D., widow of William Wills.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

Copyright, 1904, by Sampson-Hodges Co.

DISTANCE LENDS ENCHANTMENT.

You long to play in gentle May,
When winter, king of frost, holds sway,
Or sit and spoon in leafy June
To pass an hour or so away.

When it is hot, as like as not
You figure snow would touch the spot,
But let it fly, and soon you cry
The weather mixer should be shot.

There is a charm when safe from harm
Sweet poems on the snow disarm

And calm your fear, but when it's near
You're apt to view it with alarm.

For sleet and ice seem cool and nice,
But when you've met them once or twice
You'd skip away to Florida
If you but had the needful price.

When frost and rime are in their prime
And cold almost incites to crime,
You wonder why you wished them nigh,
And long for good old summer time.

You wish for days when autumn haze
Somewhat obscured the sun's X rays,
Or idly sigh for lost July,
And even August gets your praise.

Not For Home Consumption.

"All governments," said the orator, working himself into a frenzy, "derive their just powers from the consent of the governed."

"You should have seen the side show at our house," observed his small son, who was in the audience, "when I sprung that on pa this morning."

Something Like It.

"They put their little western town on wheels and moved it over to the next township."

"That appears to have been a case of second site."

When You Awake.

I sit and smoke and vaguely dream
And wonder how the thing would seem
If I had wealth galore to blow—
About a million, cold, or so.

I'd buy a modest private yacht,
A cottage in a charming spot,
And for a place to settle down
A handsome brownstone front in town.

The pipe that fondly I caress
Would give way to cigars, I guess;
The clothes that dress my manly form
Might serve to keep a vagrant warm.

The girls that now reject my suit
Would at my lightest nod salute;
The men who pass me on the street
Would stop and touch me for a treat.

'Tis sweet to dream and scheme and puff,
But the awakening is rough.
I wonder how with groan and doubt
I'll make my seven a week pay out.

His Medicine.

"How did Blinks settle his breach of promise case?"

"He compromised it and married the girl."

"Ah! The judge gave him a life sentence and fined him the amount of his pay every Saturday night."

Touched His Pride.

The bird of freedom was enraged
And looking round for gore;
Things that were done in freedom's name
Had made the eagle sore.

For Her Peace of Mind.

"Do you think that a woman should know all that her husband does?"

"Not if she cares to have any sleep at night."

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

When a man discovers that he is in love he is amazed to also discover that his acquaintances have been speculating for some time on how soon he will be buying household goods.

A stitch in time saves a lot of verbal darning.

Some people are so much in the way that they are continually falling over themselves.

A woman delights in showing her best new gown to her dearest friend and her worst enemy.

There is no use in crying over spilt milk unless you have a kind hearted milkman.

A successful man can never understand how there can be any failures.

A girl who improves upon nature is an artist, whether she work upon herself or on canvas.

A luxury is anything that you can't afford.

When a man has quarreled with his wife he usually comes around by trying to square himself.

A man's residence may have an imposing entrance, but if he is wise he will see that it has an easy exit.

A belle is a young lady into whose favor it is hard to enter and out of whose favor it is easy to slip.

Contiguity has more to do with most matches than celestial supervision.

If you must tell your secret tell it to the cat.

Very receptive people are apt to leak.

DO YOU COUGH
DON'T DELAY
TAKE **KEMP'S BALSAM**
THE BEST COUGH CURE

It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.

LOST—On Wednesday afternoon, Post Book containing money, on Adams or Hancock streets. Finder will please return to MARGARET NONAN, at Mrs. Reed's, 3 Adams street.
Quincy, Jan. 15. 3t

WANTED.

WANTED—In a Quincy centre store, an assistant book-keeper with some experience. Address, stating experience and salary willing to work for, BOOK-KEEPER, Ledger office
Quincy, Jan. 15. tf

WANTED AT ONCE — Experienced Waitress at Hotel Greenleaf.
Quincy, Jan. 15. tf

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines steady work. Apply to MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy.
Jan. 13. tf

FOR SALE.

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom made pung, built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILSON
Quincy, Jan. 12. tf

TO LET.

ROOMS TO LET—Pleasant, warm rooms for two; hot and cold water; bath. 6-2 Washington street.
Quincy, Jan. 13. 3t

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston.
Dec. 30. 1p-tf

TO LET—Nice tenement containing 5 rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate at 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to ALDEN F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2
Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street.
Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass.
Dec. 24. tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes from Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms—New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust.
Music Hall Block, QUINCY

LEDGER ADS. PAY BEST

Vol. 16.

The

10¢

At your grocer's
Mrs. Howard's C

Do n
Get the
Burn

W. A
PLU
Bank Build
Jan. 14.

Th
NO

OUR
Imported
E
MES

No.
Near Quinc
For the past five
repeated patronage
Our prices are
Call and see us.

BERN

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

DO YOU COUGH
DON'T DELAY
TAKE
KEMP'S
BALSAM
THE BEST COUGH CURE

...es Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influ... Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma... ...rtain cure for Consumption in first stages... ...sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once... ...will see the excellent effect after taking the ...ose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large ...e 25 cents and 50 cents.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

...ertisements in this column inserted at t... ...ing rates:

...r lines, or less, one day, - - - 25 cents
" three days, - - - 50 cents
" one week, - - - - 75 cents

...itional lines will be charged for pro ra... ...words equal a line. Long term rates fu... ...on application.

LOST.

...ST—On Wednesday afternoon, Pocket ...Book containing money, on Adams or ...ck streets. Finder will please notify ...GARET NONAN, at Mrs. Reed's on ...s street.
...ncy, Jan. 15. 3t

WANTED.

...ANTED—In a Quincy centre store, an ... assistant book-keeper with some ex... ...re. Address, stating experience and sa... ...lling to work for, BOOK-KEEPER, ...r office
...ncy, Jan. 15. tf

...ANTED AT ONCE — Experienced ... Waitress at Hotel Greenleaf.
...ncy, Jan. 15. tf

...ANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power ... machines steady work. Apply to ... WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy. ...15. tf

FOR SALE.

...NG FOR SALE—A Custom made pung ...built for the Grocery and Provision bus... ...double runner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILSON
...ncy, Jan. 12. tf

TO LET

...OMS TO LET—Pleasant, warm room ... for two; hot and cold water; bath. ...shington street.
...ncy, Jan. 13. 3t

...LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all ...improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent, ...er month. Apply to F M. TORREY, ...t. 22 Blake street, Wollaston.
...c. 30. 1p-tf

...LET—Nice tenement containing six ...rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. ...ancock street, Quincy. *Apply to* JAMES ...URKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank ...ding, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

...LET—Tenements, all improvements. ... Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independ... ...e avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
...c. 29. tf

...LET—Two Rooms, furnished or un... furnished Apply 26 School street.
...ncy, Nov. 25. tf

...LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, ...recently occupied by L. C. Embree & ... Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf ...
Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

...OUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern ... improvements, electric lights, with stable ...uincy Point. Within one minute of the ...ic cars and within ten minutes' walk of ...re River Ship and Engine Company ... at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, ...stnut street, Quincy, Mass.
...c. 24. tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

...EGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms ... and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes ... ...al Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per ... Will be leased for one or two years. ...ences required. Apply at the office of ...NK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, ..., Mass.
Dec. 24-tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new ...cock Building, City Square. A good ...portunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the ...eenleaf Block. These are all furnished ... heated, and will be let permanently ... the privilege of sub-letting, or for ...eral nights each month

Furnished Lodging Rooms in ...the Durgin-Merrill block. Most con... ...ent.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill ...k, only one flight up, and right at the ...d of the stairs. These will be let separ... ...y or together. A good chance for a ...tist.

... Store in Music Hall Block.

... of a Store. Price very ...sonable.

... Tenement—recently papered—four ...d rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city ...er—on Granite street, in the rear of ...el Greenleaf.

... Office in Hancock Chambers—up ... flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms ...s and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, ...hear rear of HotelGreenleaf.

Wood dry or Shop—just put in good ...air.

... Shop on the ground floor, in the ...of Music Hall Block.

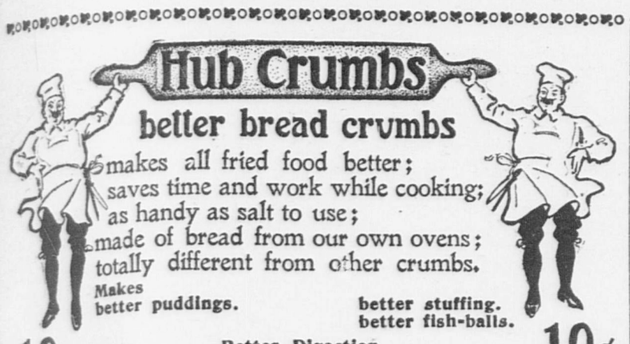
Quincy Real Estate Trust,
...sic Hall Block, QUINCY.

...EDGER ADS.
...AY BEST

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 14. QUINCY, MASS., SATURDAY, JANUARY 16, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

The Social Realm of Quincy and Vicinity.



At your grocer's or S. S. Pierce Co. Cobb, Bates Yerxa Co.
Mrs. Howard's Cook Book and sample on request. 244 Purchase St. Boston Mass.

LIGHT!

Do not waste your money on Inferior Gas Lamps.

Get the Genuine 20th Century Light.

Burns by actual test 4 cubic feet of Gas per Hour.
Light effectually 100 candle power.
These lights on exhibition at

W. A. BRADFORD'S,
PLUMBING, HEATING, LIGHTING,
Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.
Jan. 14. 6t

The Daily Ledger
NOVELETTE
FOR NEXT SATURDAY.

The League of The Old Men
BY JACK LONDON

This is an exciting drama of the Klondike in which an Indian, telling why he slew white men, recites the wrongs of his race. Marked originality in theme and treatment.

This will be followed by other Short Stories of exceptional literary merit.

Seven Columns Illustrated.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF
Imported and Domestic Woolens
Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON
Beg to announce that they are now located at
No. 8 Faxon Block,
Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,
"LEADING TAILORS."
Quincy Dec. 28—tf

Have you ever noticed, neighbor—but I think you have, maybe—
That the color of your glasses tints the things you chance to see?
If the glass is clear as crystal all the world is fair and bright;
If the glass is black it follows that the earth is dark as night.
Well, I have a little notion that the souls of mortals, too,
Have a way of wearing glasses that are apt to tint the view.
Though I've never seen such glasses, none the less I think I know
I have worn them, as have others, since I've trotted here below.

—Albert J. Waterhouse.

* * *

There has been much this week to keep one busy in a social way and of such variety as to interest all parts of the city. On Monday there were meetings of First church Alliance, Junior Friday club, lecture at Quincy Mansion school. Tuesday: Wollaston Unitarian club dinner, Christ church Study club, Harvard night Cochato club, Braintree, Quincy Yacht club dinner, travel talk by Mrs. Moore, Bethany Brotherhood meeting, W. C. A. whist party at East Milton. Wednesday: Supper at First church, annual dinner of Pickwick club, lecture in Quincy Teachers association course, whist parties. Thursday: Supper at Quincy Point church, musicale Park and Downs church, whist parties, dance at Colonial hall. Friday: entertainment First church Social club, Friday club meeting. Besides all the public entertainments there have been a great many house parties and small entertainments.

* * *

Those who attended the reading of Milton's "Comus" by Professor Whittermore at Livermore hall Monday evening were delightfully entertained. Rev. Mr. Moore of Palmer contributed much toward the pleasure by singing selections illustrating the poem. Miss Harmon accompanied at the piano.

* * *

Mrs. Edith Noyes Porter of Lexington, formerly of Quincy, has been made an honorary member of the Woman's club of Brockton.

* * *

The musical entertainment given at the Park and Downs church on Thursday evening was a great success. Those who took part were Miss Adelaide Thomas, Miss Justine Porter, Miss Bertha Bullard, Mr. Henry Armstrong, and Mr. Carl D. Hopkins. Miss Thoma's exquisite playing on the violin is always heard to advantage. The others deserve commandation for the performance of their parts. After the concert a social followed and refreshments were served.

* * *

The ladies of the Cochato club, Braintree, give another of their enjoyable subscription whist parties at the club house next Tuesday afternoon at half after two.

* * *

The Wollaston Glee Club will be assisted at their concert next Tuesday evening by Mrs. Fanny Hatch Thayer, soprano; Miss Frances Beckwith, reader; the Masonic Quartette, Mrs. Mira Richards Moulton, pianist; and Mr. Herbert Young Follett, organist. The entertainment will be given at the Wollaston Congregational church, and is looked forward to with pleasure.

* * *

Mrs. Frederick D. Ely and Miss Amelia Ely of Dedham gave an at home Thursday afternoon at their residence on Washington street which was largely attended.

* * *

Mr. Arthur Holden of Adams street is missed by a large circle of friends, he having gone to New York to live, being called there by business.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. George Stone of Lincolm avenue has gone to California for a trip.

* * *

Music lovers are much pleased at the announcement that Walter E. Loud is to give a concert next Wednesday evening at Colonial hall, assisted by Frederick Blair, violoncello and L. D. Williams, piano. Mr. Loud and his violin are in such constant demand that it is seldom his home town has the pleasure of hearing him. The concert will be in three groups, the first, piano and violin; the second, violoncello, and the third, piano, violin and violoncello.

Increase of Men in Our Granite Business.

SOCIAL REALM.

"Japanese Art" is the subject of the next Unity club meeting for Jan. 22, with Miss Elizabeth H. Thayer as director. "Art Industries," "The Grotesque in Japanese Art," and "Artists" will be treated. Mr. Funihashi, a Japanse student, will be among those to speak. All invited. Music will as usual be one of the features.

* * *

The midwinter dinner of the Quincy Yacht club on Tuesday evening at the American house, Boston, was a very happy affair, and thoroughly enjoyed by the fifty or more yachtsmen who attended.

* * *

The next entertainment in the course of the Monday club of Weymouth, will be a musicale on January eighteenth under the direction of Mrs. L. W. Attwood.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Simmons are receiving congratulations, a baby girl being born to them on Monday.

* * *

Sergeant and Mrs. Laban of Halifax, N. S., have been the guests this week of their nephew, Mr. Laban of South Braintree.

* * *

The engaegment is announced of Miss Louise B. Kennedy and Mr. Albert W. Stolle of Dedham.

* * *

Mrs. Charles W. Dickerson of Highland avenue was the guest of her father at the reunion and dinner of the Massachusetts Press association at the American house Boston, on Monday. Capt. Doten is president of the association and a very popular man.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. John Meara who were married last week at Holbrook, are to make their home in this city.

* * *

The State society of the Daughters of the Revolution has a meeting this afternoon at hotel Vendome. Mr. Abram E. Brown is to give an address on "What Peter Faneuil gave to Boston," which will be followed by a social hour and refreshments.

* * *

Many ladies have envied the gentlemen of the Wollaston Unitarian club because of the fine suppers and good times which they have enjoyed once a month this winter. The next meeting, on Tuesday evening, February 9, will, however, be ladies' night. An able speaker has already been secured.

* * *

The young people of East Milton are right up-to-date and on Friday evening of last week started the New Year's social season with a leap year party at Ellsworth hall. It was a pretty party and a jolly one, the ladies enjoying fully the privileges of the evening.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Sayward of Wollaston, announce the engagement of their daughter Mary, to Mr. Horace F. Bates, Harvard '98, now of Berwick, Maine.

* * *

The Junior class of Thayer Academy went on a sleigh ride last Saturday evening. They enjoyed it although there was an excess of snow.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Shaw of Brooklyn, New York, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

* * *

The Philergains are requested to meet at the home of Mrs. C. F. Hill Crathern, South Braintree, January 19, promptly at 2.30.

* * *

At the whist party given by Miss Ethel Hill of Walker street on Monday evening, prizes were taken by Miss Bertha Nichols and Mr. Howard Terrel. Refreshments were served during the evening.

* * *

Miss Corlew's dancing class at Wollaston entered upon its second quarter with a good attendance. Some new figures in the German were introduced.

* *

Miss E. M. Wilcox of Braintree was a first class passenger on the steamship Romanic, Capt. Hambleton, of the White Star Line which arrived in Boston from Naples, Monday, January 11.

(Continued on Page 5.)

THE SOCIAL CLUB.

A Musical Entertainment by Local Talent.

There were very few vacant seats last evening at First Church chapel at the Social Club entertainment. It might be called an entertainment by local talent for it was by the Wollaston Glee club of Wollaston; Mr. Walter E. Loud violin and Mr. L. D. Williams piano, of Quincy, and Mr. John Harris Gutterson, of Weymouth and Boston, well known in musical circles in this vicinity as an organist and pianist. Mr. Gutterson has recently been giving informal parlor talks on music and other subjects with much success, having appeared before all the prominent women's club in the State.

The Glee club were in fine voice and from the first number to the last had the audience with them. Their selection were good and well rendered under the leadership of Mr. Frederick H. Bishop Hearty encores greeted every song and the response was appreciated and more wanted. It is hoped their first appearance in Quincy will not be their last, but that they will come often.

Mr. E. E. Bullock, tenor, delighted all with his singing. He was down for one song on the program much to the regret of the audience, who would have liked more.

Mr. Loud and his violin were given a hearty greeting and it was some few minutes before he was allowed to play his selection, which was the beautiful "Prize Song" from Der Meistersinger. At the close a responce was called for and given. Mr. Williams at the piano interpreted with much feeling.

It was a fine concert throughout and much enjoyed.

The two remaining entertainments in the course will be on Feb. 12, dramatics by local talent, and on March 11 a minstrel show.

Parish Meeting.

Between fifty and sixty attended the annual parish meeting last Monday evening at St. Chrysostom's church. The treasurer, Mr. Albee, read an encouraging financial report, and the rector's report showed progress all along the line. The Christmas offering was reported as $200. The following officers were elected.

Warden,—George Henry Page.
Treasurer,—H. H. Albee.
Clerk,—P. L. Davidson.
Vestry men for two years,—C. J. Hennigar and E. A. Lyman.
Vestry men to fill vacancies,—R. W. Whitacre and J. D. Kent, Jr.
Delegate to the Archdeaconry,—F. A. Harvey.

The social hour after the business meeting was much enjoyed.

After Poll Taxes.

The policy intimated in the inaugural address of Mayor Bryant relative to the collection of back taxes is being carried out. Friday morning, in front of City Hall, Constable Goss took into custody a man who owed the city two years' poll tax. The delinquent had been setting up the defence that he was a resident of New York and not subject to a poll tax here. He put forth the same plea on being arrested, but it was of no avail and after a little deliberation he paid the bill which with costs amounted to nearly eight dollars. Several warrants are in the pockets of the officers, to be served on sight, less strenuous methods having proved ineffective.

TO CURE GRIP IN TWO DAYS.
Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause. To get the genuine, call for the full name. 25c.

Quincy Point Lecture Course
AT THE
Washington Street Cong. Church—1904

Feb. 10. GEO. W. PENNIMAN, Lecture
Plymouth Rock to the Golden Gate. (Illustrated.)
Feb. 24. Mrs. CHARLOTTE ADAMS DUNNE, Recital and Music
March 9. JOSEPH LEE, Lecture
Children's Play.
March 23. Rev. PETER MACQUEEN, Lecture
Servia. (Illustrated.)
April 6. Rev. WILLIAM HYDE. Lecture
The Lost Ten Tribes of Israel.

Course Tickets, $1.00
Single Admission, 25 cents
Children, 15 cents
Doors open at 7.30 P. M. Lecture at 8 P. M.
Jan. 16. 6t-16-23-30-6-8-9

A GOOD YEAR

For the Granite Business of Quincy.

More Men Employed in 1903.

Average Was 230 More Than in the Year 1902.

The number of granite cutters employed during a year indicates in a measure the amount of work that is being done, From time to time during the year 1903 the Ledger noted the condition of business. As a rule, business was good, and from the returns of the number of men employed each month of the year, furnished the Ledger by the secretary of the executive committee of the Union it is evident that the volume of business must have been considerable larger than during the year 1902.

During the year 1903 the average number of cutters and blacksmiths employed each month was 825, against 595 for the year 1902.

May, June and July were the banner months in 1903, the number employed those months being 950. August and September was next with 900, and December the smallest month with 650.

The largest number employed in any one month in 1902 was 670 in June, and the smallest number 366 in March.

The following table shows the number employed each month during the two years:

	In 1903.	In 1902.
January,	750	526
February,	750	543
March,	800	366
April,	850	603
May,	950	650
June,	950	670
July,	950	657
August,	900	648
September,	900	658
October,	800	652
November,	700	607
December,	600	556

These figures are not correct to a man but they are very nearly correct.

Aside from this, there were between 300 and 400 men employed as quarrymen, and between 200 and 300 employed as polishers. Then there were engineers apprentices, teamsters, etc., so that in the busy months there must have been something like 2000 persons employed aside from the manufacturers and office force.

These figures certainly show that the granite industry is by no means a back number in Quincy, but that the business is increasing. The reason business does not appear to be as good as years ago, is because in those days it was confined to a few firms while now there are over 100 firms, large and small, scattered over a wide territory.

Sleigh parties were numerous last evening, and the sound of the horn and song resounded through the air.

FRANK FESSENDEN CRANE, Auctioneer.
Office: 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy.

LARGE AND ATTRACTIVE
AUCTION SALE
Of Household Furniture and other goods at Store of Frank F. Crane, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, TUESDAY, January 19, 1904, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The household furniture consists of 1 Mahogany Frame Lounge, newly upholstered, 1 Haircloth Sofa, second-hand Tete-a-tete, 3 Odd Parlor Chairs, newly upholstered, 1 Piano Chair, leather seat, brass trimmed, 2 Parlor Chairs, black frames, newly upholstered in light colors, 2 Parlor Chairs, newly upholstered in dark colors, 1 Rattan Rocker, 1 Lady's Rocker, 1 Child's Rocker, Elegant Black Walnut Hat Tree, 1 Oak Writing Desk, 1 Music Stool, 1 Packing Chest, 1 Sewing Machine, 2 Marble Top Tables, 4 Bamboo Easels, 2 Child's Cradles, 1 Black Walnut Bureau, marble top, 1 Oak Bureau, small size, 1 Pine Bureau, small size, 1 Melodeon, 2 White Iron Bedsteads, 1 Oak Bedstead, 1 Fine Bedstead, 1 Oak Child's Crib, 3 Hassocks, 1 large Dictionary and Stand, 2 Clocks, 3 Stove Boards, 4 Flat Irons, 1 piece of Rope, 1 piece of Oilcloth, several yards of Linoleum, 6 Tea Pots, 4 Cuspidors, several pictures, lot of Crockery and Glassware, and various other goods too numerous to mention.

Sale positive. Terms Cash.

N. B. These goods are consigned to us without any limit or reserves, and positively will be sold to the highest bidder. Jan. 16-2t

FIREMEN TESTIFY

Knew Protection of Iroquois Theatre Was Inadequate

CONFLICT OF AUTHORITY

Chief of Fire Department and Building Commissioner Inclined to Saddle Blame One Upon the Other

Chicago, Jan. 16.—The coroner's inquest over the victims of the Iroquois theatre fire yesterday was given over to witnesses from the fire department. Chief Musham and several of his highest ranking assistants were the witnesses.

Chief Musham declared that in his opinion it was the duty of the building commissioner to report to him if the fire protection in the theatre was inadequate. No report had ever been made to him and he had taken no action in the matter. It had never been the custom of the fire department to inspect theatres or public buildings for fire protection unless a report had been made from the office of the building commissioner. Building Commissioner Williams previously had testified that it was not the business of his office to report on fire protection, but that it was a matter entirely belonging to the fire department.

Chief Musham was greatly moved and his voice broke as he answered questions implying that many lives might have been saved if he had inspected the theatre to see if it was properly protected against fire. He declared that there was nothing he would not do to save lives and that if he had in any way failed in his duty it was only because he had administered the affairs of his department in the same manner as had prevailed since the fire department existed in Chicago.

John Champion, first assistant fire marshal of Chicago, testified that two weeks before the opening of the Iroquois theatre he stepped into the building to examine conditions. He was not on duty at the time and went in of his own accord. He explained to Fireman Sallers of the Iroquois theatre that he should have a lot of pumps and hose, particularly on the stage, cautioning him that a hose with the city pressure would not answer and he should get powerful pumps. He also suggested a sprinkler system and Sallers replied to him that the company was going to put in all the appliances necessary.

Second Assistant Fire Marshal Townsend gave evidence relating to conditions in the theatre immediately after the panic and declared that in his opinion the two gates which Fire Inspector Fulkerson declared were fatal to many people trying to escape were not of a character to afford much of an obstacle to people fleeing for their lives. In case of a panic or rush, however, they might prove a more serious matter than at any other time, although they were not difficult to surmount.

John Hannon, chief of the first battalion of the fire department, said he received the first alarm from the Iroquois theatre by messenger between 3:32 and 3:33, and he immediately started for the building. He described the latter end of the panic and the saving of many lives by the men. He testified that he went in on the stage of the theatre during a performance a few days previous to the fire. He came away with the idea that the fire protection was inadequate, but made no report on the matter because he had never considered it part of his business to make reports unless they were called for.

Archibald Bernard, the electrician in charge of the switchboard at the theatre, underwent an exhaustive examination on the mechanism of "spot" lights. He reiterated the opinion he had previously given that the fire was caused by scenery blowing against unprotected carbons in the light.

Cunneen Quite Correct

Albany, Jan. 16.—Attorney General Cunneen received a communication from a man in Michigan who inquired whether electrocution is an effective punishment for the crime of murder. The attorney general, in replying, stated that so far as he was aware no man who had suffered that punishment had ever again committed murder or any other crime.

Queen Lil's Claim Favored

Washington, Jan. 16.—The senate committee on Pacific islands and Porto Rico has made a favorable report on the bill to pay Liliuokalani, formerly queen of Hawaii, the sum of $200,000 in full satisfaction of all claims to the former crown lands in Hawaii.

Bank Depositors' Heavy Loss

New York, Jan. 16.—The loss of depositors in the collapsed Bank of Staten Island will be about 60 percent. The shortage so far discovered is $152,000. The examination of books left by Cashier Ahlmann, who committed suicide, has not been completed.

Double Killing by Insane Man

Philadelphia, Jan. 16.—Rendered insane by illness, Edward K. Landis, a widely known expert chemist, shot and killed his wife and then ended his own life with the same weapon.

Lynching Fever on Again

Charleston, Jan. 16.—"General" Lee, a negro, was lynched in Dorchester county. He was charged with attempted criminal assault on a white woman.

WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW

General Restoration of Confidence Appears to Still Lag

New York, Jan. 16.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: Reports of improvements in the volume of business outnumber unfavorable dispatches, although the situation is decidedly irregular. As the money market becomes easier there is better prospect of postponed work being resumed. All structural lines are largely dependent upon the ability of the railroads to borrow money and the restoration of confidence among investors.

Only fair reports are received regarding the leading manufacturing lines. Many iron and steel plants have resumed, but the preceding curtailment was very severe. Textile fabrics are as badly unsettled as ever, lower prices for new lines of woolens proving a disagreeable surprise to the many small operators, and speculation in cotton rendering forward contracts for goods an impossibility.

Instead of putting the market on a settled basis, as anticipated, the opening of staple woolens by the leading makers had an opposite effect, because prices were 5 to 10 percent below the opening a year ago. In view of the higher raw material the market is naturally disturbed.

Footwear buyers have appeared in the Boston market and are placing liberal orders for spring delivery in the south and west, while taking some samples of fall shoes. The present outlook promises as busy a year as 1903, although shipments are slightly smaller for January thus far.

There is increasing confidence in a high level of prices throughout the crop year and even next crop options command 11½ cents, yet the present situation is so completely dominated by manipulation that traders and consumers are demoralized.

Glover to Make a Fight

Cripple Creek, Col., Jan. 16.—John M. Glover, former congressman from Missouri, was again arrested by a military squad and placed in the county jail. Glover, who fought the military three weeks ago and was shot in the arm, was arrested on an order from Commander Verdeckberg because of a threatening letter sent to that officer. At the jail Glover said that his counsel would begin proceedings against Governor Peabody, the state military authorities and others under the civil rights act, alleging conspiracy to deprive him of his rights under the federal constitution. He broke his parole, he said, for the express purpose of getting his case before the court.

Chicago Livery Strike Ends

Chicago, Jan. 16.—The strike of the livery drivers, which, since its beginning some weeks ago, has caused much annoyance to mourners and interference at funerals, has ended and the union men have been ordered back to work. A committee of owners and drivers had a conference at which an agreement was brought about which recognizes the "closed shop." It was agreed that the matter of an increased wage scale shall be arbitrated as soon as possible by a committee of the union and employers.

Framing Panama Constitution

Panama, Jan. 16.—The first session of the constitutional convention was attended by a great crowd of people. Pablo Arosemena, temporary president of the convention, in his opening address said that the republic will live less by its material power than by the virtues it will practice. Independence must be maintained and the republic must adopt without reserve that policy of probity which is born of justice and knowledge.

Firebug's Queer Choice

Tarrytown, N. Y., Jan. 16.—The mausoleum erected in Sleepy Hollow cemetery by the heirs of General Samuel Thomas at a cost of $100,000 was damaged about $15,000 by fire, which was probably incendiary. It started in the scaffolding used by the contractors in erecting the mausoleum. Much of the costly marble and granite work was cracked and discolored.

To Quench Fire With Flood

Amherst, N. S., Jan. 16.—Fire is still burning in the Joggins coal mine. At a conference of mining experts and the manager of the company which owns the mine it was decided that the mine would have to be flooded. The fire is 10 feet from the bottom of the mine and water will have to be put in up to this point.

Lost Wife and Two Daughters

Ogdensburg, N. Y., Jan. 16.—William Hynes' wife and a daughter were summoned to Montreal last week to care for another daughter who was ill. The death of the latter was followed yesterday by the death of her sister of typhoid fever, and two hours later the mother died of shock.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Fifty graduates of the University of Vermont attended the 12th annual reunion and dinner of the New England alumni at Boston. Charles A. Catlin, '73, was elected president.

The Naval Militia association of the United States elected as president Commander Edwin Gear of Baltimore.

Representative Williams of Mississippi is confined to his room at Washington suffering from a severe illness. Uneasiness is expressed lest pneumonia should develop.

The upper Norwegian house, by an almost unanimous vote, adopted a bill authorizing women to act as attorneys and advocates in the Norwegian courts.

The bye-election in Norwich, Eng., for a successor to the late Sir Harry Bullard resulted in the free traders gaining the seat.

MODERN BUSINESS IS LIKE WARFARE.

And Although
The Sinews
Are of a
Peaceful Character

The Contest Depends
On Good Generalship,
Modern Weapons
And a Strategy

That Goes
Hand in Hand
With Constant
Vigilance.

ADVERTISING

Skilfully and
Rightly Directed

Always Taking Advantage
Of Changed Conditions

Is One of
The Modern Weapons

That Carry Within
The Elements of
Commercial Victory.

Such Advertising

Must Be Well Planned
Well Written
And Well Placed.

You Will Make No Mistake
When You Select

The Daily Ledger.

The Paper That Is Read
By Quincy People
And Brings Results.

PEACE PROSPECTS

Czar's Pacific Words Brighten Situation In Far East

UNITED STATES A FACTOR

Issue of Status of Foreigners In Manchuria Will Disappear With Assertion of Our Rights --Japanese Position Endorsed

London, Jan. 16.—The account of the imperial New Year's reception at St. Petersburg and of the pacific utterances of the czar to the Japanese minister and other diplomats is given prominence by the whole British press as the most important and gratifying news of the day. It is recognized that the trend of events may prove too strong for the emperor, but his assurances are accepted as evidence that the situation has not grown worse.

The interest of the United States in the crisis continues to be the subject of a great deal of discussion and it is considered impossible that Russia will attempt to thwart the treaty rights of the United States.

The Standard says: "Although the most formal engagements may be violated with impunity in dealing with the Manchu emperor, the president of the United States cannot be treated cavalierly. It would be far too hazardous a game, too likely to end in humiliating complications."

The Standard thinks as the status of foreigners in Manchuria is one of the operative factors in the dispute between Japan and Russia that this issue will practically disappear with the assertion by the United States of her rights at Mukden and Antung.

The Standard's Tokio correspondent describes a banquet given by leading Japanese financiers and merchants to the British and American naval attaches and the press correspondents. Mr. Honoda, president of the Nobles bank, presided, and in welcoming the guests dwelt upon the close friendship of the three countries. He said that the Japanese people who had succeeded in financing the war with China were able to find money for a more serious struggle now when the national wealth was many times greater.

Baron Hayashi, commenting on the dispatch from St. Petersburg, quoting the peaceful statement made by the czar to members of the diplomatic corps at the New Year's reception, said: "I have read with pleasure the statement attributed to the czar. If these are his majesty's views there will be no war. The question rests with him. Japan has nothing further to say."

Japanese Position Strengthened

Berlin, Jan. 16.—The Berlin newspapers evince keen satisfaction with the czar's utterances at the New Year's reception at St. Petersburg because these utterances are interpreted as greatly improving the prospects of peace, and they say that the moral significance of the czar's declaration to the Japanese minister reduces the danger of war to a minimum. The papers couple with this the czar's acceptance at this juncture of the demand of the United States for the open door in Manchuria.

The British government is believed here to have identified itself more fully week by week with the Japanese position, until now Great Britain is almost as deeply committed as Japan. The position in which Great Britain now stands is impressing the Russian statesmen. The readiness with which the United States associated herself in pressing for the signature of the commercial treaties with China is another fact contributory to the feeling in St. Petersburg that this is not the moment to fight. The decision for war or peace now rests with the czar's advisors and symptoms are visible here that the decision will be peace.

France Shares Peace Feeling

Paris, Jan. 16.—The belief that there is a chance of peace prevails in official and diplomatic circles here. The opinion in official circles here is reflected in the general optimistic sentiment of the press, which minimizes the gravity of the present crisis.

Russian Boats Skedaddled

Rome, Jan. 16.—Prince Takinghuki, telegraphing from on board the Japanese warship Niasin, says that when the Niasin and Kasaga were being escorted through the Mediterranean by nine British warships they were approached by two Russian torpedo boats and that when the latter saw the powerful escort they left in haste for the harbor of Syracuse. It is asserted that Great Britain is concentrating 52 warships in the Mediterranean.

Siberian Railroad In Danger

Paris, Jan. 16.—The correspondent of The Rappel at Odessa says that the Asiatic department has ascertained that 200 Japanese engineers disguised as Chinese coolies are scattered along the trans-Siberian railway with the object of blowing up the line when war is declared.

Situation Considered Critical

Washington, Jan. 16.—The meeting of the cabinet was prolonged beyond the usual hour by individual conferences between the members and the president concerning departmental affairs. It is known that the situation in the Orient was considered. There is no concealment of the fact that the situation is regarded as extremely critical.

SOME FASHIONABLE GOWNS

Forecasts of the Styles For the Coming Spring.

[Special Correspondence.]

New York, Jan. 5.—Yesterday I saw an artistic gown just finished for a beautiful woman. There was, first, an underskirt of pale pink faille, so that it would not rustle. It is not the fashion to have one's skirts rustle now. At the bottom of the underskirt there was a deep flounce of the same material, and this had three flounces of chiffon in the same shade, with just the merest suspicion of a flesh tint in it. Each of these chiffon ruffles had a ruching of the same around the edge. This gave the skirt sufficient fullness at the bottom to set out the dress to the proper form. There was a complete skirt made of hand wrought renaissance lace, mat white, and this was laid over a white chiffon skirt, to the bottom edge of which there was another ruffle edged with the ruching.

The sleeves were lace to the elbows, where they finished with a deep flounce of the chiffon, accordion plaited and ruched. The corsage was decollete, but not too much so, and the front was open and filled in with a full veston of chiffon, while all the rest was lace over faille. Around the edge of the neck was a narrow band of Russian crown sable fur, the rich black of the fur contrasting well with the white lace. A touch of the same fur was put on each sleeve. The whole was apparently a simple though elegant gown until one began to count up the value of the hand work upon it and the cost of the lace and fur.

The plainest of materials may be made into the handsomest of suits if enough fine and painstaking labor is put upon the garment. The time was when a dress made with two lines of scallops bound with braid down the front of the skirt made it "very elaborate," according to an old fashion magazine, but it is far from simplicity now.

For the approaching spring we are promised—or threatened—with the full 1830 styles. Velvet and fine broadcloth are the best liked just now and probably will be all the winter and more than likely through the coming spring. By velvet is meant all the fabrics with that peculiar surface. Trimmed with fur, they will be strapped with cloth or trimmed with one of the beautiful new silky castle braids. These are winning a place in fine trimming almost ubiquitous. They are so really beautiful in themselves and are so well adapted to be arranged in so many different ways that they are certainly here to stay.

As an example of how one of the simplest kinds of this braid is employed to embellish a suit I show a neat and novel tailored costume of light gray cloth. The skirt is cut so that

GRAY MOHAIR SUIT.

there are fine plaits above and on both sides of the front seams. At the sides are more plaits. At the bottom are seven rows of gray silk serpentine braid set very closely. This braid is rather thick, and in that way it shows up well against the cloth. The stylish coat has a fitted back and the front lapped to the left with round silver buttons. This style of buttons, which are also in gold, silver and gun metal, are very fashionable. Collar, cuffs and insets at the sides are made of baby lamb all edged by five lines of the braid. A more elegant costume would be difficult to find.

Very many handsome spring suits will be made of the new mohair cloths, which are produced in a form never before attempted. The new mohairs are in all colors and have a firmness and body almost as close as cloth. Some of the grays and black and white effects in line stripes are handsome and fine enough for any occasion, while they always maintain their silky luster. The latest of these mohairs are made waterproof, which is the one thing needed to make them almost the most generally useful material now known. Some of the mohair comes in solid colors and black, woven in new ways which add to its old and well known attractions. The Roxana and crispines are exceedingly rich and handsome, rivaling the heaviest silk armure, with something of the superb luster of the Irish poplin about it. For street suits nothing yet shown for spring can compare with it. It will "take" any trimming.

OLIVE HARPER.

HOW F KEPT

By MAXIM

Copyright, 1903, by

BEHIND th that scre the secre chief ge confronted an o noying. Wrath danger signal up was loud, and writhed, miseral echo of these in audible to the l all in authority, shift the blame, peared, was the for he had been matter at issue toward blunder through the dep for this reason h wherever they ap ders protested, n with shrill itera "But I tell yo me to blame! I Those rubber so done it. There head er them—w fat to fry a dou go sleuthin' aft Burdle. Why"—

The chief, wit cut him short. ders. You're pre excuses, but y Piercy is blamit says you're to bl "Why, the—the expressive speec juncture, though ly for some blo to suit his opini tective. "I'll fix him!" he cried.

"You'll do not chief corrected. from this office Do you know hi "Him—Piercy? with that kind a-here, chief; th Seed City, whe out, like as if it sayin' he was th bust. Why, he tried to flag a flag. Dust! Di he went out er th grade! You be goin' to let Doc for their money. ger in fist togeth hamlet!"

Seed City was southwestern m was notorious service. It was mo and Pekan r southward from month before a had held up th mitted the expres escaped unmoles A dozen detecti trail, Flanders t vestigation virtu Burdle, a notor leader of the ban make certain an heels Piercy had in the nick of th the props out trap. But even to satisfy the ch

Tower leaned drew out a newsp from the San I with a neighbo City. "You read the chief excla you've got to lar

Flanders read, every line. The ymous letter fro all detectives, i cials on similar of the place u charge of bucksh ribs."

"That's Doc Bu Flanders.

"Then you go said calmly. "Y goodby. Is it goo

The three men Flanders came i Seed City, Hank

"You'd better vest afore you g for a party from

Flanders laugh "I'll take my ch give you the tip I could land on t rifled, I am."

There are four Altamo and Peka morning, two i desultory freight and down the l freight cars are the passenger c day after Flander office it carried a the buffers forwa detective, was spr chest in the blin conductor looked his services. The ing into San Infer rnly passenger in must be put off. "It's a hobo. He an' come into the Got a ticket tha afore the flood. A me look like the afore if I so mu him. I ain't goin'

The detective ro to the smoker. ed, leaning over t don't go here."

The man looke sprawled upon th his hat was pulle

FASHIONABLE GOWNS

...ts of the Styles For the Coming Spring.

[Special Correspondence.]

...York, Jan. 5.—Yesterday I saw ...tic gown just finished for a ...l woman. There was, first, an ...rt of pale pink faille, so that ...not rustle. It is not the fash... ...ve one's skirts rustle now. At ...m of the underskirt there was ...flounce of the same material, ...had three flounces of chiffon ...me shade, with just the merest ...of a flesh tint in it. Each of ...iffon ruffles had a ruching of ...around the edge. This gave ...sufficient fullness at the bot... ...t out the dress to the proper ...There was a complete skirt ...hand wrought renaissance ...white, and this was laid over ...chiffon skirt, to the bottom ...which there was another ruffle ...h the ruching.

...eves were lace to the elbows, ...y finished with a deep flounce ...iffon, accordion plaited and ...The corsage was decollete, ...o much so, and the front was ...filled in with a full veston of ...hile all the rest was lace over ...round the edge of the neck ...row band of Russian crown ..., the rich black of the fur ...g well with the white lace. ...of the same fur was put on ...e. The whole was apparent... ...le though elegant gown until ...to count up the value of the ...k upon it and the cost of the ...ur.

...inest of materials may be ...o the handsomest of suits if ...ne and painstaking labor is ...the garment. The time was ...ress made with two lines of ...ound with braid down the ...he skirt made it "very elab... ...cording to an old fashion ...but it is far from simplicity

...approaching spring we are ...or threatened—with the full ...s. Velvet and fine broadcloth ...st liked just now and prob... ...be all the winter and more ...r through the coming spring. ...is meant all the fabrics with ...lar surface. Trimmed with ...will be strapped with cloth ...d with one of the beautiful ...castle braids. These are ...a place in fine trimming al...nitous. They are so really ...in themselves and are so ...ed to be arranged in so many ...ways that they are certainly ...y.

...example of how one of the ...inds of this braid is employ...ellish a suit I show a neat ...tailored costume of light ... The skirt is cut so that

...RAY MOHAIR SUIT.

...e plaits above and on both ...front seams. At the sides ...plaits. At the bottom are ...s of gray silk serpentine ...ery closely. This braid is ..., and in that way it shows ...inst the cloth. The stylish ...fitted back and the front ...the left with round silver ...his style of buttons, which ...gold, silver and gun metal, ...shionable. Collar, cuffs and ...e sides are made of baby ...ced by five lines of the ...ore elegant costume would ...o find.

...y handsome spring suits ...e of the new mohair cloths, ...produced in a form never ...mpted. The new mohairs ...olors and have a firmness ...almost as close as cloth. ...grays and black and white ...e stripes are handsome and ...for any occasion, while ...s maintain their silky lus...atest of these mohairs are ...rproof, which is the one ...d to make them almost the ...rally useful material now ...me of the mohair comes in ... and black, woven in new ...n add to its old and well ...actions. The Roxana and ...re exceedingly rich and ...rivaling the heaviest silk ...h something of the superb ...he Irish poplin about it. ...suits nothing yet shown for ...compare with it. It will ...trimming.

OLIVE HARPER.

HOW FLANDERS KEPT HIS JOB

By MAXIMILIAN FOSTER

Copyright, 1903, by American Press Association

BEHIND the baize covered portal that screens the penetralia of the secret service, Tower, the chief genius of its mysteries, confronted an occasion obviously annoying. Wrath hung out a brick red danger signal upon his face; his scorn was loud, and Flanders, the victim, writhed, miserably certain that every echo of these impressive opinions was audible to the listeners outside. Like all in authority, the chief was ready to shift the blame, and Flanders, it appeared, was the most logical candidate, for he had been the last to fail in the matter at issue. Through some untoward blunder the quarry had slipped through the department's fingers, and for this reason heads were being rapped wherever they appeared. In vain Flanders protested, mildly at first and then with shrill iteration

"But I tell you," he cried, "it ain't me to blame! I tell you that now, flat. Those rubber soles from the railroad done it. There's that Piercy at the head er them—why, he ain't wuth the fat to fry a doughnut in, much less to go sleuthin' after a big un like Doc Burdle. Why"—

The chief, with a gesture of disdain, cut him short. "That's all right, Flanders. You're pretty forward with your excuses, but you can't dodge me. Piercy is blaming us. Leastways he says you're to blame."

"Why, the—the"— Flanders' usually expressive speech failed him at this juncture, though his mind worked busily for some blood curdling expression to suit his opinion of the railroad detective. "I'll fix him fair when I see him!" he cried. "I'll knock his"—

"You'll do nothing of the sort," the chief corrected. "I'll have no men from this office mixing up over there. Do you know him at all?"

"Him—Piercy? No. I don't travel with that kind er cattle. Why, look a-here, chief; that feller went down to Seed City, where Doc Burdle hangs out, like as if it was with a brass band, sayin' he was there to land his man or bust. Why, he might just as well have tried to tag a comet with a crossin' flag. Dust! Did Burdle dust? Why, he went out er that like 2:40 on a down grade! You betcher that town ain't goin' to let Doc get took without a run for their money. Why, they're all finger in fist together, the whole bloomin' hamlet!"

Seed City was in the heart of the southwestern moonshine district and was notorious in the annals of the service. It was midway on the Altamo and Pekan railroad, a spur that ran southward from the main line. A month before a gang of train robbers had held up the western mail, dynamited the express and postal cars and escaped unmolested with their booty. A dozen detectives had gone on the trail, Flanders the last of all. His investigation virtually assured him that Burdle, a notorious outlaw, was the leader of the band, but before he could make certain and lay his man by the heels Piercy had arrived at Seed City in the nick of time, it seemed, to kick the props out from under Flanders' trap. But even this explanation failed to satisfy the chief.

Tower leaned over to his desk and drew out a newspaper clipping, a scrap from the San Inferno Argus, a sheet with a neighborly interest for Seed City. "You read that now, Flanders," the chief exclaimed. "That's why you're got to land that fellow."

Flanders read, his anger rising at every line. The clipping was an anonymous letter from Seed City warning all detectives, investigators and officials on similar errands to steer clear of the place under a penalty of a charge of buckshot "rattled ag'in their ribs."

"That's Doc Burdle for fair!" snapped Flanders.

"Then you go after him," the chief said calmly. "You get him or we say goodby. Is it goodby, Flanders?"

The three men outside grinned when Flanders came into view. "Goin' to Seed City, Hank?" cried one.

"You'd better put on a b'iler plate vest afore you go. They're jes' layin' for a party from this department."

Flanders laughed scornfully as ever. "I'll take my chance, I guess. But I give you the tip I'd feel better fixed if I could land on that chap Piercy. I'm riled, I am."

There are four trains daily on the Altamo and Pekan railroad, two in the morning, two in the afternoon. A desultory freight sometimes piles up and down the line, but usually the freight cars are linked on ahead of the passenger coaches. The second day after Flanders left the department office it carried a free passenger astride the buffers forward. Piercy, the road detective, was sprawling on the express chest in the blind baggage when the conductor looked in with a demand for his services. The train was just drawling into San Inferno. There was an unruly passenger in the smoker, and he must be put off, the conductor said. "It's a hobo. He started on the buffers an' come into the car at the last stop. Got a ticket that's no good; ran out afore the flood. An' he offered to make me look like the day after the night afore if I so much 's lay a finger to him. I ain't goin' to tackle him alone."

The detective rose and swaggered aft to the smoker. "Hey, you!" he growled, leaning over the man. "That ticket don't go here."

The man looked up. His legs were sprawled upon the seat in front, and his hat was pulled down over his eyes. The menace in the detective's eye filled him apparently with no other sensation than amusement, and when the detective looked him over, as if measuring his might, he returned the stare with interest. "Hey! You hear me?" Piercy asked.

"Sure. Think I'm deaf?"

"You look a-here, young feller. You pay up for this here ride or I'll sling you off this car harder'n a cotton bale. Hear me?"

"Say, boss, who is this chap?" the man demanded of the conductor. "He ain't got no brass fixin's like them er yourn—nawthin' but a mean hat an' a cheap lot er hand-me-downs for clothes. Who's the guy anyhow?"

"I'll learn you who I am!" cried the detective, but the conductor pushed him aside.

"Come now, you. Pay up an' don't be lookin' for trouble. That's the railroad detective, an' you're likely to be thrown off an' yanked in too."

"Who—Piercy?" roared the man in the seat. His legs dropped from their attitude of ease, and he rose with a gesture that drove back the others in sudden preparation for an affray. But then he fell to laughing outrageously. "Guess I'll settle, then, if it's Piercy. You takes the ticket to Polktown, I'll throw in two bits, an'"—

"You will not!" cried the conductor. "Here; I ain't goin' to fool all day along with you. Pay up arter we leave here or I'll pull you outer here an' sling you off at Seed City."

"You will, hey? Well, jus' you try it wunst!"

They were already drawing into San Inferno, and the conductor and the detective walked to the car door. The man in the seat, setting his legs upon the cushions, once more drew his hat brim over his eyes and, folding his arms, fell into an attitude of ease. Behind him was a long, thin mountaineer, a fellow with broad, bony hands and glittering eyes. He had awaited the climax of the negotiations between the train hands and the passenger, and now he leaned over and touched him on the shoulder. "Don't you give in, friend. It's Seed City nex', an' there'll be a right smart crowd there to give you a hand." Then he fell back into his seat, and the other, smiling grimly, once more resumed his repose.

"Come now; pay up, young feller!" It was the conductor returning. Piercy stood at his shoulder, one hand on a seat back to steady himself against the swaying of the car, but the other hand was ready to grapple with his subject when the time should come, and Piercy, figuratively speaking, was a colossus of eagerness and a hero in his wrath.

The passenger rose. "Say," he demanded, "how long 's take to git to Seed City?"

"Three minutes' runnin' time," snapped the conductor wrathfully, "an' they ain't another minute comin' to you either! I'll give you thirty seconds now to put up or be put off." Here, with ostentatious display, he drew forth his watch, and the other laughed in his face.

"Pass up the time er day!" he cried. "I ain't goin' to pay a cent!"

"Then off you go!" cried Piercy and grappled with him.

The dim and swaying car, the shouts and cries of the affray, the tumult of the passengers and the roar of wheels beneath gave to the struggle a sinister effect. Piercy, his face purpling in exertion, strove to grasp his intended victim by the throat and was fought back against the conductor, who tried in vain to close in. A brakeman, running in through the rear door, planned to take the stranger from behind, but the mountaineer, spreading his bulk in the

It was three to one.

aisle, effectively closed the path to this attack. Then through the tumult arose the whistle of the engine ahead, and another brakeman, throwing open the forward door, cried "Seed"— paused in dumb astonishment and, realizing the nature of the uproar, flung himself into the fight.

It was three to one, yet the battle raged with unabated violence. The train had come to a standstill, and an echo of the excitement within spread to the knot of loungers on the platform. There appeared before them one man struggling against four others, and the four all employees of the company. Piercy, with his hand upon the victim's throat, struggled to push him backward from the car platform, when, with a sudden effort, the man writhed free and, stepping sideways, plunged the detective headlong from his hold. But the next instant Piercy had arisen, roaring, and aimed a heavy blow at the other's head. He struck. Its force fell short, and yet before he could recover himself his opponent dashed a fist full in his face and ran.

"Stop him!" screamed the detective, whipping out his revolver. He leveled the sights at the running man, but the conductor interposed.

"Don't shoot—don't!" he cried, striking up the muzzle, and the bullet sped harmlessly singing over the tree tops. Then ere another shot could be fired the running target reached the shelter of the railroad shed, whipped round the corner and was gone. "After him!" shouted Piercy, following. He sprang ahead, his pistol held above his shoulder and destruction in his eye. "After him, I say!" he called over his shoulder to the train hands, but before they could respond a diversion utterly unexpected terminated the affair. Piercy had reached the shed when a hand outstretched knocked the pistol from his grasp, and he was buffeted unmercifully by a sudden onrush of the station loungers and, bruised and bleeding, was left to stagger back, dull and dazed, to the sanctuary of the train. A shower of stones followed him, the crash of breaking glass sounded along the cars, and at full speed the train pulled out of Seed City, carrying its doubtful honors with it.

Meanwhile in the woods that flank the Seed City station sped the principal in the conflict stood surrounded by the men that had come violently to the rescue.

"You fit 'em smart, you did!" cried one, and the man, looking round, saw that it was the tall mountaineer who had sat behind him in the car. "Why, boys," laughed the mountaineer, "he fit off the hull crew on them!" He was still laughing when a newcomer strode out of the bush and joined them. "What's up?" this one asked.

"Hello, Doc. You jes' missed it." The lank mountaineer pointed in explanation to the stranger among them, and the newcomer eyed him keenly. "Well, what's it all about?" he demanded. The story was told, spiced with a flow of complimentary oaths, the picture drawn of the one man battling courageously with the oppressor, and when it was finished the man they had called Doc reached out his hand. "Good for you!" he cried. "I'm right glad to meet you. My name's Burdle."

"Oh," said the other slowly. "Yer Doc Burdle, then?"

"Right you air. You must hearn tell on me?"

"Yes," said the other, his eyes gleaming, "I surely have."

* * * * * * *

Six weeks had passed since Flanders' departure without word or sign from him. The chief, uneasy at his long absence, was wondering whether he had not been too harsh, too ready to send him upon this mission, where death, in a sense, was wagered as the stakes. Now, the best that Tower could do was to promise himself that on the following day he would send out a trailer to find what had become of the missing man.

Down the main line at this moment the operator at Guamo Siding, in solitary possession of the place, was deeply lamenting the chance that had set him down as the surveying monarch of all its loneliness. Outside, the face of the landscape glimmered in the torturing heat; the air droned with the shrill voices of a myriad of insects, and the breeze, a veritable furnace breath, added to the inferno with the dust it drew up in its train. In desperation the operator set to filing points on his sounders and keys, but this only increased his torment. The rasp of the tool added to the manifold sounds from the superheated world outside, driving him to the brink of desperation. In disgust he threw down his file, shook the beads of hot sweat from his brow and was tapping a glass of tepid water from the barrel in the corner when a low voice broke in on his reflections:

"Say, you there!"

At the window beside the keyboard a hand was holding up the curtain, and underneath appeared a face, dust stained, burned to a copper red and set with two marvelously gleaming eyes. Startled, the operator dropped the tin cup clattering to the floor and leaped to one side. The next instant he was with his back to the wall, a pistol gleaming in the dull light of the shaded station. "What do you want?" he demanded shrilly.

"Well, I swan!" laughed the man. "The hot has got on yer nerves, sonny, ain't it? Put down that gun, you chuckle headed brass pounder! I ain't goin' to hurt you."

But the operator was too old a bird to be trapped. The man that had left the place before him had been trapped in just such a way and tied down to his desk, the western mail had been flagged almost in front of the siding, and the express and postal cars had been dynamited first and then rifled of their valuables. "Make a move if you dare!" shrilled the operator, drawing a bead on the head in the window. "Don't you dare!"

In answer the man tossed a scrap of paper through the window. "Quick, you! Rush that to the main office. Tell 'em to dupe it to the chief—Tower, I mean. Get a hustle on an' then skedaddle out er this! You hear me? Skedaddle! Vamoose lively, 'cause it'll be hotter here afore long than the hottest dog days that Gehenna ever saw. But don't you forgit to send that dispatch, or by Sam Houston you won't be wuth the fat to fry a doughnut nex' time we run agether. Adios, sonny, an' look out for yourself."

The face vanished from the window, and the operator, a palsy upon him, still stood shaking against the wall. Outside, the sounds of the day resumed their droning intonation, the breeze sighed fitfully, and, though he cracked his ears listening for some sign of stealthy attack, he became at last convinced that he was alone. With his revolver still ready he tiptoed across the floor and snatched up the scrap of paper. Then, with a sharp glance about, he read and at the next instant had jumped to his instrument. "G—x," "G—x," "G—x," he called, his hand banging the key at frantic speed—"G—x," "G—x," "G—x." Somewhere down the line another station, noting the extreme haste of an operator notoriously slow, cut in with the query, "What's up?" Letter by letter Guamo Siding cursed him for his interference, the key rattled and shook with reiterated appeal, "G—x," "G—x," "G—x," and then the main office answered.

Flattening the paper before him, the operator laid his pistol upon it and bent with vigor to his key. With eager hand he hammered the brass till the room rang with the staccato clicking, but at every other letter he glanced fearfully over his shoulder. The dispatch said:

Rush supt. and dupe to Tower, chief of secret service. Doc Burdle's gang will hold up western mail 9:45 east side long trestle beyond Guamo Siding. Six in the gang. I make seven. Do not shoot man in white hat. That's me. FLANDERS.

P. S.—Tower will explain sig.

The operator added to this a message of his own. "This lets me out. I'm going to scoot." Five minutes later, when the uproar in the train dispatcher's office had calmed a bit, the wire was almost blistered by a call for Guamo Siding, but there was no answer. The key in the siding station clicked in solitude, and far down the track a handcar clattered over the fishplates, a sweating man pumping at the levers, with his eyes turned fearfully over his shoulder. "Guamo Siding's dead!" called the dispatcher's operator from his desk. "I can't raise him at all. He's lit out or they've got him, one or the other. What's the orders for H—M? He's cut in on the board and got the news hot off the wire. Guess he's rattled some."

"H—M" was Haney's Mill, the next station east of Guamo Siding. "Tell him to keep his mouth shut!" roared the dispatcher, snatching up the message from Guamo and rushing to the rail to meet the superintendent, who had burst through the doorway. "Here, read this, boss!" The dispatcher thrust the message into the superintendent's hand and then was back at the operator's shoulder.

Outside in the yard the western mail lay at the platform, a fresh engine backing down through the switch. "Hold her five minutes," the dispatcher ordered, "and tell those deputies to hurry. Have you heard from Tower yet? Ring up on the phone there. We can't wait all night."

But Tower himself at this moment bustled into the office. "It's all right!" he cried. "Flanders is one of my men. He's a daisy. I thought they'd stretched him out. Your men ready? I'm going too."

The dispatcher jumped from his chair and strode down the room. "Where's that idiot Piercy?" he demanded. "Ain't he ready yet?"

"He's coming, sir," was the answer.

"Coming, is he?" growled the dispatcher testily. "He's always coming, but he doesn't ever seem to get anywhere. Oh, here you are, are you, Piercy?"

The road detective bustled in, a crowd of deputies at his shoulder. "What's the orders?" he asked. The dispatcher thrust the message into his hand and then pushed him toward the door. "Read that and git!" he cried. "The old man and Tower's going too. They'll tell you what to do."

The armed men at Piercy's back turned right about, and the company trooped down the stairs. "There'll be a hot time in Guamo tonight all right," mused the dispatcher. "Wish I was with 'em."

Night had fallen, and the yard gleamed with switch lights like a field of fireflies when the western mail drove out into the open. Tower and the superintendent, armed with short barreled riot guns, sat in the cab with the engineer. "Don't keep 'em waiting," the superintendent cautioned the oily man at the levers. "I wouldn't disappoint them for the world." The engineer nodded, and the locomotive, toiling with harsh breath up the long ascent, cleared the summit with a bound and ran rolling and swaying on the long down grade. "Guamo's the first stop," laughed the superintendent. "We go by there kiting usually, but tonight we'll tackle the stretch sort of slow. I guess you'd better cut her down to half speed, Bill"—this to the engineer—"when we leave the mill. I shouldn't wonder but they've arranged to chuck us off the iron."

In the baggage car behind, Piercy, all excitement, bustled about with his orders. Long before they reached Haney's Mill he had the lights out and the doors opened. Little heaps of buckshot cartridges lay within easy reach, and on the car platforms aft other deputies guarded the weakest flanks of the train. Then the locomotive whistled first the long yard signal, then two short hoots. "That's Guamo!" cried Piercy. "Get to your places, men! An' mind—don't shoot the man in the white hat!"

Ahead, in the locomotive, Tower peered across the engineer's shoulder into the distance, scanning every foot of the iron bands glittering in the shine of the headlight. "There's a curve ahead," the engineer explained. "It won't show till we've rounded the— By thunder, there they are now!"

A black monument of railroad ties crested by a red lantern stood in the middle of the track. In the broad angle of light they saw for an instant a figure, ghostlike in the pale glow, standing staring upon the approaching train. Then it was gone. The brake shoes bit with loud complaining upon the wheels; the cars shocked together, their buffers clanking, and with a heave on her springs the engine came to a halt.

"Hands up!" roared a voice out of the darkness beside the track. "Hands up!"

A dim shape disclosed itself, a menacing figure with a Winchester pointed at blank range into the cab. For a moment there was no answer, no noise save the shuffling gurgle of the air pump. Then a voice rang down the line, "It's a brown hat he wears, boys!"

A stream of fire spurted from the cab, and the silence exploded with a crash. The night roared with the echo, and a scream of anguish pierced the thunders of the detonation. Then the stillness fell again for an instant, broken only by the sobbing measure of the pump. The cry of anguish had died with its giver and peace seemed assured when there was a sudden rush of footsteps.

"Fire!" cried a voice.

A volley rattled from the cars. The air whistled with the questing lead, and cry upon cry followed. Shot, too, answered across the gloom; a voice screamed a warning to flight; the coaches in the rear resounded with a frightened uproar, and a man in a white hat beside the right of way sat waiting indifferently for the noise to end.

"If you as much as wink, Doc Burdle," he cautioned, "I'll scatter yer brains from one end er the map to the other."

A curse answered the warning, for the man in the white hat sat upon the chest of the other, a pistol held to his

"If you as much as wink."

head. "You hound!" the outlaw cried. "You've played it well, hain't you? God help you, you dog, when I'm clear er this!"

"But you won't be clear, Doc," was the easy answer. "It's been a hot chase to land you, but it's did, ole man Easy there, now. No monkey shines or"— He pressed the cold rim of the revolver muzzle into the other's ear and with a suggestive wriggle of the weapon made his meaning clearer. The shots had died away, but the uproar continued.

"Flanders! Oh, Flanders!" a voice roared from the engine.

"Here, sir," answered the man in the white hat.

The outlaw writhed again.

"Ah! Let me go, won't you? I'll make it wuth while. There's a lot put by. Won't you?"

"What!" roared Flanders. "Let you go to be writin' things to the papers? Not much, Doc. You come near to makin' me lose the job wunst, ole man, an' I'll not take chances ag'in. Lay easy, now."

A half dozen lanterns came flickering on a run toward him. "Hello, chief!" said Flanders. "I've filled that hand got a full house too. Make you acquainted with Chief Tower, Doc Burdle—Doc—chief; chief—Doc." Then, as they clamped the handcuffs on the outlaw's wrists Flanders arose and wiped his brow. "Guess I squared myself," he muttered.

"And now," said the chief when he confronted Flanders in the baggage car, "perhaps you'll explain all this."

"Ain't much to explain, chief," Flanders answered. "I jus' got next to the Doc, an' when the shootin' played up lively I give him a clip on the ear an' sat on his chest when he come to."

"But how in thunder did you get next to him?" demanded the chief.

"Real easy, chief. Evenin', Mr. Piercy."

For an instant the detective stared at Flanders, then, with a menacing gesture, leaped to his feet. The superintendent clutched him by the collar. "What's this mean?" he growled.

"Mean!" roared Piercy. "Why, it was this blanked outlaw here that hit me in the face at Seed City an' wrecked all the windows in the car. Why, I'd 'a' given my job to 'a' met him wunst out there in the bush. I reckon, then, you'd never taken him alive."

Flanders turned to his chief, his face transfigured with merriment, but Tower started in astonishment. "Outlaw! What d'you mean, Piercy? This is no outlaw. It's Flanders, one of my men."

Piercy's face fell, and Flanders laughed aloud. "You see, chief," he explained, "I needed a good excuse to get off at Seed City. If I'd jus' dropped in there without a good reason, why, some er them guns might 'a' rattled a charge er buckshot ag'in my ribs. So I sorter got Piercy, here, to throw me off. He did his best, too, but I had it in for him, you know, an' made time fly. Then, you see, when I was shook off at the station, why, the Doc an' his gang took right natcherally to me—see? They let me in on the hull thing, an' what I got on to will give us the right to go down there an' run in the whole outfit from A to Z. Say, chief, guess my job's good yet, ain't it?"

"Good? Why!" And the chief fell to laughing uproariously.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Oct. 18, 1903, trains will run as follows:

[Subject to change without notice.]

TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.
r *5 19	abcdefghi	5 47	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 23	ad	7 42	8 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp.	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	12 45	Exp.	1 02
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 58	cba	1 19 r
r 9 42	abc	10 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	1 58	cba	2 19 r
r 10 42	abc	11 02	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	2 45	cba	3 06 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 45	coa	4 06 r
r 1 42	abc	2 02	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 16	dba	5 36 r
r 3 42	abc	4 02	5 26	a	5 45 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 46	ihgfdcba	6 15
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 42	abc	6 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
6 59	Exp.	7 15	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 05	abcdef	8 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
r 10 05	abcdef	10 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32			

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 43	Exp.	9 00
9 00	Exp.	9 15	9 28	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
10 18	Exp.	10 33	10 23	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 22	abcdefghi	10 50			

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.46 6.16 6.46 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—6.16 8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 7.21 9.21 P. M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A. M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P. M.

Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

Corrected to Nov. 20th, 1903.

(Subject to change without notice.)

LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6 50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brockville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A M. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.35, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 810 A. M. then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON 7.15, 7.45 A M. then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 9.45 P M Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

J. T. CONWAY, Division Supt

H. E. REYNOLDS, Asst. Gen. Supt.

Quincy, Mass., Nov. 20, 1903.

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.

JOHNSON & BROOKS,

PROPRIETORS.

HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,

QUINCY, MASS.

Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.

Aug. 11. 6mos.

Dr. Emmons'

Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively leaves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

The summary published in the Ledger yesterday shows that but one county in State has a larger per capita valuation than Norfolk county. In Suffolk county the valuation is $1,996 per capita on the census of 1900. In Norfolk county, $1,490 per capita. In Dukes county, $1,150 per capita. In all the other counties of Massachusetts the valuation is less than $1,000 per capita, and in Franklin county less than $600 per capita. Yet the committee of the Legislature on salaries proposes to reduce the salaries of Norfolk county and increase those of Franklin county.

Inasmuch as taxes are not levied upon populatian, but upon valuation, it would be fairer to all counties, if valuation, instead of population had been selected as the bases of classifications for salaries. Norfolk county with a valuation of $225,000,000, is better able to pay $4,200 to its commissioners than Bristol with a valuation of $195,000,000 is able to pay the $3,900 proposed. But it is proposed to pay the Norfolk county men but $3,600, or $1,200 each.

Col. Anderson's talk on Labrador at Quincy Point this week reminds us that winter in New England, even the old-fashioned kind like we are having this winter, is by far preferable to that country. Occasionally we have a tough day, but none of our storms will compare with those of Labrador, and an exceptionally cold day here is the rule there. The water there is too cold all the year round for a sea bath, and none of the people can swim. Nothing grows even in summer, and just think of it, a country without horses and cows, not to mention railroads and railways. New England is the best spot on earth, in winter as well as summer, even if other climates do seem to be more congenial for a few months of the year.

A wife beater was brought up short in the district court at Dedham yesterday when he was sentenced to three months in the house of correction and ordered to recognize in $500 sureties to keep the peace for six months. He is a special police officer, too, at Hyde Park.

A novelette and a story both illustrated, in this issue; also a fashion letter by Olive Harper and correspondence from Philadelphia.

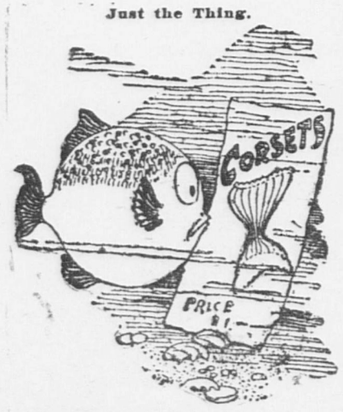
The Ice Crop.

The Meadow Brook Ice Co. completed harvesting their crop of ice at their South Quincy pond yesterday. They have not however completed their harvesting at the Quincy Neck pond. Their ice this year will average ten inches and was never more clear of foreign matter than this year.

Sprague Bros. will probably complete the harvesting of their crop today.

The Crystal Spring Ice Co., whose pond is at Quincy Neck, have not commenced to fill their houses as yet, and have only cut enough to supply their immediate trade, as needed.

Just the Thing.



Mrs. Blowfish—Ah, that's what I need!—New York American.

500 PINKS.

L. M. Pratt & Son will give to their lady patrons this evening at their store 500 beautiful pinks.

CRAMPS WIN.

Get Contracts for Two More Battleships.

Much Lower Than Fore River.

Designs Were Made by Francis T. Bowles When in Navy.

President Bowles of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company represented the company in Washington yesterday at the opening of the bid for the new battleships. The Quincy, company, which has plenty of work, was much too high, and was not successful.

A special to the Herald says: Contracts for construction of the two 13,000-ton battleships Idaho and Mississippi, bids for which were opened at the navy department Friday were awarded by Secretary Moody to the William Cramp & Sons Ship & Engine Building Company of Philadelphia. The bids of the Cramp concern for both vessels were the lowest submitted.

The Cramps offered to build one of the ships in 39 months for $3,200,000, or both of the ships, one in 38 months, and the other in 40 months, for $2,999,500 each.

The Maryland Steel Company of Baltimore, Md., bid for the construction of one of the ships, which it offered to build in 42 months for $3,472,000.

The other bids were as follows: Newport News Ship Building & Dry Dock Company, one ship in 37 months for $3,147,000.

Fore River Ship & Engine Company of Quincy, Mass., one ship in 42 months for $3,468,000.

The New York Ship Building Company, one ship in 42 months for $3,500,000.

Because the Newport News company and the New York company already have contracts for one of the two 16,000-ton battleships authorized at the same time as the Idaho and Mississippi, they could under the law, bid for but one ship.

There was much interest in the bid of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company of Quincy, Mass. Francis T. Bowles who recently resigned his position as rear admiral and chief naval constructor to become president of this concern, represented his company at the bidding. The Idaho and Mississippi are to be built according to the design made by Mr. Bowles when a member of the board on construction.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

ORDER YOUR
SUNDAY DINNER
—AT—
PRATT'S

The Best of Everything and Money Saved.

Fresh Eastern Fowl,	15 cts. lb
Face Rump Roast,	14 cts. lb
Fresh Pork Roast,	14 cts. lb
Best Rump Steak,	25 cts. lb
N. Y. Rump Steak,	12 1-2 cts. lb
Hebron Potatoes,	30 cts. pk
Fancy Celery,	20 cts. bunch
Large Prunes,	3 lbs. 25 cts
Bordeaux Catsup,	3 bot. 25 cts.
Baltimore Peaches,	15 cts. can
Pea Beans,	8 cts. qt

The Coffee we like to sell is OUR VERY BEST

Mocha and Java, 35c. lb

We have others at lower prices.

L. M. PRATT & SON.

W. A. BRADFORD,
Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting.
Jobbing promptly attended to.
Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.
Open Monday and Saturday evenings.
Telephone 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

"TOM" CRAIG.

A Promising Candidate in the World's Fair Contest.

There are few regular patrons of the street railway who do not know "Tom" Craig. He is one of the oldest conductors on the road. He formerly ran a car on the West Quincy line, but of late years has run on the Neponset and Weymouth Landing line. He is a most accommodating fellow, always has a smile and good word for everybody, and is immensely popular. His friends have entered his name in the contest as one of the Boston Herald's guests on a ten days' trip to the World's Fair.

He is a promising candidate and as far as known the only Quincy man in the contest. Everybody is saving the coupons for him. Among his workers are men, women and children. His army of workers is increasing every day. Let everybody take hold and work for "Tom" and keep his name in black type at the head of the list in his class, for no one would enjoy the trip and is more deserving of it than he.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Norfolk Club.

The stalwart Norfolk club will soon have another banquet, with able speakers, who keep in touch with political activities. The executive committee held a meeting Friday evening of last week in Boston to arrange for the festivities. The refusal of Congressman Powers to be a candidate again has set the political machinery in motion, and as Norfolk county will have candidates for the succession, it was thought that a Norfolk club dinner will be opportune about this time.—Hyde Park Gazette.

TODAY'S COURT.

Daniel W. Crowley was sent to the State farm at Bridgewater for drunkennes at Weymouth.

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.
Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you, in 6 to 14 days. 50 cents.

TO-DAY

And Every Day until the Bankrupt Stock of

C. F. DERBY

Is Closed out we will sell

MEN'S and BOYS'

CLOTHING,

Furnishings and Hats

At Lower Prices than any other store.

COME AT ONCE
For Best Bargains.

You want good goods for a little money. We want the cash. Here is your opportunity.

BANKRUPT SALE,

Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

MILLER'S

4 Quarts Potatoes,	.01
2 lbs. Sugar,	.01
Can Tomatoes,	.01
Pkg. Ginger,	.01

Inclosed in our Full Basket Sale

JANUARY 12 to 16.

$2.00, Stamps, With Each BASKET.

$1.00. $1.00.

V. E. MILLER,
CASH GROCER,
Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass.

CITY BREVITIES.

George Faircloth of Schnectady, New Y., is in town.

The Guild of St. Perpetua will meet at the rectory on Tuesday at 3.30.

Mr. Parlin in his Bible class will finish on Sunday the study of II Corinthians.

It looked this noon as though there would be another snow storm before Sunday.

Stephen A. Pierce, formerly of the Music Hall pharmacy, is now located at C. C. Hearns' drug store.

At the Missionary service at St. Chrysostom's on Sunday at 4.30 P. M. Archdeacon Babcock will speak.

President Nichols will anounce his committees at the meeting of the City Council on Monday evening.

Rev. Frank Pratt will take for the subject of his sermon Sunday morning "The uses of self sacrifice."

Sunday evening at 7.30 there will be a vesper musical service at Bethany church with quartette singing.

John G. McGregor of the Miner & Beale clothing house of Boston, is confined to his home these days by illness.

The early morning gave promise of a pleasant Saturday, but clouds have gathered, rain or snow is predicted for Sunday.

The monthly business meeting of the Epworth League of Wollaston was held Thursday evening with Mr. A. F. Leigh.

The Quincy Hospital acknowledges the gift of a check of $50 from Unity Circle of King's Daughters for the purchase of a new operating table.

J. B. Sutherland of Franklin street, has received an encouraging report on the health of his son whom he sent to Rutland, Mass., two weeks ago for treatment.

The teachers of the 6th and 7th grades of the Quincy school have been absent for two weeks past on account of illness.

Rev. W. T. Beale of Harvard Street church, Dorchester, will preach in exchange Sunday morning with Rev. J. H. Whitaker.

The Wollaston Alliance will hold a thimble party at Mrs. Cummings of Highland avenue, Wednesday afternoon at half past two o'clock.

The Tuesday evening Epworth League service at Wollaston next week will be a Bible reading on "The prayers of Jesus" conducted by Rev. Mr. Heath pastor.

Mr. Cassidy has been serving very acceptably as superintendent of the Methodist Sunday school at Wollaston during the enforced absence of Mr. Sanders.

A letter of thanks has been received from Morgan chapel, Boston, for the Christmas presents sent in by the Sunday school scholars of the Unitarian Society of Wollaston.

Because of the storm Sundry before last the address on "Michael Angelo and his work," illustrated by stereopticon pictures will be repeated Sunday evening in the church at 7 o'clock.

A lecture course will be opened at the Quincy Point church on Wednesday evening, Feb. 10, to continue fortnightly. Mrs. Charlotte Adams Dunne in recitals and music will be the attraction one night.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of Memorial church, Atlantic, gave an oyster supper in the church vestry on Wednesday evening of this week. There was small attendance on account of the storm.

At the Methodist church at Wollaston on Sunday Rev. George H. Clark of Somerville will preach in the morning in exchange with the pastor. The subject for the evening will be "A many-sided question."

At St. Chrysostom's church the great storm prevented holding the Sunday School party last week. Miss Sanger's and Miss Hamilton's classes will meet this afternoon at three o'clock, and Miss Briggs' class at 7.

As a result of the investigation, into the condition of the McCole family on South street, yesterday, by Agent Loring and Inspector McKay, the six living children will be taken in charge by the State until the parents are in condition to care for them as they should be.

The revival meetings will continue at the United Presbyterian church next week. A men's meeting will be held Sunday at 3.00 P. M., addresses by Rev. Kenyon, who has been lecturing to men as a Bible teacher, and he has a message to men. It is to be hoped that the meetings the coming week will be enjoyed and blessed beyond any yet held.

—In London 1,250,000 persons live on $5 or less a week for a family of five. Three hundred thousand people live in one-room tenements, an average of five to a room, and 30,000 homeless people walk the streets of the city every night.—Weymouth Gazette.

Side Boards and Buffets.

The Side Board adds the finishing touch to the furnishing of the dining room, and is one of the most convenient and attractive pieces of furniture ever constructed. Long linen drawer, velvet lined, silver drawer, ample cupboard, and in addition to the spacious and useful top are the extra shelves for fancy china, cut glass or silver.

Dainty Buffets with all the conveniences of a side board in condensed space. We show over 50 different styles, each one a gem of the craftman's skill. Prices, $12.00 to $50.00.

A little each week from your earnings and a side board is soon paid for

GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store.
Hancock Street, Quincy.
We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

Your Opportunity Has Come.

Again we call Special Attention to our

Second Annual Bargain
AND
Clearance Sale
OF
Winter Overcoats

Ulsters, Reefers and Storm Coats.

The rush of the busy season, and season of Profit to us, is all over, and now comes the time for Close Buyers and

BARGAIN SEEKERS.

We propose to keep the business coming as in the past by offering our Winter Stock of Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers and Storm Coats, at prices that force their sale and clean out our stock in preparation for the coming season.

We do not advertise to sell at less than Cost of the Material they are made of, but we do guarantee to sell you at considerable less than than you can buy the same quality for elsewhere.

You are cordially invited to call and examine our Stock whether you wish to purchase or not.

DON'T MISS YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

WE GIVE GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

F D. FELLOWS CO.,
Reliable Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers,
1387 Hancock Street, Quincy.

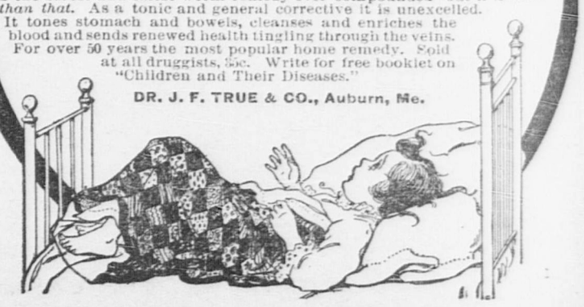
Bad Dreams

Too often seemingly trifling complaints of children are put off as things of no consequence. Every unnatural action is a symptom of disorder and deserving of careful investigation. Worms more than anything else are the cause of childhood sickness. Attacking, as they do, the stomach and bowels, the effect of their presence is felt throughout the whole system and made known by nervousness, peevishness, disturbed sleep, erratic appetite, weak stomach and general lassitude.

Dr. True's Elixir

is the surest and safest worm remedy ever compounded—*but it is more than that.* As a tonic and general corrective it is unexcelled. It tones stomach and bowels, cleanses and enriches the blood and sends renewed health tingling through the veins. For over 50 years the most popular home remedy. Sold at all druggists, 25c. Write for free booklet on "Children and Their Diseases."

DR. J. F. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Me.



...le Board adds the finish-
...to the furnishing of the
...om, and is one of the
...venient and attractive
furniture ever con-
Long linen drawer,
...ed, silver drawer, ample
and in addition to the
...nd useful top are the
...lves for fancy china,
...or silver.
...iences of a side board
different styles, each
...es, $12.00 to $50.00.
...gs and a side board is

...TAMPS.
...DE & CO.
...rniture Store.
Quincy.
...turday Evenings.

...Has Come.

...tention to our
...Bargain
...Sale
...ercoats
...form Coats.
...n, and season of
...nd now comes
...uyers and
...EKERS.
...e business com-
...ing our Winter
...rs, Reefers and
force their sale
preparation for
...sell at less than
...re made of, but
at considerable
...he same quality
...ted to call and
...er you wish to
...PPORTUNITY.
STAMPS.
...S CO.,
...and Furnishers,
Quincy.

...ns
...e of children are
...y unnatural action
...areful investigation.
...se of childhood sick-
...d bowels, the effect of
...tem and made known
...erratic appetite, weak
...Elixir
...pounded—*but it is more*
...is unexcelled.
...rnches the
...ll the veins.
...edy. Sold
...e booklet on
...rn, Me.

MEN'S BANQUET,

UNIVERSALIST VESTRY,

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 27, 6.45 P. M.

Turkey Dinner, Music and Reading.

MERRILL C. WARD, Toastmaster.

TICKETS, 35 CENTS.

Quincy, Jan. 16. lp-2t

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,

DRUGGIST,

1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

— OUR —

Capitol Shoe

FOR BOYS.

Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.

Sizes 12 to 2 $1.75

Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2.00

The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.

Every Pair Warranted.

GEORGE W. JONES,

Adams Building, - QUINCY.

DANCING.

COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.

BASKET BALL

AND DANCING

THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $8, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all former pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For further particulars apply to ELMER W. BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE

Tuner in Quincy 25 y.

Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.

Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.

Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marten's store.

Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.

Telephone at office and residence.

F. S. BUXTON,

TEACHER OF VIOLIN

WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.

Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

W. G. CHUBBUCK,

Furniture and Piano Mover

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up and Relaid.

JOBBING.

Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.

lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

NOW OPEN

THE CONSOLIDATED

FISH MARKET

AT HANCOCK MARKET,

Cor. Saville Street and Hancock Street, QUINCY MASS.

PLEASE SEND IN YOUR ORDERS EARLY TO EITHER STORE.

BRAINTREE.

Simeon Dyer, son of Mrs. Ann Dyer, of Dyer Hill, was buried from his home in Cambridge, last Thursday.

Henry A. Gammons, of South Carver, is visiting his brother I. Wendell Gammons, at his home on Washington street. Frederick D. Hull of New York was also a guest of Mr. Gammons during the past week.

Paul Jackson of Summer street is confined to the house with mumps.

A little son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Whitcomb, of Central avenue Wednesday Jan. 13.

The King's daughters met with Mrs. C. F. Hill Crathern, Thursday afternoon.

Pond Cemetery Association met with Miss Annie K. Dyer of Washington street, Tuesday afternoon.

The afternoon Whist club met with Mrs. O. A. Bridgham of Washington street, Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. G. V. Pennock and Mrs L. W. Thayer won the prizes.

Amana Rebekah Lodge will visit Beatrice Rebekah of Brockton Tuesday evening, going by electric at 5.20.

The officers of Court Autumna, L. K. & L., will be installed Wednesday evening, January 20, by Imperial Herald, George A. Howe, of New Dorchester.

Louis H. Tirrell was presented with a handsome gold watch at the last meeting of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers held in Boston for which organization he has acted as Chief Engineer for the past four years. Mr. Tirrell has recently been appointed engine despatcher on N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. with headquarters at South Boston.

"Men's Social Gathering" next Monday evening in the M. E. vestry will be addressed by Mr. E. B. Barber of Norwood on "The Serious Uses of Humor." Messers. Bumps and Travis are to assist with the musical part of the program. All men are welcome.

Amana Rebekah lodge, No. 96 I. O. O. F. initiated at their regular meeting Thursday evening, Mrs. Edward Bridson. Coffee and cake were served.

Mrs. W. F. Rogers of Boscobel street met with a peculiar accident in Boston Wednesday morning while passing the Bromfield street Methodist church. A huge icicle that gathered strength in its long distance drop, fell upon Mrs. Rogers, destroying her veil and passing downward struck her foot with great force bruising it badly. Happily no bones were broken and Mrs. Rogers is reported as rapidly improving.

The third annual ball of the Braintree Fife and Drum corps was held in the Town hall last night. It was a very pretty party and the attendance was large. Cuff's orchestra of nine pieces rendered a concert program from 8 to 8.30. Dancing was then enjoyed until one o'clock. The committee in charge deserves credit for the pretty decorations and untiring efforts.

The supper at the First church was thinly attended Wednesday evening, but the few that went enjoyed a fine supper and a pleasant time.

Edwin F. Watkins a popular brakeman on the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad is receiving the votes of his friends in the Herald contest.

The Thayer Academy girls' basket ball team easily won a game with Taunton High school yesterday afternoon, the score being 20 to 6 in favor of Thayer.

The young people who were coasting on Morrison's hill Thursday afternoon had a fine chance to enjoy "that new sensation" one hears about. The sidewalk was in a hubbly and icy condition and the double-runners jumped up and down in great shape.

One of the milkmen on the Middle and River street route reports that nearly everyone on his trip is "done up" in some way by colds and cough or La grippe.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wynot of Washington street, Thursday, the 14th.

Lewis E. Tilden, the well known pianist, is critically ill at his home on Front street with pneumonia.

Ex-Chief John Kelley has resigned from the board of fire engineers on account of so many business cares and ex-chief F. A. Whitmarsh was appointed in his place and will serve the ensuing year as clerk.

The Rev. Edmund Dowse who recently resigned as chaplain of the state senate a position which he has held for a quarter of a century is an uncle of Mrs. Albert E. Avery.

Simon Delorey of Elliot street has resumed his duties at the Fore River Engine Works after being confined to the house for several weeks by illness.

Women's Relief Corps No. 102 connected with Reynolds post, G. A. R., remembered Mrs. John Flood a soldiers widow and a resident of Elm Knoll, who has been an invalid for years, with a choice dish of fruit, a few days ago. This is only one of the many charitable acts preformed in their unostentatious manner by this corps. Their good work is extended not only to their own members, but to members of the G. A. R., and in fact to all soldiers and their families in this vicinity.

Byron Whitmarsh cut his arm quite badly by putting it through a pane of glass. It required nine stitches to sew up the wound.

The first grand annual reunion and coffee party in aid of St. Francis church will be held in the Town hall Tuesday evening, Feb. 2. Music, Cuff's orchestra. Concert program from 8 until 9. Dancing, 9 until 2.

Albert A. Drollett is housing clear ice twelve inches thick. He has a large force of men at work.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chandler and Mrs. Saville attended the funeral Wednesday of their aunt Mrs. Harriet Kitterell at Middleboro. Mrs. Kitterell was 82 years old.

D. D. M. W. Robert F. Burleigh visited Montello Lodge, No. 168, A. O. U. W. of Montello, last Tuesday evening, and assisted by D. D. G. G., Warren B. Keith, and D. D. P. W. W., I. Wendell Gammons, installed their officers for 1904. Following the ceremonies of installation Dr. Burleigh and Mr. Keith made interesting and instructive addresses, which pleased a large gathering of the members and visiting brothers.

A novel, and altogether, interesting social was held in the M. E. vestry Wednesday evening, when the Ladies' Aid and Epworth League united for an indoor picnic. Forty-one energetic people assembled in spite of bad weather and worse walking, and for three hours imagined themselves in the most delightful of picnic grounds. Palm leaf fans swaying from every chandelier simulated leaves stirred by summer breezes, while various placards indicating the menagerie, the merry-go-round and other attractions, aided in the delusion. In one part of the room was a miniature lake arranged with a mirror surrounded by ferns and green leaves, with tiny boats floating on its surface and cracker animals roaming about its edge.

GIRLS AS CHAPEL BUILDERS

Students at Connecticut School Intend to Be Their Own Masons.

The girls who attend Rosemary Hall, at Rock Ridge, in Greenwich, Conn., have decided to build a chapel and will not allow a man to have anything to do with the work on the structure. They propose to do it all themselves, says a Stamford dispatch.

The idea originated a few months ago in the brain of one of the girls who attend that stylish seminary, and at the first proposal her companions adopted it with enthusiasm. A leader was appointed, plans were drawn by themselves and submitted to the head instructor. It was for a one story stone edifice of rustic design, simple, yet all that was required.

Stone from a nearby field was given them, and every day after school for the past month the girl students, with a hired team and wagon, have been carting the rock to the site of the new building.

The result is that a huge pile of stone is to be seen near the seminary, where it will remain until the weather is such that the girls can go out with pickaxes and shovels and dig the trench for the foundation. They intend to mix the mortar and lay the stone, according to instructions from a mechanic and with the ideas they are getting by perusing books on the building art during the winter.

The Value of Politeness.

If those who are doubtful as to the correct course to pursue in any given situation will remember that even the wrong thing is overlooked if one is but absolutely polite in the doing of it, their relief might be great.

A gentleness of demeanor and a courteous response or question can never be out of place. A man may wear a business suit of clothes to an evening wedding less noticeably than a truculent air of insolence. If he be perfectly well bred as far as behavior goes, it matters not so much what his outward garb, although by an unwritten law of social observance certain clothes are the correct thing for certain occasions.

Politeness is never wrong. Its practice goes nearly all the way toward the goal of the right thing in the right place. We hear of polite insolence, but insolence is never polite, and it is never under any circumstances polite to be insolent.

SOCIAL REALM.

(Continued from page 1.)

The social event of next week will be the assembly on Friday evening at Quincy Music hall, given by the Quincy Home Science association, in aid of the Summer Kindergarten fund. There is a long list of well known ladies as patronesses. It is hoped to make the dance the prettiest and most enjoyable of the annual parties given by the Association. Special cars are to be run to Neponset by way of Wollaston.

* * *

Miss Marcia Keith of Braintree has gone to Mt. Holyoke college for a few days' visit.

* * *

Miss Theo Brett of Wollaston is the guest this week of Abington friends.

* * *

Mr. Edwin B. Pratt sails about the first of February for the Mediterranean, on a three months' trip.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hunt of Bigelow street, entertain the Tawasentha club next Tuesday evening at a musical.

* * *

The Friday club was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George G. Saville, Saville avenue. It was an afternoon devoted to Macaulay. Mrs. Theodore Hardwick had charge of the program.

* * *

Judge and Mrs. Avery of Braintree entertained Mr. Avery's sister Mrs. Claflin of Boston the middle of the week.

* * *

Mrs. George Macfarland and Mrs. John O. Hall, Jr., matronized the dance at Colonial hall on Thursday evening; the second one given this season by the whist club. There were twenty-five couples present, including members of the club and friends.

* * *

Mrs. May Alden Ward has resumed her talks on "Current Events" at the Quincy Mansion school.

* * *

Miss Ethel Haven of Wollaston has been the guest of Miss Edith Plympton at Plymouth, this week.

* * *

Invitations have been received in Quincy this week for the fourth annual ball and supper of the Cochato club, Braintree, on Tuesday evening, January the twenty-sixth. Grand march at half after eight followed by dancing until one o'clock.

* * *

Mr. Harry O. Parker of Atlantic leaves for Southern Pines, North Carolina, today, where he will remain the rest of the winter.

* * *

Mrs. James Fuller (nee Bertha Cherrington) of Hartland, Maine, was visiting in Atlantic last Thursday.

* * *

Mrs. Eugene H. Sprague and Mrs. H. J. Gurney were matrons of a pretty dance by the Young People's Religious Union at Brazee's hall, Wollaston, last evening.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

Harlow H. Rogers to John H. Stetson et al trs.
Jacob W. Wilbur to David J. Curney.
Ella L. Nickerson to Harlow H. Rogers.
Harlow H. Rogers to Harriet H. Connor.
Edward P. Howland to Charles A. Howland.
Thornton B. Lewis to Harlow H. Rogers.
Mrs. S. A. Lincoln to Harlow H. Rogers.
James Thompson et al trs. to Annie E. Shaw.
Geo. W. Hopkins et al trs. to Annie Greeley.
Naomi E. Nicholson to William T. Meek.
Harlow H. Rogers to Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.

DIED.

MASSON—In Quincy, Jan. 15, Mrs. Isabella, wife of Mr. John Masson, aged 49 years. Funeral from late residence, 138 Franklin street, Sunday, Jan. 17, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

GUNNING—In Quincy, Jan 14, Joseph, son of Mr. Bartholemew and Mrs. Mary T. Gunning of Railway street, aged 20 days.

Peptiron Pills

(Chocolate-coated)

Are nutritive as well as tonic, and therefore in full accord with advanced science as to the proper treatment of anemia, paleness, and neurasthenia, nervous weakness, in which the need of more and better nourishment is so apparent.

They combine the best tonics, nervines and nutrients for all pale, nervous sufferers; are invaluable to delicate women and girls, invalids and convalescents.

They put iron into the blood, strength into the nerves, color into the cheeks; aid digestion and promote sweet, refreshing, natural sleep.

Peptiron Pills, (chocolate-coated.) 50c. or $1—the latter a full month's treatment. Prepared by C. I. HOOD CO., Lowell, Mass.

Selling Agent in Quincy:

E. J. Murphy, 1657 Hancock St.

LEDGER ADS.

PAY BEST

Makes You Eat.

Karo

CORN SYRUP

coaxes a new appetite. At all grocers. 10c, 25c, 50c.

Corn Products Co., New York and Chicago.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

JANUARY MARK DOWN SALE

—OF—

COATS.

New up-to-date Coats

We know now $5.00.

Were $9.98, now $6.98.

We have only 2 Zibeline Coats left.

Prices, $17.98 and $25.00.

Choice now, $12.98.

Every Coat in the store Marked Down.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

HERBERT A. HAYDEN

Piano Tuner.

Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

JAMES F. BURKE,

REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.

MORTGAGES.

Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

LEWIS N. CURTIS,

PAINTER, GLAZIER.

LEADED STAINED GLASS.

Decorator and Paper Hanger.

OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.

15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

FRANK F. CRANE,

REAL ESTATE,

AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,

Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

Hardware Supply Co.,

1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES

Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.

Dec. 29. tf

CARD.

Mrs. F. H. Hewins,

—: Formerly in the :—

Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations

METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.

Offices:

128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.

Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903. tf

Mrs. Thompson's Diamonds

By WILLIS B. HAWKINS

Copyright, 1903, by Willis B. Hawkins

THOMPSON emphatically declared it nonsense, sheer nonsense. He even went so far as to say that his wife's passion for diamonds was—wicked. He had almost said vulgar, but that seemed rather too harsh. Mrs. T., however, clung lovingly to his neck and called him pretty names.

"Oh, it is so beautiful!" She was describing a diamond sunburst she had seen at a jeweler's that day. "And the dealer says it is a rare bargain at the price."

"They always say that," Thompson asserted.

"But this one really is. You would say so yourself if you saw it." Not that she knew much about it. She could hardly be called an expert at judging diamonds. Her specialty was judging Thompson, and she knew that if he

"HE'S A CHUMP."

with his plunging tendencies, went so far as to look at the sunburst he would probably buy it for her.

"But you have a bushel of diamonds already," he said.

"A bushel! You silly boy!" she pouted sweetly. "I haven't a teacupful! Why, even Mrs. Joslyn has more than I, and I'm sure her husband is not to be compared with mine as a successful business man."

"That's just it." Thompson grabbed at the argument. "He's a chump. If he invested his money properly instead of buying gewgaws with it he wouldn't be everlastingly hard up."

In the matter of logical discussion Mrs. T. was no match for her husband. So she just snuggled closer to him and turned her soft, appealing eyes up to his.

"There, sweetheart," he said, kissing back her rising tears. "Forgive me. I'm a brute." He really thought he was.

That afternoon on the way home in his carriage he sat inspecting the bauble he had bought and reflecting on the size of the check he had given for it. Four thousand and odd dollars tied up in a bit of trumpery that would not be worn half a dozen times in the year! Why, by judiciously investing that sum in margins he might turn it into a fortune in a few months. And the stock market so active just now too!

Still he gave her the sunburst like a gentleman, with no grudging remarks, and, truth to tell, really enjoyed the grateful pleasure she exhibited.

But that night he had a little secret business conference with his pillow. Whether the pillow was of his opinion at the outset doesn't matter since in the end Thompson's arguments prevailed and his resolution was adopted unanimously.

The next morning he said to his wife: "My dear, do you realize the danger of keeping $30,000 worth of diamonds in this house? Isn't it rather too much of a temptation to lay before servants? Don't you think you'd better let me put them into a safety deposit vault for you?"

His pillow had been easier to convince than his wife was. First she liked to have her jewels where she could look at them and show them to her friends. What was the use of owning beautiful diamonds if they were to be locked up where they couldn't be admired? Then suppose she should change her mind at some last moment and decide to wear her fleur-de-lis brooch instead of the sunburst! How exasperating not to have it at hand! Besides, she always kept them in the steel box where the servants could not get at them, and anyway, she said, the servants were perfectly trustworthy.

Thompson met all these arguments with masterly logic. Granting that the servants themselves would not steal, they were likely to talk to somebody who would. Servants, he pointed out, liked to brag about the wealth of their employers. As for the steel box, a burglar could carry it away, body and boots, and open it at his leisure.

Mrs. T. shuddered at the thought of a burglar, so Thompson laid it on a little thicker.

"We read every day of people being murdered in their beds," said he.

That was the final necessary straw. "Perhaps you'd better put them into the vault," Mrs. T. sighed.

That night Thompson called his pillow to order again and submitted the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, The clever Mr. Thompson has found a place where they make paste diamonds which only an expert can tell from real ones, and

Whereas, Mrs. T., not knowing the difference, will be just as happy with paste as with real diamonds, and

Whereas, Thirty thousand dollars will margin enough T., Z. and W. to make a wagon load of money in the next thirty days; therefore, be it

Resolved, That everything is lovely and the goose hangs high.

There was nothing now to mar the happiness of either Thompson or his wife. Whenever she wanted to wear her jewels she had only to telephone to his office, and he brought them to her in good time. What odds if they weren't the real thing? Nobody suspected it, she least of all. Moreover, her husband never grumbled nowadays when she hinted at new diamonds. He even bought some beauties for her without the asking—bought them, let her wear them a few times, and then when he was sure she had priced them at the jeweler's he substituted paste, sold the real stones, put the money into the game, and—the goose still dangled at a pleasing altitude.

But one day the string broke, or, to shift from poultry metaphor to the language of Wall street, the bears got on the market, and the roof caved in. At 3 o'clock that afternoon Thompson, with every dollar he could raise, was under the wreck, slated to be slaughtered at precisely 10 next morning. His brokers just hadn't sold him out and that was all. A drop of another point, and he was a goner.

From 3 to 6 he burned up miles of telephone wire with the heat of his pleas for money. Fifty thousand dollars would take him beyond the turn, but everybody who had that amount seemed to be hard of hearing.

At last his own bell rang, and he snatched up the phone, hopeful that somebody might be coming to the rescue.

"This is opera night, you know, dearie. Come soon and don't forget the jewels."

There were good, honest tears in Thompson's eyes as he hung up the receiver, tears that welled from a deeper, purer spring than had been tapped in his breast for many a day. If at that moment those jewels had been real nothing, not even his present strait, could have tempted him to displace one of them. But, oh, they were so false—false as he!

A plunger in all things, he now plunged into despair with his whole being, even as he had plunged into T., Z. and W. with his whole fortune. How he loathed the hideous thing that he saw himself to be! And how that loathing took away his strength to fight! What was the use? What was the use of anything?

He took the jewel casket from a cupboard of his desk (he had not even troubled himself of late to carry it to the deposit vault), called his carriage and went home with the craven heart of a poltroon trembling in his breast.

Don't pity him; pray, don't. Yes, he was suffering terribly, so terribly that he thought of suicide, but grief for his faithlessness was still mixed with consideration of exposure. He must be chastened more and more before he

THOMPSON FLUNG HIMSELF ON HIS KNEES BEFORE HER.

could deserve that divine quality of mercy which tempers the highest form of justice.

Mrs. T. could not fail to perceive that something had gone wrong. Thompson had hardly entered the house when she asked him what it was.

In an incoherent way, like a man talking in his sleep, he told her of his lesser troubles; how the bottom had fallen out of the market; how hundreds of longs had been ruined; how he himself had managed barely to keep his margins good, but had completely exhausted his resources in doing so; how, in short, for the want of a few thousand dollars he would be a ruined man when the Stock Exchange opened next morning.

Most of it was as Greek to Mrs. T. She understood only that $40,000 or $50,000 would save him. She opened the jewel case on the table and turned to him with a sweetly sympathetic smile. "My darling boy," she said, "why didn't you sell these?" She went and sat beside him where he had sunk listlessly upon the sofa. "Didn't you know I would rather part with every one of them than have you worried for a moment? Why, it was for just such a time as this that I coaxed them from you. I knew what a plunger you were, you dear thing, and I—yes, dearest, I almost hoped that the time might come when they would save you. I wanted to be a help to you, a real helpmate, and I knew no better way."

Thompson had flung himself on his knees before her and buried his face in her lap. Every word that she spoke seemed to be a living thing clutching at his heart, dragging his drabbled soul into the light.

"There, there!" she crooned, stroking his hair, oh, so tenderly. "Let us go now and sell them. It is not too late."

"Yes, yes, it is too late!" In a frenzy of grief Thompson sprang to his feet

THE AIR WAS FULL OF BEARS.

and slammed the lid of the casket down. He could not bear to look, could not bear to have her look at those pasty things, so false, so worthless, so much like him!

Confession was at his tongue tip when he looked into her big, round eyes and read there the awful disappointment of her loving heart. Her cherished plan had failed.

"Too late!" she gasped.

"I—I mean it is too late—too late to sell them tonight." He was making the effort of his life. He must not give up. He must not confess. For her sweet sake he must conceal the crushing truth. For her he must fight the fight. "Tomorrow morning will be soon enough," he said. At least this would give him time to think.

He confided many things to his pillow that night and adopted many manly resolutions. Among them was one to the effect that the splendid little woman beside him should never, never know. That was at once a noble and silly resolution, noble because it was conceived in loving tenderness of her, silly because he could not keep the truth from her.

Fate seems to enjoy making much ado about nothing. Possibly she has her reasons, though. If Thompson had only known it, he was not in the slightest danger. While he was tearing his heart out at home that evening two great bulls happened to meet in a box at the opera.

"Haven't those fellows had fun enough with T., Z. and W.?" one asked.

"I guess so," the other answered carelessly.

"Let's toss 'em. What do you say?"

"All right. Let's."

That was the end of it. The conversation turned upon something worth while—the new prima donna perhaps.

The first thing that happened in the Stock Exchange next morning sent the market kiting. The air was full of bears. Thompson just stood and jumped up and down until somebody near by told him not to make a blanked fool of himself.

"I won't!" shouted Thompson, jumping the higher. "I won't! Never again! Never, never!"

And what do you think he did with the first money he drew out of that deal? What else would you expect him to do but have those loathsome shams replaced by diamonds, the purest that money could buy?

Then, do you believe, he and Mrs. T. laughed and cried together and had the most enjoyable time of their lives over his story of clever Thompson's clever trick on his trustful little wife.

"Ah, but I wasn't so very trustful!" she said at last. "I had a feeling, an intuition perhaps, that if those diamonds were put into the safety deposit vault something would happen to them."

"Yes," said Thompson, "I remember how obstinately you opposed my proposition. But, now, sweetheart, you shall keep them always at home."

"No," Mrs. T. answered. "I have an intuition that they will be safer in the deposit vault—now."

A Strict Grammarian.

"You think a great deal of your husband, don't you?" said the visiting relative.

"You have the wrong preposition," answered Mr. Meekton's wife, with the cold tones of the superior woman. "I think for him."—Washington Star.

DATE OF MILLENNIUM.

London Clergyman Picks May 2, 1929, or April 9, 1931.

TROUBLE A-PLENTY MEANTIME.

Rev. M. Baxter Says Seven Plagues Will Disconcert Humanity Before the Messiah Reappears—A Napoleon, King First of Macedonia, Then of Syria, to Be, He Asserts, a Second Great Leader.

The exact date of the end of the present age and the dawn of the millennium has at last been discovered. The unfolder of this interesting and long looked for bit of information is the Rev. M. Baxter of London, who has perpetrated two books, entitled "Twenty Coming Events" and "Future Wonders of Prophecy," says the New York Commercial Advertiser.

As a prophet with a magnificently microscopic vision and an utterer of clogged and involved English the Rev. Mr. Baxter surpasses John Alexander Dowie.

According to Baxter, the last day of this age will be either Thursday, May 2, 1929, or April 9, 1931. Simultaneously the "millennium of 1,000 years" will commence. He is unable to tell on which of the two days the end will come, because he is undecided on what date Napoleon will seal the seven year covenant with the Jews. Napoleon—not the original little corporal—is to be a second great leader, a king, first of Macedonia, then of Syria. He will be the "little horn of Daniel's seventh chapter."

It is impossible to follow the Rev. Mr. Baxter in all his prophetic deductions, but this much is clear—a great deal of trouble is to strike the earth before May 2, 1929, or April 9, 1931. Among other things, those of us who are still alive two months before the end will have a chance to enjoy the "seven vials or plagues." "Within the final December, January, February, March and April," says Baxter, "they will be fulfilled thus:

"Vial 1, noisome sores for three days; vial 2, sea becomes blood for four days; vial 3, rivers and fountains become blood for four days; vial 4, sun scorches men for fifteen days; vial 5, total darkness for three days; vial 6, Euphrates dries up during 100 days; vial 7, earthquakes, shaking down all cities, and Christ's descent during the final five days."

Before this two sackcloth clothed witnesses, probably Elias and Moses, will prophesy and warn the people. They will have power to turn rivers into blood and shut up the heavens so that no rain can reach the earth for 1,260 days. Demon scorpion locusts will torment men for five months, demon horsemen will ride over the globe for thirteen months and kill one-third of the men, and the "first four trumpets," seven years before the millennium, will "(1) bring hail and fire on earth in September, (2) turn one-third of the sea into blood in January, (3) embitter one-third of the fresh waters in April and (4) darken one-third of sun, moon and stars."

Although all these little troubles are evidently intended for the whole world, the greater part of Baxter's squints at the future have resulted in what looks like a hard time for Europe.

At the very front of his "Twenty Coming Events" the prophet places the "Formation of the Ten Kingdoms." Seventeen European countries are to be amalgamated into ten—France, Britain, Spain, Italy, Austria, Greece, Egypt, Syria, Turkey and the Balkan states. These will constitute the "Ten Kingdomed Latin Confederacy," opposed to Germany and Russia.

An eleventh little sovereign among the ten sovereigns, the Little Horn, will arise to rule the ten kingdoms. This will be Napoleon, who, according to Baxter, may turn out to be either Prince Victor Napoleon or Prince Louis Napoleon. He will rapidly advance from a Macedonian leader to be king of Syria and then master of the ten kingdoms.

Along about this time—either April 13, 1922, or May 2, 1929—Napoleon will sign a seven years' covenant with the Jews, who will recommence their daily sacrifice of a lamb and will rebuild the temple in Jerusalem.

Twenty-two months after the Little Horn signs the covenant the Messiah will appear peacefully "in the air as a bridegroom" and will soar aloft to the heavens, accompanied by all the deceased saints and 144,000 living, watchful Christians. This will be "Tuesday, Feb. 26, 1924, at 3 p. m. in Jerusalem, or 12:38 p. m. London."

After the sensational soaring of the 144,000, things will develop rapidly until the final day when the Messiah, returning again, will overcome Napoleon in the battle of Armageddon.

To Stock Lake Superior With Seals.

Preliminary steps have been taken for the formation of the Lake Superior Seal Propagation society, the object being to stock Lake Superior with fur bearing seals, says the Milwaukee Sentinel. The head of the society will be Seben Malaroff of Ashland, Wis., a retired Russian sailor with thirty years' experience as a sealer; former Lieutenant Governor Fifield and J. S. Robins of Rhinelander. It is figured that ten male and forty female seals in the lake will increase to 1,000 in twenty years. The Apostle islands or Isle Royale, together with the rocky shores of Lake Superior, would be ideal breeding places for seals, it is held, and Mr. Malaroff says the climate conditions are perfect. Efforts will be made to secure governmental regulation by agreement with Canada. The projectors figure large profits.

HAS UNIQUE RECORD

PURSER KINSEY, WHO HAS CROSSED THE ATLANTIC 830 TIMES.

An Interesting Career In Which Has Been Viewed at Close Range the Marvelous Changes and Improvements In Ocean Travel.

[Special Correspondence.]

Philadelphia, Jan. 5.—Nowadays it is no unusual thing to meet persons who have crossed the Atlantic forty or fifty times. On almost any voyage of a big Atlantic liner you will encounter one of these veterans who informs you casually that he is making his fifty-sixth voyage, who can prophesy the weather as well as the chief boatswain, who hobnobs with the captain and runs affairs in the smoke room quite as a matter of right.

While it is a question who is entitled to be called the champion amateur

PURSER THOMAS KINSEY.

ocean traveler, there is no question that what may be called the professional record belongs to Purser Thomas Kinsey of the American line steamship New York. The little red book in which he keeps a diary bears testimony to the fact that down to date he has crossed the international ferry 830 times, and as he is still one of the youngest men that wear gray hair and is regularly making his two trips a month from New York to Southampton and back again there is every reason to believe he will reach a grand total of a thousand or more crossings before he finally retires from the sea.

Purser Kinsey is by no means the oldest man in the Atlantic passenger trade, though in continuous service he probably passes most of his fellow officers. The reason he has more ocean trips to his credit by a hundred or two than any other man in the business is that he began very early and has kept at it almost continuously since. He became the purser of one of the Inman line steamers at nineteen and has remained in the service of that company and of its successor, the American line, ever since. So his career comprehends the greater part of the history of Atlantic steam navigation. He has seen ocean steamships multiplied in size tenfold, and the liner to which he is now attached makes the journey between New York and Europe in less than half the time of his first ship, which was then the wonder of the sea.

The veteran purser's first Atlantic voyage was made when, as a boy of ten, he came from England to this city in the City of Manchester, one of the earliest screw steamships and the first vessel built by the Inman line, or the Liverpool, New York and Philadelphia Steamship company, as it was then known. But the real beginning of his ocean career may be said to date from 1866, when he became the purser of the Inman liner City of London. During the sixties the City of London was one of the belles of the ocean. She was the third ocean screw steamship to be put into operation and was considered remarkable for both size and speed, being nearly 300 feet long, about two-fifths the length of the present day Oceanic, or 2,765 gross tons, and 450 horsepower. Most astonishing, however, was the fact that she made the voyage between Liverpool and Philadelphia in twelve days.

"The City of London was really a gem for her time," said Purser Kinsey the other day when he sat in his office on board the New York, chatting with some of his younger associates about his experiences. "You must remember she came not long after the time of sailing packets and directly on the heels of the early paddle wheel steamships. As she was the best of her kind and time, no better indication of the great progress made in steamship construction can be had than by comparing her with the New York or some other of the big modern greyhounds."

Mr. Kinsey has seen service on nearly all the crack ships the Inman and American lines have put into commission during the past thirty years, among them the City of Brussels, the City of Chester and the City of Berlin. The latter was built in 1875 and was for a time the fastest ship on the Atlantic, as she was also the largest, with the exception of the Great Eastern, reducing the time from New York to Queenstown to 7 days 15 hours 28 minutes, which was considered a remarkable performance.

WILLIAM P. HASTINGS.

Indigestion is caused by trying to compel the stomach to keep too rapid a pace. It is

the bane of the present age and is wrecking lives by the wholesale — a little assistance is needed by the digestive organs of

half the world. That distressed feeling can be removed speedily by using Beecham's Pills and can positively be

cured by taking a course of this excellent medicine. Your stomach will be kept sweet and clean and your general health will be perfect if you will use

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Sold Everywhere.
In boxes, 10c. and 25c.

JOHN STREIFERD & SON, FLORISTS.
Telephone 13-7 Braintree.
Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.
Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

PICTURES
FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.
Office Hours: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
Jan. 31. tf

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

HALL and BURGESS,
Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

Hote Greenleaf
Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

MISS SPEAR'S CLASSES,
148 Goffe Street.
Kindergarten and Day pupils received.
Music, Art, Sloyd, Basketry, Gymnastics, Shorthand and Tutoring taught by experts.
C. FOLLETT SPEAR, Directress.
Voice, Piano and Harmony Oct. 15-3m

ANASTASIA A. HUGHES,
Teacher of Piano and Organ,
Will receive pupils Fridays and Saturdays.
For terms address 1562 Hancock Street, QUINCY, MASS.
Jan. 13. 6t

MAIN SPRINGS
Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.
Work called for and delivered.
SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

SKATES SHARPENED.
Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .
24 Granite Street,
NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.
Dec. 21. 1m

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
And to increase our trade we offer for cash
Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple, $8.00
Dry Pine Wood, 7.00
Dry Pine Slabs, 6.00
Green Hard Wood, 7.00
Delivered in any part of Quincy.
THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,
Yard between Miller and West Streets.
Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.
Quincy, Jan. 6. 1p-tf

igestion
ed by trying to compel
mach to keep too rapid a
It is
bane of
sent age and is wrecking
y the wholesale — a little
ce is needed by the diges-
gans of
f the world.
istressed feeling can be
ed speedily by using
n's Pills and can posi-
e
ed by
a course of this excellent
e. Your stomach will be
et and clean and your gen-
lth will be perfect if you
ECHAM'S
PILLS
old Everywhere.
oxes, 10c. and 25c.

STREIFERD & SON,
FLORISTS.
phone 13-7 Braintree.
rs, Bedding and foliage plant, Fun-
. Weymouth Landing cars pass
cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward
Braintree.
aken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharma-
Square. jan26-1y

ICTURES
ED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
ng them in and see for yourself.
opied from Photographs. Good
anteed.
. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
incy, Aug. 20. tf

AYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
posite Post Office,
Hancock St., Quincy.
HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5
to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
tf

NK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
r, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
ting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
July 6. tf

L and BURGESS,
tate, Mortgages, Insurance.
ONEERS and APPRAISERS.
e Peace. Notary Public
and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
c. 30. 1y

e Greenleaf
roughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
ec. 12. tf

SPEAR'S CLASSES,
148 Goffe Street.
ten and Day pupils received.
t, Sloyd, Basketry, Gymnastics,
d Tutoring taught by experts.
OLLETT SPEAR, Directress.
o and Harmony Oct. 15-3m

ASIA A. HUGHES,
r of Piano and Organ,
pupils Fridays and Saturdays.
address 1562 Hancock Street,
QUINCY, MASS.
6t

IN SPRINGS
you wait. Warranted two years
thoroughly cleaned and kept in
year, $1.00.
ycalled for and delivered.
RG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Postal. Dec. 28-tf

AINTING
nd Glazing.
L. HAYWARD
Mechanic Street.
t. 3. tf

ES SHARPENED.
nt Machine Work
ll Kinds . . .
Granite Street,
TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.
1m

FURTHER NOTICE
ease our trade we offer for cash
Wood Oak or Maple, $8.00
ood, 7.00
Slabs, 6.00
Wood, 7.00
ed in any part of Quincy.
S O'BRIEN & SONS,
ween Miller and West Streets.
Residence 70 Copeland Street,
WEST QUINCY.
16. lp-tf

van Houten's Cocoa

Of unequalled value as a household beverage.

Best & Goes Farthest

LONG ISLAND
OYSTERS
Solid, 38 cts. quart.
Genuine Quincy Eggs, 45c. dozen.
Meadowbrook Creamery,
QUINCY, MASS.

A 20 per cent. Reduction.

For dates in January and February the experiment will be tried of giving a special discount of 20 per cent. in the prices of Quincy Music Hall. The price scale as it is, though doubtless seeming high to some, is not really so when a fair account is taken of the many, many expenses of running a large hall and keeping it in first class condition, as well as the fact that at best such a hall can be rented only a small part of the time. The prices of Music Hall are not now changed, merely the experiment is to be made of giving this special discount to engagements coming in these two special months.

The Location is the best of any hall in the city. The street cars pass the door with a turn out right in front of the Hall.

The Floor is of selected maple laid with the greatest care, and is kept in perfect condition, being covered with canvas when not used for dancing.

The Ventilation—a most important consideration—is such as to keep the air pure with even a crowded hall and without causing any drafts.

The Hall is Lighted by electricity, brilliantly and pleasantly, and with a switchboard arranged so that all desired effects can be obtained in the Hall proper or on the stage. Gas is used as an auxiliary light.

The Heating is direct—indirect, ample, and giving the most healthful results.

The Stage has been designed with care, and is furnished with a particularly generous supply of attractive and appropriate scenery.

For Advertising, the Music Hall Billboards throughout the City are of very great value.

To Darken the Hall, there are special window fittings so that at noonday the Hall can be made as dark as at midnight.

In case of fire there are pails of water and chemical fire extinguishers throughout the Hall. There is an asbestos fire curtain by which the Stage can be instantly cut off from the Hall proper. There are nine (9) doors opening from the Hall and five (5) separate exits.

As a whole, Quincy Music Hall has been carefully planned to meet the requirements of those who wish a *large and really first class Hall.*

QUINCY MUSIC HALL
Dec. 25. tf

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in al. parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,
Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass
Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.
April 25. tf

NOVELETTES
Will be a Feature for Several Weeks
OF THE
SATURDAY EIGHT-PAGE LEDGER.
EVERY STORY
IS
COPYRIGHTED AND ILLUSTRATED
AND ARE BY
Distinguished Writers.
Some Are 6 and 7 Columns in Length.

TRADE INTERESTS

United States Concerned In Nothing Else In Manchuria

HAY AND CASSINI CONFER

Results In Dispelling Fears That We Had Changed Policy In the Direction of Political Interference In Russian Plans

Washington, Jan. 16.—What might have developed into an unfortunate misunderstanding between the governments of the United States and Russia regarding the interest of the United States in Manchuria was adjusted at a conference at the state department between Secretary of State Hay and Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador. As a result the Russian government will be advised by the ambassador that he has the best assurances that the interest of this country in Manchuria is absolutely and exclusively commercial and that the consuls sent to Mukden and Antung will confine their activities to the faithful care of American trade interests in that province.

Count Cassini called at the state department to inquire into certain statements which several European diplomats here had brought to his attention and interpretated to indicate a change of policy on the part of this government in the direction of political intervention in Manchuria. The ambassador himself was unwilling to believe that any such change was even contemplated, in view of his understanding throughout the negotiations that the United States' interests in Manchuria were those of trade, not territory. This conviction was confirmed by his visit to the state department.

The conference between the secretary and the ambassador was characterized by frank cordiality on both sides. The ambassador was assured that this government does not contemplate the substitution of a political for a commercial policy in the far east. This position of the United States, it was stated later, enables the Russian government to execute with minute fidelity the assurances given Secretary Hay that in any eventuality which unrest in Manchuria or war with Japan may precipitate, the interests of this country will receive the fullest protection at the hands of the Russian authorities. Not even a change of administrative control, it is said, should the progress of events necessitate such a step, could interfere with the treaty provisions this government has with China regarding our trade in Manchuria.

Train Struck Trolley Car

Detroit, Jan. 16.—A trolley car carrying a heavy load of passengers hurrying home at the close of the day was struck by a passenger train here last evening. Thirty-four people were injured. Seven of the injured were conveyed to hospitals and 27 were taken to their homes. No one was killed, though some of the injured may die. The engine of the train struck the trolley car in the middle. It pushed the car along the track, bending the car frame into a crescent shape and tearing a big hole in the side that was struck.

Bushnell's Body at His Home

Springfield, O., Jan. 16.—The body of former Governor Bushnell, who died at Columbus yesterday, arrived here on a private car. The arrival of the train was announced by the tolling of bells and the firing of 17 guns, which was the signal for a crowd of several thousand citizens to assemble at the railway station. Mitchell post, G. A. R., and two companies of military acted as an escort in conveying the body to the Bushnell home.

A Fall From Grace

Rock Island, Ills., Jan. 16.—J. W. Warr, for years one of Moline's most prominent citizens, head of the J. W. Warr Publishing company, secretary of the Moline Savings Building and Loan association and leader in reform, was indicted by the grand jury here under 17 counts, charging the embezzlement of $100,000 in his capacity as secretary of the building and loan association. He was arrested and arraigned and gave bonds.

Audience Didn't Know of Fire

New York, Jan. 16.—There was a fire in the employes' coat room of the Majestic theatre last night. It was not known to the audience and was quickly extinguished. One of the ushers had a box of matches in his coat pocket and as the coat was hung up the matches were lighted and his coat set on fire. He threw the coat on the floor and stamped out the blaze.

No Light on Bechtel Mystery

Allentown, Pa., Jan. 16.—The trial of Mrs. Catherine Bechtel, charged with being an accessory after the fact to the murder of her daughter, Mabel, continues, and a number of witnesses have been examined. No important evidence, however, has been elicited to throw light upon the mystery of the girl's death.

Big Steamship Crippled

Philadelphia, Jan. 16.—Steamship Noordland, Liverpool for Philadelphia, has arrived, being five days overdue. The delay was due to the breaking of an eccentric strap on the engine. The accident occurred when the Noordland was about 500 miles out from Queenstown. All on board are well.

WITH $1,000,000 CAPITAL

Stock Company Proposition Considered by Milk Producers

Boston, Jan. 16.—A plan of incorporating the association so that the milk supply which comes to Boston might be controlled by the farmers was presented at the annual meeting of the New England Milk Producers' union, but it was not accepted. A committee of 10 members, however, to which the suggestions for incorporation had been referred, reported that the matter was worthy of investigation, and at the end of a long discussion on the subject another committee of 15 was elected, to further examine the plan proposed and to make a report at an adjourned meeting of the union.

The proposition before the committee is that the union shall be formed into the Boston Co-operative Milk Producing company, with a capital of $1,000,000, divided into 40,000 shares, at $25 a share. There is to be an extended purchase of cans, which are to be owned by the company and distributed to the various subscribers in the proportion of one can to a cow. It was declared that under this company ownership of cans the market for milk in Boston would be controlled by the farmers and that competition on the part of others would soon be made impossible. Again, the milk producers would have an organization with which they could better negotiate with the contractors. Stress was laid upon the point that the milk producer could supply the retail dealer or even the consumer with milk in Boston, together with the probability that a great saving of money would be effected to the farmer.

The Chase For Reid

Rutland, Vt., Jan. 16.—William J. Reid, the hotel swindler, who has given the Springfield, Mass., officers a long chase through Vermont ever since he broke jail last Sunday, has led his pursuers into New York state and they arrived at West Cambridge, where Reid dined Wednesday evening, with the fugitive still two days ahead. The twisting and doubling of the chase through southwestern Vermont has been so perplexing that the officers tried to capture the fugitive by freely using the telephone. Notwithstanding a conspicious covered sleigh, a pair of crutches and a noticeable black beard, Reid slipped through the meshes of the telephone net.

Alleged Gold Brick Workers

Boston, Jan. 16.—Vincenzo Rossi and Andrew Lombardo, Italians, were arrested by detectives at the North union station last night. The police claim that the two men have been engaged in swindling their countrymen by what is known as the "gold brick game." The Italians made a savage resistance when arrested, but they were soon overpowered. They are held on suspicion of robbing an Italian at the North End some days ago. Of late several Italians have been robbed by Italian "confidence men."

Fire Scare Over a Trifle

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 16.—Late last night two alarms were sounded for a fire in St. Mary's college for girls in the "flatiron" district, the worst fire district in the city. Two alarms from that section is equivalent to a general alarm and every piece of apparatus in Manchester responded. The second alarm was pulled by an excited citizen. The fire was but a smudge in the basement and the damage was small.

Master of Chancery In Charge

Providence, Jan. 16.—As a result of difficulties with which the receivers of the American Tubing and Webbing company have had to contend in arranging claims of creditors against that concern, a decree has been entered in the supreme court making C. F. Parkhurst master of chancery for consideration of the different claims.

Cadets Have Scarlet Fever

Boston, Jan. 16.—Two cases of scarlet fever having been discovered among the cadets on the state nautical training school ship Enterprise, lying at North End park, the commissioners have temporarily closed the school and have sent all the cadets to their homes, except the two patients, who were taken to a hospital.

More Than Two Weeks Overdue

New Haven, Jan. 16.—Thirty days out from Fernandina, Fla., with a cargo of lumber for New York, some fears are felt for the safety of the three-masted schooner James D. Dewell of this port. The Dewell should have reached New York in 14 days from Fernandina.

Beached In Kittery Cove

Portsmouth, N. H., Jan. 16.—Schooner Albert Pharo, bound from Bangor for Boston, went ashore last night on West Sister. The schooner was pulled off the rocks by a tug, towed to this port, and beached in Kittery cove. The Pharo is nearly full of water. None of the crew was injured.

Wage Cutdown Resisted

North Shapleigh, Me., Jan. 16.—The 200 employes of the Hargraves Woolen mills struck, following the posting of a notice of a 10 percent reduction in wages. There are no labor organizations here and the operatives quit work by common consent.

Stole Cash and Bankbooks

Montpelier, Vt., Jan. 16.—Carl Backus, charged with stealing cash and bank books from his uncle, William Baird of Lowell, Mass., pleaded guilty and was sentenced to not less than 2½ nor more than four years in prison.

The Uruguayan War

Montevideo, Jan. 16.—It is reported that a serious battle has taken place between government troops and the insurgents, the latter losing heavily.

"A CLOSED INCIDENT"

Hanna's Emphatic Disavowal of Presidential Aspiration

Pittsburg, Jan. 16.—Senator Hanna, in an interview last night, said: "I have sent out 2000 personal letters denying that I am a candidate for the presidency and I do not want to be considered as such. I consider all such talk a closed incident. The alleged opposition to the nomination of President Roosevelt has been over-estimated and magnified greatly by the Democratic papers and others with Democratic proclivities."

Senator Hanna said he would issue the call for the Republican national convention in a few days. It has been delayed on account of the talk about Chicago hotelkeepers advancing their rates.

To Get Part of Gilman Money

New York, Jan. 16.—Under a decision handed down by Surrogate Thomas the executors of the estate of the late millionaire tea merchant, George F. Gilman, are granted permission to settle Mrs. Helen P. Hall's claim against the estate for $60,000. The majority of the legatees and heirs under the will were in favor of a settlement with Mrs. Hall. Mrs. Hall had made an effort to get the entire estate, contending that she had been adopted by Gilman and that there was a contract existing by which she was entitled to the whole estate.

Defense Scores a Point

Washington, Jan. 16.—In the trial of August W. Machen, the Groff brothers and Dr. and Mrs. Lorenz, charged with conspiracy to defraud the government, the defense insisted that the government had not brought forth any documentary evidence showing the existence of a conspiracy to defraud the government, and that that which was being offered naturally should follow the evidence of conspiracy so as to specifically connect the defendants with the various transactions which had been referred to. The court sustained the point.

Wedding Guests Disappointed

Bluefield, W. Va., Jan. 16.—Guests at a wedding which was scheduled to take place at Willomton last night are scouring the hills looking for Frank Montyo, who, at the point of a revolver, held up Joseph Miller and forced him to surrender a license to marry Eleanor Vance, to whose affections Montyo was a rival. The wedding party was awaiting the arrival of the groom and when he returned minus the necessary document a posse was speedily formed with intent to lynch Montyo.

Escaped Convicts Caught

Plattsburg, N. Y., Jan. 16.—John Roberts and James Stewart, the two "trusties" who escaped from Clinton prison last Sunday night, were caught in a cedar thicket about three miles from here last evening by Warden Deyo of Clinton prison and Parole Officer Mooers. The men had kindled a fire, the smoke from which attracted the attention of the officers. They were only a mile from the Vermont line when captured.

Panama Policy Criticized

Washington, Jan. 16.—Friday's session of the senate began with the passage of a number of bills on the calendar and closed in like manner. The intervening time was given over to a speech by Mr. Teller on the Panama canal question, Mr. Teller contending that the course of the president in connection with the recent revolt of Panama had been contrary to precedent and in contravention of international law.

White House Entertainment

Washington, Jan. 16.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt gave another largely attended musicale at the White House last night, the invited guests including the cabinet, a large representation of the diplomatic corps, senators and representatives in congress and residents of Washington, in addition to some out-of-town guests. There was a long and varied program of classic vocal and instrumental selections.

Veteran Actress Is Sick

Washington, Jan. 16.—Mrs. G. H. Gilbert, the actress, is quite ill at her hotel here. Complicated with the shock resulting from a bad fall on Tuesday night just before going on the stage is a severe cold and bronchial trouble. This is accompanied by grip symptoms and severe pain. Mrs. Gilbert is 82 years old.

Lumber Schooner Abandoned

New York, Jan. 16.—Among the passengers who arrived on the steamer Havana from Havana were Captain Davis and seven seamen of the schooner Rebecca A. Taulane, abandoned at sea with a full cargo of lumber after becoming waterlogged. She was owned in Boston.

Political Chat at White House

Washington, Jan. 16.—Timothy L. Woodruff of Brooklyn, formerly lieutenant governor of New York, had a long conference with the president. They discussed the political situation in New York state, but no details of the conference were disclosed.

Theatre Destroyed by Fire

Calgary, N. W. T., Jan. 16.—Fire starting from the furnace of the new Normandi theatre gutted the whole block, causing a loss of $280,000. Six large stores in the building burned. The theatre was to have been used last night for the first time.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Sunday, Jan. 17.
Sun rises—7:11; sets—4:38.
New moon—10:47 a. m.
High water—11:15 a. m.; 11:45 p. m.

Precipitation in the lake region will spread eastward and cause snow, with rising temperature, in New England.

A GIRL MASQUERADER.

Alice Pilcher Lived as Boy to Save Her Life.

HIGH ROLLER ON MONTANA RANCH

"Percy," Threatened With Consumption, Courted a Girl—Cold Caught During a Drive Ended Disguise. Wanted to Be a Baseball Player, but Could Not Bat.

"Back to the mines, Percy!" is a salutation with certain of the younger "smart set" of Louisville, Ky., which never failed to throw one of the ruddiest, most athletic appearing young women of the "set" into confusion. Three years ago, when she left Louisville, it was with signs of the grip of the "white plague" upon her constitution. Almost nothing had been known of her doings from that time, except that her friends were informed in a general way that she was "in the mountains," says a Louisville special to the New York Commercial Advertiser.

Up somewhere in a rough Montana country a rancher's daughter sits with shattered hopes and mourns the loss of a handsome, dashing "young swell" known all over the ranges as a "good fellow" and "no tenderfoot." She had spent many pleasant hours with "him" and cast languishing eyes and dwelt on the thought of the hour when "he" would propose the all important question—or, if "he" didn't, leap year was not so far away. Then there was that last ride!

If "Percy Pilcher" had not caught cold the facts would not have come out yet in all probability, and Percy and the Montana maiden would have whiled the blissful hours away, while Louisville would still have missed its Alice Pilcher, the wealthy organ manufacturer's daughter, who was "in the mountains for her health."

That the supposed consumptive girl has pushed ore cars in the copper mines, served as a waiter in a miners' boarding house, herded cattle on a ranch, lost a year's earnings in one game of poker and achieved a reputation at billiards the remarkable story of the three years' role as "Percy Pilcher" records. If any suspicion as to the genuineness of the character was raised it was quickly met by some act that seemed incontrovertible. When the tenderfoot had first arrived "he" was made to bear the brunt of many jokes, but took them all good naturedly and soon was ranked among "the boys." Percy became as much of a high roller as any.

Percy's ambition in the sporting line was to be a baseball player. She acquired great proficiency in throwing and fielding, but she was weak as a batsman and so could not get the place she coveted on the league nine. But she followed the players and was always on the diamond on some pretense or other, and the players were glad to have her assistance.

The end of the story came a few weeks ago when "Percy Pilcher," then well established at Helena, went driving with a young woman and caught a severe cold. The physician who attended the case discovered the secret of the masquerading girl. There was a telegram to Louisville, an order for a ticket from the paternal organ maker, and Percy came home to resume her place as Alice Pilcher.

QUAY'S GRATITUDE.

Senator Remembers a Descendant. How He Was Named Stanley.

Eugene Stanley, borough clerk of Bridgeport, near Norristown, Pa., has resigned a clerkship in the Philadelphia and Reading railway office to accept a $1,200 job in the department of the interior at Washington, says the Philadelphia Ledger.

The appointment, which came to Mr. Stanley as a Christmas gift, is credited with being secured by Senator Quay to repay a debt of honor which he owed Eugene Stanley's grandfather.

Matthew Stanley Quay, United States senator, was born in Lancaster county, near the home of Matthew Stanley, grandfather of the present appointee. The intimate friendship existing between the Quays and Stanleys prompted the parents of the statesman, then a newborn babe, to name him in honor of Matthew Stanley, their neighbor. Thus came the name Matthew Stanley Quay.

New Fad In Jewels.

Opals are again coming into favor with women who can afford to carry a stock of gems, says the New York Press. Ever since the Princess of Wales set this fashion last spring the fad has been growing, and a market has been opened for the inferior opal stones of central Mexico. The appearance of a neck strand of these gems on a matron in the Metropolitan Opera House in New York caused much comment. The stones have had most of their recent use set with diamonds in a ring, but now they are seen in combs, garter clasps, bracelets and even in the backs of costly hairbrushes. It is difficult to match opals, and fine sets of these stones are rare.

Cold Baths For Vagrants.

Justice Michelson of St. Joseph, Mo., who served as police judge during the absence from the city of Judge Carolus, announced recently that vagrants brought before him would not be sent to the workhouse to board at the expense of the city, as they generally wish, but instead they will be sentenced to take a cold water bath once a day for a week and then leave the city under penalty of doubling the dose, says the Kansas City Journal. John Olaf was the first victim, and he begged to be allowed to leave the city.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35..
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

A Suggestion.

He—I suppose it would not be proper to kiss you on such a short acquaintance?

She—No. What a pity we haven't been acquainted a little longer!

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	32	4	26	43	43
Monday,	30	8	36	26	42
Tuesday,	33	11	31	37	31
Wednesday,	42	24	21	34	20
Thursday,	39	35	26	34	30
Friday,	34	27	35	40	33
Saturday,	30	33	40	45	36

New Advertisements Today.

Auction Sale of Household Furniture.
Quincy Point Lecture Course.
To Let—Large Front Room.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

J. E. Bassett of Readville, paper hanger and painter, has moved to Quincy.

William Cannon of this city has entered the employ of Moore Brothers of Plymouth.

Mary E. Shea of Quincy obtained a verdict of $73.40 against Patrick Shea in the Superior court this week for board and lodging.

The funeral of Miss Hanna Lecrow Cook of Penn's hill, was held Thursday afternoon, Rev. Edwin N. Hardy officiating. Miss Cook has been confined to her bed for more than three years. Her home was formerly in Woburn.

Something different in the line of exhibts is now at the Thomas Crane public library. It includes 104 photographs of yachts given to the Library Art club by Col. John E. Thayer of Lancaster. It includes the Galatea, Genesta, Volunteer, Columbia, Shamrock and many yachts of English design.

The annual meeting of the incorporators of the Quincy Hospital is to be held on Monday evening at Colonial hall, at eight o'clock. The regular routine business of reports, election of officers, election of new members, etc., will be followed by a social hour during which refreshments will be served.

The Ladies Auxiliary of Atlantic held an apron and necktie party in Atlantic Music hall last evening, which was largely attended. The floor was in charge of the lady members. At intermission, two solos were rendered by Miss Mary R. Sullivan. Rochetts orchestra furnished music. The affair was a grand success.

Supt. Pritchard Dropped.

J. P. Pritchard, formerly of Quincy, who has been street commissioner at Somerville for several years, has not been reappointed. Mayor Chandler, on Thursday appointed E. T. Mayhew to that position. The board of aldermen, however refused to suspend the rules to confirm the appointment.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Nov. 2. 6mos.

UNCLE JOE'S OVERCOAT

How Speaker Cannon Got a Fifty Dollar Garment Cheap.

PAID FIFTEEN DOLLARS FOR IT.

By a Previous Arrangement With a Fashionable Haberdasher and Unknown to Her Father His Daughter Paid the Remainder—Hemenway Offered $35 For It, but It Was Not Sold.

Uncle Joseph Cannon, the speaker of the house of representatives, has purchased a brand new overcoat, and thereby hangs an interesting tale, if all reports are true, says the Washington Post.

Uncle Joe has never been accused of being a fashion plate when it comes to wearing apparel. His clothes have always been neat, but plain, and never of an expensive kind. When it comes to overcoats his intimate friends declare he never paid more than $15 for a garment, and a ready made one at that. He is known to practice economy in the buying of his business clothes.

The overcoat that Uncle Joe had left over this winter from several seasons began to show considerable wear. Miss Cannon, thinking her father should present a little better appearance since he had been elevated to the speakership, set out one day recently to select a new overcoat for him. Passing a fashionable haberdasher's establishment on Pennsylvania avenue in Washington, she spied an elegant coat hanging in the display window.

Miss Cannon went into the establishment and asked permission to examine the coat, stating that her father needed a new one. When asked the price of the garment the clerk replied $50.

"Well, my father never pays more than $15 for his coats, but I want him to have this one," she said. Miss Cannon, according to the story that is going the rounds of the capitol, told the clerk that she would have her father call and look at the coat and to tell him its price was $15 and she would pay the difference.

That evening when the speaker reached his abode his daughter told of the coat she had selected and asked him to get it the following morning. He did so and bought it for $15. Arriving at the capitol attired in his new purchase, the speaker went to the appropriations committee room. There he was greeted by Representative Hemenway of Indiana and other members.

"My gracious, Uncle Joe, aren't you putting on lots of style here of late? That's a fine overcoat you have on. I don't understand how you can afford to be so extravagant and fastidious in your habits," said Mr. Hemenway.

"This is a good coat at a cheap price," remarked Mr. Cannon as he straightened up and buttoned the coat its full length in an apparent manner of great satisfaction and pride.

"It must have cost you at least $40 or $50, Uncle Joe," said the Indiana congressman.

"This is a bargain overcoat; only cost me $15," proudly replied the speaker.

"I'll give you $35 for it," said Mr. Hemenway, reaching deep down for his wallet.

"I'll take it," answered the speaker, who was then peeling off the overcoat as fast as was possible.

For some reason or other the Indiana statesman did not buy the coat, but if he had the members of the Cannon family would have suffered an expensive joke. It is not known whether the speaker has yet found out the real, actual cost of his fine coat.

AN AMERICAN PANTHEON.

Bartholdi Would Have All Presidents Buried on Bedloe's Island.

The New York World's Paris correspondent called by appointment upon Bartholdi, the famous sculptor, who gave to New York the colossal statue of Liberty Enlightening the World, at his fine villa, comprising studio and home, with a garden and rear court, 82 Rue d'Assas, on the left bank of the river Seine.

Bartholdi said that he is always cherishing as his favorite idea the turning of Bedloe's island into a sort of national American Pantheon, girted with the statues of those who have contributed to their country's fame, with Washington, Lafayette and other famous generals perhaps as a central group.

He would also have the bodies of all the presidents removed to Bedloe's island and would have a comprehensive museum of national relics established. He believes that such a spot would prove a Mecca for all Americans, instilling patriotism into the young. Besides, the immigrants would grasp and learn to revere the history of the new country while yet at its very gate.

Tortured to Death by Hot Eggs.

The Rev. M. N. Popoff, now in the United States, received from Sofia, Bulgaria, from an official of the Bulgarian National bank who is a Macedonian, a letter containing an account of Turkish atrocities in Macedonia, says the New York Tribune. The letter says in part:

Have you heard that Lazar Racheff of Mehomia died a month ago in Salonika? You know that he was in prison. In Mehomia he has been fearfully tortured. They (the Turks) burned him with eggs just taken out of boiling water. He was laid on his back, and on his bare breast the hot eggs just taken out of boiling water were rolled. In consequence of this a disease was contracted in his chest, and he died in the Salonika prison. Having been asked by an old Protestant woman who visited him just before his death agony if he had any wish that she could convey to his family, he replied, "My only wish at present is to be laid in the grave as soon as possible."

Thayer Academy Notes.

Students of 1902-1903 who have entered college:

Helen W. Bates, Wellesley.
Helen W. Arnold, Smith,
Olive M. Beal, Wellesley.
Wallace B. Carr, University of Nebraska.
Mabel M. Crocker, University of Chicago.
Carrie G. Eddy, Boston University.
Carrie G. Hilliard, Smith.
Ralph G. Knight, Dartmouth.
Morris H. Litchfield, Harvard.
Herbert H. Palmer, Amherst.
Herbert H. Palmer also passed final examinations for Harvard.

Students of 1902-3 who passed preliminary examinations for college:

Alan F. Arnold, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
Mollie G. Brown, Radcliffe.
Harold C. Faxon, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
Helen B. Josselyn, Vassar.
George H. Kelley, Harvard.
Sophy R. Phillips, Radcliffe.
Walter L. Remick, Harvard.
Carl R. Sheppard, Cornell.
Willard P. Sheppard, Harvard.
Harold W. Wellington, Harvard.
Harold C. Faxon has also passed final examinations for the Institute, and is anticipating some of his first year's work.

Yesterday afternoon the girls' basket ball team played a game with a team from the Taunton High school winning by a score of 20 to 6. The playing on each side was very good indeed, especial mention being due to Miss Josslyn and Miss Faxon for brilliant playing.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE

The management of the Castle Square Theatre have secured an interesting novelty—so far as Boston is concerned—as an attraction for the coming week, this being the play "For Fair Virginia," written some ten years ago by Russ Whytal, and successfully played throughout the country ever since. The scene of action of the play is in Virginia during the days of the late rebellion, but the sectional differences of the times are kept in the background and the incidents have little to do with the war. The plot deals largely with the passion and pride of the people introduced in its development and some most interesting scenes add to the dramatic value of the play. The leading characters have been cast as follows: Stephen Dunbar, Howell Hanse; Edward Esmand, Thomas MacLarnie; Julian Esmond, Little Ruth; John Laughlin, John Sainpolis; Frank Weslyn, Edward Wade; Colonel Lester, Paul Macfarland; Colonel Shattuck, Walston Southwick; Uncle Zeb, John T. Craven; Sergeant McIntyre, William J. Hasson; Sentry, Louis Thiel; Nell Esmond, Lillian Lawrence; Virginia Esmond, Isabelle Fletcher.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

Seven acts coming to Keith's Boston playhouse for the week commencing Jan. 18 have never been seen there before, three of them coming directly from Europe. These latter are the sisters Gauch, acrobats, equilibrists and hand balancers; the Fleury trio, no velty dancers and the MacWoods, eccentric comedy pantomimists and gymnasts. Mme. Avery-Strakosch, the noted operatic singer; Martini brothers, xylophone soloists, James F. Macdonald, singing comedian, well known from his connection with prominent musical comedy productions, and Ouda, trapeze performer, will all be new faces. Will H. Murphy, an excellent burlesque comedian, assisted by Blanche Nichols, comedienne; Lew Harkins, described as the "Chesterfield of minstrels," and Al Lawson, comedy bicyclist, and Frances Namon, a skilful female bag puncher, are some of the other entertainers of prominence. The new song-sheet novelty will be produced Jan. 25.

COLUMBIA THEATRE.

It is doubtful if more genuine and pronounced success has been made in Boston by a new dramatic star in a generation, than was achieved by Miss Nance O' Neil at the Columbia Theatre this week. Miss O' Neil and her strong supporting company, which includes that sterling actor, Mr. McKee Ranklin, presented Ibsen's "Hedda Gabler" last night and this play proved such a powerful attraction that it will be repeated on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights and at the Wednesday matinee of next week. On Thursday night next Nance O' Neil will be seen in the first performance in English of Sudermann's latest and most remarkable drama, "The fires of St. John." The performance will be repeated on Friday and Saturday nights and at the Saturday matinee. The third week of Miss O'Neil's engagement will commence Monday, Jan. 25 in a repertoire which will be announced later.

—Every newspaper contains numerous reports of crimes committed by persons under the influence of liquor, which would not have been committed if the criminal had been sober or had not debased his sensibilities, and vitiated his normal will power, by habitual indulgence in strong drink. Not all criminals are drunkards, but the man who drinks to excess is always a possible criminal. He does not know, no one else can know, when the temptation, or the provocation, to crime may overcome his conscience and his ordinarily reasonable motives.—Dedham Transcript.

—It is rumored that a new shipbuilding plant is to be built on the site formerly occupied by the Fore River Engine Company on Quincy avenue, Braintree.—Hingham Journal.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

SUNDAY SERVICES.

2d SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the Rev. G. Wolcott Brooks of the Village church, Dorchester, in exchange with the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. A Vesper musical service by the church quartette and Mrs. Hunt, organist. Free seats and every one invited to the services.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Charles Conklin, pastor. Service of divine worship at 2.30 P. M. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 3.45 P. M.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street,—Rev. William Alva Brady, pastor. Residence 25 Pleasant street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M. Preaching at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Leon H. Austin, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7.30. Y. P. S. C. E. Tuesday evening at 7.30. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. All are cordially invited.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue—Rev. W. E. Gardner, rector. 8.30 A. M., holy communion. 10.30 morning prayer and sermon. 3.00 P. M. Sunday School missionary service. 7 00 P. M., prayer and address

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Fort Square—Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor. Service at 10.30 A. M., preaching by Evangelist Kenyon. Sabbath School at 11.45. An address to men only by Rev. Kenyon at 3 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6 P. M. will be led and addressed by Mrs. Theodore Downs of Spencer, Mass. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Rev. Kenyon will preach. The sacrament of supper will be postponed one week. The revival meetings will continue next week at 7.30 each evening. The public is invited.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S CHURCH—Rev. Carlton P. Mills, rector, 9.45 A. M., holy communion. 10.45 morning prayer litany and sermon. 12.20 P. M., the Sunday School. 4.30 P. M., Missionary service.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward Abbott Chase, minister. Morning worship with sermon at 10.45. Preaching by the minister. Subject: "Self Realization as a Sinner." Sunday School service at 12.15 P. M. The Vesper service, with a New Year's message at 4. The Senior society of Christian Endeavor at 6.30.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "Whence Cometh our Help." Sunday School at 12.10. Junior Endeavor meeting at 3 P. M. Vesper service at 4 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 5.30 P. M.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the Rev. W. T. Beale of Dorchester, Harvard church, in exchange with the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. You are cordially invited.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue.—Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Truth." Golden Text: "He is the Rock, his work is perfect: for all his ways are judgment: a God of Truth and without inquity, just and right is he." Deuteronomy, 32:4. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings. All are welcome.

—Practical Politics speaking of the appointments at the State House says they were generally satisfactory. Representative Fallon of Quincy asked for liquor law and got water supply instead.

"EASY-SHAVE," the New Lather,

makes shaving a pleasure instead of a torture. Use "EASY-SHAVE," Shave yourself for two weeks and you will wonder how you ever got along without it. "EASY-SHAVE" makes the face soft and clear and keeps it so. At Druggists, 15c. Try it today.

Famous Authors

We have secured for early publication a number of short stories by the following distinguished writers:

Jack London
Will N. Harben
Bret Harte
Shan Bullock
Henry Seton Merriman
Maximilian Foster
Edith Wyatt
A. W. Whitcford
Herman Whitaker
J. P. Coughlan

Every story copyrighted and illustrated, Keep your eye on our columns.

A PLAGIARIST.

The Sort of a Thief That Charles Reade Pronounced Himself.

The novelists who aspire toward absolute originality of plot might think once in awhile of the sources from which certain masters drew their inspiration and of the calmness with which those great workers picked up whatever would serve them at their trade. Charles Reade depended on the newspapers as the living record of life as it is. One day in the week he devoted to his scrapbooks. Passing events seemed to him of vital importance, and the result of his collating appeared in novels whose "purpose" told.

In "Never Too Late to Mend" he exposed the cruelties practiced in the prisons before the reform was successful; in "Hard Cash" he attacked the abuses of private lunatic asylums; in "Put Yourself In His Place" he opened on trade unions. He was a modern crusader. One day he found in a newspaper certain strictures on this manner of work. His rage was instant and violent.

"Plagiarist!" he roared, crushing the paper. "Of course I am a plagiarist. Shakespeare was a plagiarist. Moliere was a plagiarist. We all plagiarize—all except those idiots who are too asinine to profit by the works of their superiors. Surely every blockhead out of a lunatic asylum (except those idiots) must know that since Homer's time all authors have parodied his incidents and paraphrased his sentiments. Moliere took his own where he found it. 'The thief of all thieves was the Warwickshire thief,' who stole right and left from everybody. But, then, he 'found things lead and left them gold.' That's the sort of thief I am."—Youth's Companion.

Fiscalitis Is Old.

Fiscalitis is a disease that flourished in England as far back as the fourteenth century, only the tax that was then imposed upon foreign goods was a broken head to the maker of them.

When Wat Tyler's people entered Southwark in 1371 their anger was so great against the Flemish weavers and other workers that they made the pronunciation of "bread and cheese" a test of the honest home worker, and whoever failed to pass it was deemed a Fleming and put to death. A century later Cade's Kentishmen had for one of their cries, "The foreigners forestall the market, and so Englishmen want and starve!"

About 1585 England was called the Asylum Christi, so many were the foreign weavers, brewers, silk workers and jewelers who settled there, and a popular saying in Henry VIII.'s reign, "The French teach us how to make hats and how to take them off," shows the importance of foreign made goods at that time.—London Standard.

The Old Time Pepper Mill.

A pepper mill is a piece of silver not often seen on tables nowadays. English housekeepers, however, still use the pepper mill, and American silversmiths sometimes keep it to meet the demands of old fashioned families who prefer to grind their own pepper rather than risk the chance of adulteration. The pepper mill dates back to the time when pepper was a scarce commodity and was always ground at the table from the peppercorns. Pepper was so valuable in those days that rents were often paid in peppercorns, and the high prices they brought were among the incentives that induced explorers to brave the dangers of the unknown deep. If a short passage could be discovered to the Indies, it was agreed by all that a wealth of pepper could be easily brought to Europe.

The Visible and Invisible.

The wisest Indian philosophy has never boggled, like ours, over that silly word "supernatural." The Upanishad says, "What is in the visible exists also in the invisible, and what is in Brahm's world is also here." The ultimate, albeit unreachable, is as real to the Asiatic mind as rice, and in the Bhagavad-Gita Arjuna is actually permitted to behold the embodied infinite. Indeed it is rather this present existence which India regards as the illusion, the maya. To see the stars we must wait for night, and to live we must die. Nor is it uninteresting to note in Hindoo classics how these large and happy serenities of oriental view have softened personifications of death.—Sir Edwin Arnold.

Old and Good.

Many young men fail in life because they don't know a chance when they have it and only know what is lost when it is too late. These youngsters who want to be masters over the men who are educating them, and to whom they owe the inspiration of their lives, all wind up by being slaves. One lesson for all leaders—learn to obey till you are able to command. This is old and good.—Schoolmaster.

The Celtic Affirmative.

In the speech of so highly developed a people as the Celts there is no equivalent to "yes." Thus it happens that you shall never hear an Irish waiter pronounce the shibboleth "yessir" of his English confrere, for he invariably expresses an affirmative by some such phrase as "I shall, sir," "It is, sir."—Blackwood's Magazine.

"Pleasant."

Nohead (as he prepares to take his leave)—I can assure you, Miss Nicer, the time has passed very pleasantly this evening.

Miss Nicer (absently)—Yes; it is a pleasure to know it has passed.—Scraps.

Everybody knows the phrase "All the world loves a lover," but very few people know that Emerson said it and that he said it in a slightly different way—"All mankind love a lover."

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.

LOST—On Wednesday afternoon, Pocket Book containing money, on Adams or Hancock streets. Finder will please notify MARGARET NONAN, at Mrs. Reed's on Adams street.
Quincy, Jan. 15. 3t

WANTED.

WANTED—In a Quincy centre store, an assistant book-keeper with some experience. Address, stating experience and salary willing to work for, BOOK-KEEPER, Ledger office.
Quincy, Jan. 15. tf

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines steady work. Apply to MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy.
Jan. 13. tf

FOR SALE.

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom made pung, built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILSON
Quincy, Jan. 12. tf

TO LET.

TO LET—48 Revere road, very large Front Room, nicely furnished and heated. $3.00 per week. Nice large bath room in the house, heated also. Quincy, Jan. 16-6t

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street.
Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass.
Dec. 24. tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

TO LET.

House of 8 rooms and bath, No. 240 Goffe St. Furnace, gas, sewer connections, in complete repair and one of the most convenient (yet retired) locations in city. Only small families, with prospects of extended occupancy, need apply. A permanent occupant for one room is obtainable.

R. D. CHASE,
Savings Bank Building.
Quincy, Jan. 12 eod 16 P tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of HotelGreenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust.
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

1904			JANUARY			1904
Su.	Mo.	Tu.	We.	Th.	Fr.	Sa.
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24 31	25	26	27	28	29	30

MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon	3	0:47 a. m.	New Moon	17	10:41 a. m.
Third Quarter	9	4:10 p. m.	First Quarter	25	3:47 p. m.

VIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

ments in this column inserted at the
ates:
s, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
three days, - - - 50 cents
one week, - - - - 75 cents
al lines will be charged for pro rata.
s equal a line. Long term rates fur-
pplication.

LOST.

On Wednesday afternoon, Pocket
containing money, on Adams or
treets. Finder will please notify
ET NONAN, at Mrs. Reed's on
et.
an. 15. 3t

WANTED.

ED—In a Quincy centre store, an
stant book-keeper with some ex-
Address, stating experience and sal-
to work for, BOOK-KEEPER,
ce.
an. 15. tf

ED—Experienced Stitchers, power
chines steady work. Apply to
BUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy.
tf

FOR SALE.

OR SALE—A Custom made pung
for the Grocery and Provision busi-
e runner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILSON
an. 12. tf

TO LET.

—48 Revere road, very large Front
, nicely furnished and heated.
reck. Nice large bath room in the
d also. Quincy, Jan. 16-6t

—Nice tenement containing five
nd bath, furnace heat, situate No.
k street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES
, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank
om 4. Dec. 31-tf

T—Tenements, all improvements,
to J. W. PRATT, 74 Indepen-
e, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
tf

—Two Rooms, furnished or un-
ed. Apply 20 School street.
ov. 23. tf

—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point,
y occupied by L. C. Embree &
to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf
Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

of 7 rooms and bath, all modern
ovements, electric lights, with stable
Point. Within one minute of the
s and within ten minutes' walk of
River Ship and Engine Company
e office of FRANK F. CRANE,
treet, Quincy, Mass.
tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ST MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms
bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of
ilroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per
be leased for one or two years,
required. Apply at the office of
F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street,
ass. Dec. 24-tf

TO LET.

House of 8 rooms and bath, No.
240 Goff St. Furnace, gas, sewer
connections, in complete repair and
most convenient (yet retired) loca
y. Only small families, with pros
tended occupancy, need apply. A
occupant for one room is obtainable.
R. D. CHASE,
Savings Bank Building.
an. 12 eod 16 p tf

TO LET.

ent Offices in the new
Building, City Square. A good
y for lawyers.
and Ante-Rooms in the
Block. These are all furnished
d, and will be let permanently
privilege of sub-letting, or for
hts each month.
shed Lodging Rooms in
rgin-Merrill Block. Most con-
Offices in the Durgin-Merrill
y one flight up, and right at the
e stairs. These will be let separ-
ogether. A good chance for a
e in Music Hall Block.
f a Store. Price very
nement—recently papered—four
s, besides ample closets, etc.—city
Granite street, in the rear of
nical.
ce in Hancock Chambers—up
ad at the head of the stairs.
nished Lodging Rooms
onvenient.
y or Shop on Granite street,
e of HotelGreenleaf.
y or Shop—just put in good
p on the ground floor, in the
ic Hall Block.

y Real Estate Trust.
ll Block, QUINCY.

JANUARY 1904

	Tu.	We.	Th.	Fr.	Sa.
				1	2
	5	6	7	8	9
1	12	13	14	15	16
3	19	20	21	22	23
5	26	27	28	29	30

OON'S PHASES.

3 0:47 a. m. New Moon 17 10:41 a. m.
9 4:10 p. m. First Quarter 25 3:41 p. m.

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 15. QUINCY, MASS., MONDAY, JANUARY 18, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

Historical House Which Should be Saved.

Ex-Mayor Quincy Becomes a Widower.

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,
DRUGGIST,
1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON
Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

— OUR —

Capitol Shoe

FOR BOYS.

Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.

Sizes 12 to 2	**$1.75**
Sizes 2½ to 5½	**$2.00**

The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.

Every Pair Warranted.

GEORGE W. JONES,
Adams Building, - QUINCY.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in al. parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,
Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

WILL NOT BUY.

Dorothy Q House Too Much of An Undertaking

For Daughters of Revolution.

Final Action Taken at Meeting on Saturday.

At the meeting of the State society of the Daughters of the Revolution, at hotel Vendome, Boston, on Saturday afternoon there was a lengthy discussion over buying the Dorothy Q house, in this city.

The matter has been under consideration for nearly a year and the committee has given it much thought. The price asked and the amount needed to put the house in good condition seemed a heavy burden for the society to undertake, although all hoped the old house would be saved to future generations. Miss Sarah Hunt of Salem spoke several times in favor of the Daughters buying the house. Other speakers in favor were Mrs. Nelson V. Titus and Miss Almira Simmons, but the sentiment was, it was too much of an undertaking.

The motion was put and carried that the committee be disbanded and the buying of the Dorothy Q house at Quincy be dropped.

At the close of the business meeting Mr. Abram E. Brown gave an interesting address on "What Peter Faneuil gave to Boston."

A social hour followed. Chocolate, coffee and light refreshments were served from a dainty round table by four Daughters and a corps of assistants. It was a very pleasant meeting and attended by from one to two hundred Daughters; among them a good representation from Adams chapter of this city.

—The various periodicals about the country are stocked full of hints as to how to attain fame and fortune. Courses in this, that and the other ology or business are offered, and apparently the only thing requisite for one to succeed in life is to send for Jimjohn's course of instructions and read them, and, presto! Dame Fortune stands waiting. All of which reads very prettily and accomplishes the work for which it was intended. It catches victims, and generally bleeds them very successfully. About the best incentive to become famous or wealthy is poverty. The man who has, in the words of an old philosopher, to "git up and git," is the one to accomplish great things. Give a young man health, grit, poverty, ambition, and if he does not accomplish wonders, it will be because he does not live long enough to carry out his plans.—Dedham Transcript.

—Cotton and clams are to be two features of the exhibit of Rhode Island at the St. Louis exhibition with a clam bake annex, where to the uninitiated will be revealed the crowning achievement and pride of Rhode Island gastronomy.

By C. H. JOHNSON, - - Auctioneer.
Office, Room 3, Adams Building.

City Square Auction Room.
Large Auction Sale
— OF —

Household Furniture

At City Square Auction Room, Old Court Room Building, on

Friday, Jan. 22, 1904,
At 2 P. M.

These goods consist in part as follows:
25 Chairs, 3 Child's Rockers, 10 High Chairs, Marble Top Bureau, 5 Commodes, 2 Extension Tables, Carpets, 2 Art Squares, 2 White Iron Beds, Pictures, Counter Scales, 4 Show Cases, Range, Cylinder Stove, Tables, What Not, Flag, Baby Carriage, 7 Clothes Baskets, Lot Agate Ware, Sewing Machines,

100 PAIR RUBBERS ALL SIZES,

50 Desks and Chairs, from the old Washington School, and a variety of goods.

Goods received for Storage at City Square Auction Rooms. Jan. 18-2t--18 22

A GRAND REVIVAL.

Remarkable Meeting at the United Presbyterian Church.

Very interesting and solemn meetings were held at the United Presbyterian church Sunday all day.

The Sabbath school had decision day services and twenty-eight definitely accepted Christ.

The men's meeting was largely attended and very impressive.

The Christian Endeavor meeting led by Mrs. Downs of Spencer was also very helpful. Two young ladies gave themselves to God at the close of the service.

The evening service was one of great power. The church was full. The quartette sang very impressively, "No Man hath Cared for my Soul."

Rev. Kenyon preached from Heb. 2:3, "How shall we escape if we neglect so great salvation," a most searching and impressive sermon. Declaring most emphatically and conclusively from reason and scripture that there is a place of torment for all who reject Christ, and powerfully arraigning men and women who accept the Bible as the word of God, for their neglect and carelessness, and the hypocrisies of many professing Christians for their inconsistencies.

At the close of the service 12 stepped out on the Lord's side.

One of the striking things about these meetings is the number of professing Christians that find they have never been converted. This is one of the best signs of the genuineness of the revival.

The meetings will continue all the week at 7.30.

A meeting for prayer at 7 in the lecture room.

A meeting for children on Wednesday at 3.30. All children invited.

A meeting for women only, will be held at 3, on Thursday.

A day of fasting and prayer on Friday from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Program of services announced later.

A meeting for men and women at 3 next Sabbath.

The meetings are open to everybody.

TO PREVENT THE GRIP.

Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause. To get the genuine, call for the full name. 25c.

—New York shipyards are seeking but little work because of the prevalence of strikes.

—Mr. Andrew Carnegie has set apart $4,000,000, the interest upon which is to form a perpetual fund to relieve workmen injured in the Carnegie plants and to aid the heirs of those killed while at work. Married men injured will receive $1 daily, idle and single men 75 cents, while children under 16 will receive 10 cents daily. In case an employe is killed while at work, $500 will be given to his family and $100 will go to the family of any child under 16 who meets death while at work.

☞ Main Spring while you wait. Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

ORDER YOUR
SUNDAY DINNER
— AT —

PRATT'S

The Best of Everything and Money Saved.

Fresh Eastern Fowl,	15 cts. lb
Face Rump Roast,	14 cts. lb
Fresh Pork Roast,	14 cts. lb
Best Rump Steak,	25 cts. lb
N. Y. Rump Steak,	12 1-2 cts. lb
Hebron Potatoes,	30 cts. pk
Fancy Celery,	20 cts. bunch
Large Prunes,	3 lbs. 25 cts
Bordeaux Catsup,	3 bot. 25 cts.
Baltimore Peaches,	15 cts. can
Pea Beans,	8 cts. qt

The Coffee we like to sell is OUR VERY BEST
Mocha and Java, 35c. lb
We have others at lower prices.

L. M. PRATT & SON.

BASKET BALL.

A Hot and Close Game at St. Mary's Hall.

There was a red hot game of basket ball at St. Mary's hall Saturday night. The contesting teams were the St. Marys and Columbia A. A. of Cambridge. Roughness characterized the game throughout and both teams were penalized. The game resulted in a victory for St. Marys by the close score of 20 to 19.

ST. MARY'S.	COLUMBIA A. A.
McGilvary, rf.	lb., Gormley
Morrill, lf.	rb., Hale
Barry, c.	c., Holden
Weston, c.	
Mullen, rb.	lf., Townsend
Donovan, lb.	rf., Nover

Score—St. Mary's 20, Columbia 19. Goals from floor—Morrill 2, McGilvary 2, Donovan, Weston, Holden 3, Hale 2, Townsend. Goals from fouls—Donovan 5, Morrill, Holden 3, Hale 2, Townsend. Referee—Forbes. Umpire—Murphy. Scorer—Geary. Timer—Joyce. Time—20 minute periods. Attendance, 400.

Salary of Judge of Probate.

Another injustice to a Norfolk County official is pointed out in the salary proposed for the judge of probate. The Globe says: One of the criticisms leveled at the report of the committee is aimed at the plan of compensation for salaries of judges of probate. The compensation for judges of probate is based on population. The Criticism made is that this is wrong and that the compensation should be based on the property valuation which goes through the court.

A prominent house lawyer, who does not come from Norfolk county, by the way, in conversation with a representative of the Globe, pointed to the fact that if the committee's recommendations were adopted the salary of the probate court judge of Norfolk county would remain as at present, $2800, as would also Worcester and Essex at $4500, while the salary of the probate judge of Bristol county would be increased from $3000 to $4000.

His point was that a much larger property valuation went through the probate court of Norfolk county than through either of the others, but with the population as the basis for fixing the salary the Norfolk judge of probate gets paid much less in proportion for the work he does than the judges of probate in the other counties.

All the property of the state, it is figured, passes through the probate court once in a generation, and the suggestion is made that it would not be unwise to establish a circuit court of probate for eastern Massachusetts, where the bulk of work is done.

Recital.

The announcement of a recital of English poetry and poetical extracts by the Hon. William Everett of Quincy is an occasion of satisfaction to the many persons who have heard his eloquent rendering of verse at the Lowell lectures and elsewhere, says the Herald. Mr. Everett's method gives full value to rhythm and is the classic method, one slighted by the modern "schools of oratory" and up-to-date elocutionists, but it appeals to all lovers of scholarship and harmony. The reading is to take place at Mr. R. S. Bradley's, 411 Commonwealth avenue, on Jan. 19 at 4 o'clock. The Rt. Rev. William Lawrence, Judge Robert Grant, Mr. Ernest Jackson, Mr. Augustus P. Loring, Mr. Henry F. Sears and Dr. John Collins Warren lend their names to the circular.

A Great Bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hollis of Taylor street, South Braintree, have suffered a severe loss in eight days, in the sudden death of all three of their little children. On Sunday, Jan. 10, diphtheria, claimed their infant daughter, and just a week later their bright little boys, Harry and Clayton, in their fourth and third years, died of scarlet fever. Mr. and Mrs. Hollis are now childless, and their loss is a sad one which few can realize.

December Shipment.

The returns from the three railroad shipping terminal for the month of December show the amount of granite shipped for that month to have been 88,299,722 pounds. Of this amount West Quincy forwarded 3,882,040 pounds; South Quincy 3,719,682 pounds and the Quarry railroad 698,000 pounds.

The annual meeting of the City Hospital incorporators will be held this evening.

SUDDEN DEATH.

Mrs. Josiah Quincy, wife of the Ex-Mayor.

Passes Away at Biarritz, France.

Was the Widow of Prof. W. R. Tyler of This City.

The Quincy friends of Mrs. Josiah Quincy were surprised this morning to learn of her death, which came suddenly on Saturday at Biarritz, a watering place on the bay of Biscay, France.

The cause of death was not given in the telegrams received, and none were aware of serious illness.

The Globe says: The few persons in the city who have periodically heard from Mr. Quincy have been given to understand that Mrs. Quincy had never been thoroughly well since the birth of her son at Biarritz on May 15. During the summer and fall she appeared to be gaining strength so slowly that Mr. Quincy did not feel that he could return to this country and take part in the state campaign in behalf of Col. Gaston. He did not offer this as the reason for his decision to remain in France, but it is believed now that Mrs. Quincy was then in a much weaker condition than her relatives and friends in Boston realized.

Mrs. Quincy was 42 years old. She was born and brought up in Boston, her father being Dr. Franz Hugo Krebs of Union Park street. As a girl she exhibited literary talent, and was ever a student rather than a lover of social diversions.

When she was about 20 years old she was married to Prof. William R. Tyler, a scholarly man. Soon after the marriage Prof. Tyler accepted the appointment to be head master of Adams academy at Quincy. They lived in Quincy for some years, Mrs. Tyler becoming one of the most popular entertainers in that city. Prof. Tyler and Josiah Quincy, who then lived in Quincy, were the closest of friends, and Mr. Quincy was frequently entertained at the Tyler home.

Prof. Tyler died in November, 1897, of pneumonia. Soon after the widow went abroad with her son Royal and placed him in school at Harrow. While she was watching the education of her son the mother kept in touch with her friends here, writing letters that were entertaining narratives of life and customs abroad. During this time she wrote a number of humorous sketches that were highly praised abroad. She also displayed marked talent in water color sketching.

Mrs. Tyler married Josiah Quincy at St. George's church, London, on Feb. 17, 1900. During her residence in England Mrs. Quincy had won the regard of all of the prominent Americans, and was a favorite guest at the social functions given by the U. S. ambassador and those attached to the embassy. All the notable Americans then in London attended the marriage ceremony, James R. Carter, second secretary of the embassy, being the groomsman. The bride was given away by her son, Royal Tyler.

For several months after the marriage Mr. and Mrs. Quincy lived in England and traveled on the continent. The following year Mrs. Quincy came to Boston with her husband and remained here some months.

In 1902 Mr. and Mrs. Quincy returned abroad, where Mrs. Quincy remained while her husband returned here on short business trips. Mr. Quincy went to Europe the last time in March of last year. He joined Mrs. Quincy in France and took her to Biarritz, which is the fashionable watering place of the southeastern coast of France. There during the season may be met the wealth and fashion of continental Europe.

On May 15 last Mrs. Quincy gave birth to a son. The reports stated that the baby was in excellent health, and Mrs. Quincy at first was said to be making most favorable progress toward recovery. But later letters from Biarritz indicated that even the favoring conditions of climate and environment were not restoring her as her husband and friends could have wished. Yet no one though that there was any reason to fear any fatal result of her ir disposition.

Mrs. Quincy leaves two sons, the elder Royal Tyler, being 17 years old, and th younger 8 months. Her parents, D and Mrs. Krebs a brother and a younge sister, live in Boston.

The body will be brought to Bosto for interment.

The Mount Wollaston associates w hold a whist party in I. O. O. F. ha Adams building, on Wednesday eve ing.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

JANUARY
MARK DOWN SALE
— OF —

COATS.

New up-to-date Coats
Were $7.98, now **$5.00.**
Were $7.98, now **$6.98.**

We have only 2 Zibeline Coats left.
Prices, $17.98 and $25.00.
Choice now, **$12.98.**

Every Coat in the store Marked Down.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

DO YOU COUGH
DON'T DELAY
TAKE KEMP'S
BALSAM
THE BEST COUGH CURE

It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.

TO-DAY

And Every Day until the Bankrupt Stock of

C. F. DERBY

Is Closed out we will se

MEN'S and BOYS'

CLOTHING,

Furnishings and Hats

At Lower Prices than any other store.

COME AT ONCE
For Best Bargains.

You want good goods for a little money. We want the cash. Here is your opportunity.

BANKRUPT SALE,
Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

FRANK FESSENDEN CRANE, Auctioneer.
Office: 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy.

LARGE AND ATTRACTIVE

AUCTION SALE

Of Household Furniture and other goods a Store of Frank F. Crane, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, TUESDAY, January 19, 1904, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The household furniture consists of 1 Mahogany Frame Lounge, newly upholstered, 1 Haircloth Sofa, second-hand Tete-a-tete, 3 Odd Parlor Chairs, newly upholstered, 1 Piano Chair, leather seat, brass trimmed, 2 Parlor Chairs, black frames, newly upholstered in light colors, 2 Parlor Chairs, newly upholstered in dark colors, 1 Rattan Rocker, 1 Lady's Rocker, 1 Child's Rocker, Elegant Black Walnut Hat Tree, 1 Oak Writing Desk, 1 Music Stool, 1 Packing Chest, 1 Sewing Machine, 2 Marble Top Tables, 4 Bamboo Easels, 2 Child's Cradles, 1 Black Walnut Bureau, marble top, 1 Oak Bureau, small size, 1 Pine Bureau, small size, 1 Melodeon, 2 White Iron Bedsteads, 1 Oak Bedstead, 1 Pine Bedstead, 1 Oak Child's Crib, 3 Hassocks, 1 large Dictionary and Stand, 2 Clocks, 3 Stove Boards, 4 Flat Irons, 1 piece of Rope, 1 piece of Oilcloth, several yards of Linoleum, 6 Tea Pots, 4 Cuspidors, several pictures, lot of Crockery and Glassware, and various other goods too numerous to mention.

Sale positive. Terms Cash.

N. B. These goods are consigned to us without any limit or reserves, and positively will be sold to the highest bidder. Jan. 16-2t

Mortgagee's Sale.

To George W. Cummings and all others interested.

PURSUANT to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given to the Wildey Savings Bank by George W. Cummings, dated July 28th, 1902, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 927, page 544, will be sold at public auction on the premises described in said mortgage for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, on THURSDAY, February eleventh, 1904, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the real estate described in said deed, two lots of land situated on Squantum and Clark streets, in Quincy, Mass., and being lots 5 and 6 and lot marked "Sold" on a plan of lots owned by the "Atlantic Land Co., 1893, H. S. Whitman, C. E.," recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book of plans 702, page 640, and is bounded northerly by said Squantum street, one hundred feet; easterly by lot 2, 3, 4, and part of lots of owners unknown, two hundred and sixteen feet; southerly by lot 7 on said plan, one hundred feet; and westerly by said Clark street, two hundred and sixteen and 12-100 feet. Said premises will be sold subject to any existing restrictions and unpaid taxes, if any, together with all benefit and equity of redemption of the said Cummings, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns therein.

Terms made known at the time and place of sale.

WILDEY SAVINGS BANK, Mortgagee.
Boston, Jan. 9, 1904.

For further information apply to Tirrell, Adams and Tirrell, Solicitors, 42 Court street, Boston, Mass.

Jan. 11. 3t-11-18-25

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

CHARLES N. DESHAYES,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased:

WHereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Louis Bernier of Quincy, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-seventh day of January, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

Jan. 7. 3t-7, 11 18

CARD.

Mrs. F. H. Hewins,

—: Formerly in the :—

Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations

METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.

Offices:

128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.

Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903 tf

ANASTASIA A. HUGHES,

Teacher of Piano and Organ,

Will receive pupils Fridays and Saturdays. For terms address 1562 Hancock Street, QUINCY, MASS.

Jan. 13. 6t

SKATES SHARPENED.

Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .

24 Granite Street,

NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.

Dec. 21. 1m

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple,	$8.00
Dry Pine Wood,	7.00
Dry Pine Slabs,	6.00
Green Hard Wood,	7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.

THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,

Yard between Miller and West Streets.
Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.
Quincy, Jan. 6. 1p-tf

W. A. BRADFORD,

Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting,

Jobbing promptly attended to.

Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.
Open Monday and Saturday evenings.
Telephone 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

Those who think real estate values are high on the leading business street of Quincy should glance at the figures for Tremont street, Boston. While $1 per foot is about the maximum on Hancock street, land on Tremont street at the corner of Winter is taxed $125 and $130 per foot.

The Boston papers appear to have picked out delegates from this district to the National Republican convention. The Herald and Globe both name Robert G. Proctor of Quincy and Harrison H. Atwood of Boston. Mr. Proctor is the private secretary of Senator Lodge, and usually spends a few months of the year at Houghs Neck. Many will be surprised to learn that he is a voter of Quincy. Mr. Atwood is the ex-Congressman who bobs up at every Congressional election.

Drift of Opinion.

☞Japan is not a small country and the Japanese are not a weak people. There are some 42,000,000 Japanese. The empire contains about 150,000 square miles, or one quarter more area than England, Scotland and Wales. In other words, the Japanese empire is considerably larger than Great Britain, and contains about 10,000,000 more people. It is fortunate in being an island realm, so that it cannot be attacked except from the sea. This, in view of its powerful navy, probably superior to that of Russia, gives it a tremendous advantage in war with the northern empire.—Gunton's Magazine.

☞Now it is said by the Boston Transcript and others that the corporations did not create the Frothingham speakership boom, but only joined in the shouting after it was created, and they foresaw its success. Perhaps that can be judged later on better than at the present time, especially if some matters in which some of the large corporations are vitally interested come up for legislative consideration. Of course it is not fair to accuse the speaker of being in debt to the corporations at this early stage of proceedings.—Haverhill Gazette.

☞You can live with a very small expenditure of money if you know what to buy. In point let me say that I noticed a display sign in front of a big grocery a morning or two since. It read: "Two pounds of prunes for five cents. Three pounds of rice, ten cents." In those two items are elements of life, health and strength, perhaps not for months and years, but for a time, at least. To them add bread and a little sugar to make the rice more palatable, and a quarter of a dollar will keep a small family for two or three days. If you are broke and without credit try the diet for a day or two. You will eat with a relish if you are really hungry.—Cincinnati Tribune.

☞The time for a change has come. We want fewer professional lawmakers, however honorable they may be. We want fewer men who are eager to undertake legislation of the experimental kind. We want fewer partisans in the business. We want fewer lawmakers who do not know beforehand whether a bill is in conflict with the constitution or with other laws. We want fewer main-chance men, with clients to represent before legislative bodies. We want fewer and stronger men in our legislative bodies. We want less delay and failure in the courts, and less campaign politics in the court houses. We want peace officers who can afford to do their duty and who will dare to do it, even when the mob runs up into the thousands and the prospective victim is a vicious negro. We want to quit our foolishness.—Galveston, Tex., News.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

☞ Eyeglasses fitted scientifically. No guess work.—Williams.

—The cruiser Charleston will be launched at Newport News on Saturday.

WORLD'S SYMPATHY

Japan Expects to Receive It In the Event of Hostilities

CONSIDERS DEMAND FAIR

Hopes That American Activity In Manchuria May Aid In Preserving Peace--Optimistic Feeling In Russian War Circles

Tokio, Jan. 18.—Japan does not anticipate Russia's rejoinder for at least one week. In the meantime the nation is prepared and grimly reconciled to war. Political and other distinctions have disappeared and the country is patriotically united. The government is receiving many offers of money contributions in the event of war.

The Japanese people would welcome an honorable peace, but are resolved to fight before receding from their position in Oriental affairs. They fear the aggression of Russia and believe if it is not stopped now it will never be stopped. They are confident that their demands are fair and moderate and that their diplomacy, which has been patient, has gone to a reasonable limit. They expect the world's sympathy in the struggle and have a splendid confidence in their army and navy.

In the event of reverses or a national disaster it is thought that England and the United States would intervene to preserve a balance of power in eastern Asia. There is no fear of an invasion of Japan, a country which is probably the most strongly defended in the world.

The growth of British and American sentiment is remarked. Numerous displays of the flags of the two nations are made and popular songs reciting the glories of the "Lion" and "Uncle Sam" are sung. The characters of "Uncle Sam" and "Johnny Bull" are also seen at public dances.

The activity of the United States in the opening of the ports of Mukden and Antung is keenly watched and in some quarters it is hoped that this may aid in solving the problem of insuring peace. The censorship prohibits the publication of military movements. At present the movements are merely preliminary and aimed to insure an immediate dispatch of an immense land and sea force if it should become necessary.

Pacific Feeling In Russia

St. Petersburg, Jan. 18.—The czar's pacific utterances made during the New Year's reception at the winter palace in St. Petersburg last Thursday, together with the favorable comments of the foreign press which have been reproduced here, have created a splendid impression and have also had a good effect in perceptibly diminishing the war talk in army and navy circles, which were quick to take their cue from the assurances coming from the throne.

The newspapers which have been discussing the far eastern situation with considerable freedom have almost grown silent and what they do say is commendatory of the improved prospects of peace.

Manchuria the Stumbling Block

London, Jan. 18.—In what it claims as an authoritative statement, The Daily Graphic announces that the negotiations have arrived at a stage leaving two points upon which neither Russia nor Japan is inclined to yield and as to which no means of a compromise have yet been found. Both these points concern Manchuria and their acceptance would not in the slightest modify the legal status quo or change the administrative situation in Manchuria, but Japan insists "that they be embodied in a treaty between Japan and Russia, while Russia, as a matter of amour propre, refuses to accept such dictation at the hands of Japan. Much, however, is still hoped from the czar's influence. The statement adds: "Of course any attempt of Russia to increase very largely her naval forces in the far east by moving her Black sea or Baltic fleets would make war a question of only a few hours."

American Legation's Guard

Washington, Jan. 18.—The navy department has received advices of the reinforcement of the American guard at the United States legation at Seoul. There are now 100 or more men from the Vicksburg at Seoul guarding the legation. They have a machine gun. The dispatches show the native press to be somewhat inflammatory in its utterances against foreigners.

Protection For Italian Minister

Rome, Jan. 18.—Although 20 sailors from the Italian cruiser Elba have been landed to protect the Italian minister at Seoul, the legation building cannot be easily defended, and Minister Monaco has been instructed in case of danger to take refuge in the British legation, where the Italian sailors will join the British bluejackets.

America In Japanese Camp

London, Jan. 18.—The Times' Tokio correspondent says that in recent speeches by publicists the claim was made that Japan is fighting for Anglo-Saxon ideals in Asia, instead of military despotism and that several Tokio journals rejoice that "America is now in the same camp with Japan."

Russia Asks China For Troops

London, Jan. 18.—The Standard's Tien Tsin correspondent says it is reported that Russia has asked China to send 15,000 troops to Manchuria to protect Chinese subjects.

CONFESSES MURDER

Blondin Throws Light on What Has Long Been a Mystery

Boston, Jan. 18.—A confession made by J. W. Blondin, who was convicted of the murder of his wife and sentenced to life imprisonment in the state prison at Charlestown, has reached the state police. Blondin's confession is at variance with the claim set up at the trial by the authorities of Suffolk county, that Mrs. Blondin was murdered in the house on Green street, Boston, where the couple lived.

In his statement Blondin says that he killed his wife at Chelmsford, to which place he had enticed her, within a short distance of the place where her body was found decapitated some days after the murder. He says that he strangled her by the roadside and carried her body into the woods and cut off the head with his knife. He threw the head into the nearby stream, where it was later found.

Woman Handled Shotgun

Greenfield, Mass., Jan. 18.—George Pike, a farmhand, was shot in the leg and hand at Monroe Bridge and Mrs. Herman B. Phelps is to appear in the district court here to answer to the charge of having shot him. Pike and Mrs. Phelps' husband returned from North Adams and it is said that they had a disagreement over some matter on the way. Phelps, fearing that Pike would do him harm, stepped into a store and telephoned to his wife to bring his shotgun down. She met Pike on the way and shot him. Pike's injuries are not serious.

Shoe Factory Flooded

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 18.—A small fire was responsible for a very heavy water damage in the shoe factory of J. H. Winchell. The factory is a six-story structure and the blaze broke out on the fifth floor. The automatic sprinkler operated and the entire building below the sixth floor was flooded. Over 1000 cases of shoes were ruined and about 5000 odd shoes were badly damaged. Nearly all of the machinery in the factory was injured. Seven hundred employes are thrown out of work temporarily.

Charged With Stealing Books

Hyde Park, Mass., Jan. 18.—Police searched the residence of Frederick H. Bates in this town and removed over $3500 worth of books which it is alleged Bates had taken from the public libraries at Boston, Andover and this place, and from Boston and Brown universities. Bates was taken to Boston by police inspectors of that city, charged with larceny. He is 26 years old and claims to be a newspaper and magazine writer.

Said to Have Used Poison

Bennington, Vt., Jan. 18.—Eugene Sargobb o Arlington is under arrest on the charge of attempting to poison Samuel Hicks of that town and his housekeeper, Carrie Hicks. He was brought to the jail in this city. In addition Sargobb is charged with poisoning two colts belonging to Hicks, both of which died. An examination which followed disclosed poison in the stomachs of both animals.

Blind Man Saved Lives

West Falmouth, Me., Jan. 18.—The farm buildings of Robert H. Whitney were destroyed by fire. Whitney, who is blind, was awakened by the roar of the flames and managed to alarm his housekeeper and man, and then, unassisted, went to the stable and took out 11 head of cattle, two horses and his carriages. The loss is $11,000. It is supposed that the fire caught from a defective chimney.

Perished From Cold

Northampton, Mass., Jan. 18.—An autopsy on the body of Thomas McKeon, which was found on the bank of the Connecticut river at Smith's Ferry, resulted in a verdict of death by accident. The examination indicated that a wound on the forehead was sustained by falling against a rail, and that McKeon, weakened by his injury, was frozen to death.

Horses Burned to Death

Boston, Jan. 18.—Fifteen horses were burned alive in a fire that broke out shortly after midnight in a four-story wooden structure on Rutherford avenue, in which were located the sales stables of Morse & Hardy. The building was considerably damaged. The blaze originated in a part of the structure that was unoccupied.

Worried Over Assignment

Biddeford, Me., Jan. 18.—Worried by business difficulties, Harry S. Twambley a jeweler, ended his life with poison. He was associated with his father in business. About a week ago the firm made an assignment and Twambley had been very much depressed ever since.

Reid Trail Is Lost

Rutland, Vt., Jan. 18.—Sheriff Peabody has received word from Glens Falls, N. Y., that the search for William J. Reid, who escaped from the Springfield, Mass., jail, is at a standstill so far as any definite clue to the man's whereabouts is concerned.

Red Ash Miners Win Strike

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Jan. 18.—The miners of the Red Ash Coal company have called off the strike which has been so for six months past. The company agreed to reinstate the discharged driver boys, whose dismissal caused the strike. Work was resumed today. This is a decided victory for the miners.

Italians Flock to United States

Rome, Jan. 18.—The United States continues to be the chief direction of Italian emigration, the number of emigrants going there in 1903 reaching a total of nearly 250,000.

CITY BREVITIES.

The new freight house at Quincy Adams is nearly completed.

It snowed just enough Saturday to make walking rather slippery.

A freight forwarding agency has opened an office at Quincy Adams.

Uncle Tom's Cabin Company had a big house at Music hall, and a very good production was given.

Mrs. Margaret Alice, wife of Mr. William P. Ames formerly of Quincy, died at Winthrop on Friday, Jan. 15, aged 49 years.

Oh, yes, Quincy Music hall has an asbestos curtain, and has had for some time. Under the new rules it is used more, being lowered before and after each play.

Reyes Postpones Departure

New York, Jan. 18.—General Reyes, Colombia's special envoy to the United States, did not sail on the steamer Alleghany for Cartagena as he had said he would. When seen at the Hoffman house, Reyes said: "I decided not to sail, nor do I know just when I shall start." He refused to give his reason for changing his plans.

Train Wreckers Foiled

Pensacola, Fla., Jan. 18.—Robbers attempted to wreck a passenger train at Mulat last night. Cross ties and other obstructions were piled on the track, but the attempt was discovered by a section hand before the arrival of the train. Sheriff VanPelt and a deputy sheriff, with bloodhounds, have left here to search for the wreckers.

Run Down by a Train

Canaan, N. H., Jan. 18.—Frank Bill, aged 41, was killed by a train while driving from Enfield to this place. Bill's team, on reaching a crossing, turned from the road and followed the railroad track for some distance, when they were run down by the train. The horses were killed and the wagon demolished.

Pepper's Long Journey

Mexico City, Jan. 19.—Charles K. Pepper, representative of the United States government for the projected Pan-American railway, has left here for home after a journey of 25,000 miles and visiting the capitals of 21 different governments.

Troops to Get Their Pay

Constantinople, Jan. 18.—Orders have been sent by the government to the government of Beirut, Syria, to pay the arrears due the Turkish troops there, the non-payment of which has kept the troops in a mutinous condition.

Smallpox Closes Schools

Lockport, N. Y., Jan. 18.—All public and private schools in this city were closed today. There are now 21 cases of smallpox under treatment and a large number of persons have been exposed to contagion.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Tuesday, Jan. 19.
Sun rises—7:10; sets—4:40.
Moon sets—6:53 p. m.
High water—12:15 a. m.; 12:30 p. m.

Fair weather has prevailed in eastern districts under the influence of a high pressure of great magnitude. Fair weather will continue in New England.

Pale Women Your blood may be turning to water—becoming thin and weak. You are easily tired, unequal to the duties or pleasures of life. You need iron, the greatest of all blood tonics and nutrients, itself a natural constituent of healthy, ruddy blood; and you can derive the most good from it as combined in the new iron tonic, Peptiron Pills, which are pleasant to take, agreeable to the stomach, and readily assimilated by the most delicate system. *Must Have Iron*

Peptiron Pills (Chocolate-coated) Cure anemia from whatever cause; ironize the blood, give healthy color to pale cheeks, lips and ears, create an appetite, aid digestion, steady the nerves, and promote refreshing sleep.

Peptiron Pills 50c. or $1—the latter a full month's treatment. Prepared by C. I. HOOD CO., Hood's Sarsaparilla, Lowell, Mass.

Selling Agent in Quincy:
E. J. Murphy, 1657 Hancock St.

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

JOHN STREIFERD & SON,
FLORISTS.
Telephone 13-7 Braintree.
Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.
Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

LEDGER ADS.

PAY BEST

"LIKE MOTHER USED TO MAKE."
NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT
In 10c Packages with List of Valuable Premiums.

JANUARY
MARK DOWN
PARLOR STOVES and BLANKETS.

Nearly three months more of cold weather. The greatest opportunity ever offered to buy

PARLOR STOVES, WINTER BLANKETS OR COMFORTERS.

We have cut the price of our Parlor Stoves 1-4 to 1-3 from regular prices. The same saving on comforters and blankets, making prices less than the goods cost to make.

PARLOR STOVES, $3.25 and up.
BLANKETS, 45c. and up.
COMFORTERS, 75c. and up.

Prices here on House Furnishings are lower than in any other store.

Cash or Credit. Green Trading Stamps.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store,
Hancock Street, Quincy.
We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

LIGHT!
Do not waste your money on Inferior Gas Lamps.
Get the Genuine 20th Century Light.
Burns by actual test 4 cubic feet of Gas per Hour.
Light effectually 100 candle power.
These lights on exhibition at
W. A. BRADFORD'S,
PLUMBING, HEATING, LIGHTING,
Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.
Jan. 14. 6t

NOVELETTES
Will be a Feature for Several Weeks
OF THE
SATURDAY EIGHT-PAGE LEDGER.

EVERY STORY
IS
COPYRIGHTED AND ILLUSTRATED
AND ARE BY
Distinguished Writers.

Some Are 6 and 7 Columns in Length.

LONG ISLAND
OYSTERS
Solid, 38 cts. quart.
Genuine Quincy Eggs, 45c. dozen.
Meadowbrook Creamery,
QUINCY, MASS.

PICTURES
FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.
OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
Jan. 31. tf

MAIN SPRINGS
Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.
Work called for and delivered.
SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

HALL and BURGESS,
Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

Hote Greenleaf
Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

O MAKE."
EMEAT
able Premiums.

NKETS.
f cold weather.
red to buy
COMFORTERS.
Stoves 1-4 to 1-3
comforters and
cost to make.
p.
75c. and up.
e lower than in
ding Stamps.
& CO.
ure Store,
Quincy.
Evenings.

F!
Gas Lamps.
ntury Light.
s per Hour.
ver.
ORD'S,
IGHTING,
Quincy, Mass.
Ct

TES
eral Weeks
LEDGER.
ORY
USTRATED
riters.
s in Length.
ND
RS
uart,
45c. dozen.
eamery,
s.
d BURGESS,
Mortgages, Insurance.
RS and APPRAISERS.
e. Notary Public
collected.
m 13, Adams Building.
1y
Greenleaf
Renovated.
Room Strictly First Class.
LINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
tf
NTING
Glazing.
. HAYWARD
chanic Street.
tf

NOW OPEN

THE CONSOLIDATED

FISH MARKET

AT HANCOCK MARKET,

Cor. Saville Street and Hancock Street, QUINCY MASS.

PLEASE SEND IN YOUR ORDERS EARLY TO EITHER STORE.

Your Opportunity Has Come.

Again we call Special Attention to our

Second Annual Bargain

AND

Clearance Sale

OF

Winter Overcoats

Ulsters, Reefers and Storm Coats.

The rush of the busy season, and season of Profit to us, is all over, and now comes the time for Close Buyers and

BARGAIN SEEKERS.

We propose to keep the business coming as in the past by offering our Winter Stock of Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers and Storm Coats, at prices that force their sale and clean out our stock in preparation for the coming season.

We do not advertise to sell at less than Cost of the Material they are made of, but we do guarantee to sell you at considerable less than than you can buy the same quality for elsewhere.

You are cordially invited to call and examine our Stock whether you wish to purchase or not.

DON'T MISS YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

WE GIVE GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

F D. FELLOWS CO.,

Reliable Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers,

1387 Hancock Street, Quincy.

SEEN ON THE STREET.

Shawl-like Fur Stoles—Black Velvet and Chiffon Velours.

One of the most novel walking costumes seen recently was of almond green cloth, trimmed with tiny green buttons. The coat was trimmed with four little capes, and the large sleeves appeared to be laid in successive folds after the fashion of the cape. The skirt of the coat was also trimmed at the lower edge with tucks, and the

CREAM CREPE DE CHINE DRESS.

skirt proper was trimmed at the bottom with five similar folds. This skirt was very full and barely escaped the ground.

Some of the new stoles are much too wide and are likely to detract from one's height. The well dressed woman will take these matters into consideration and only choose what is in good proportion according to her height.

Black chiffon velours and velvet are the very smartest black materials Black broadcloth is not seen so much this winter as formerly.

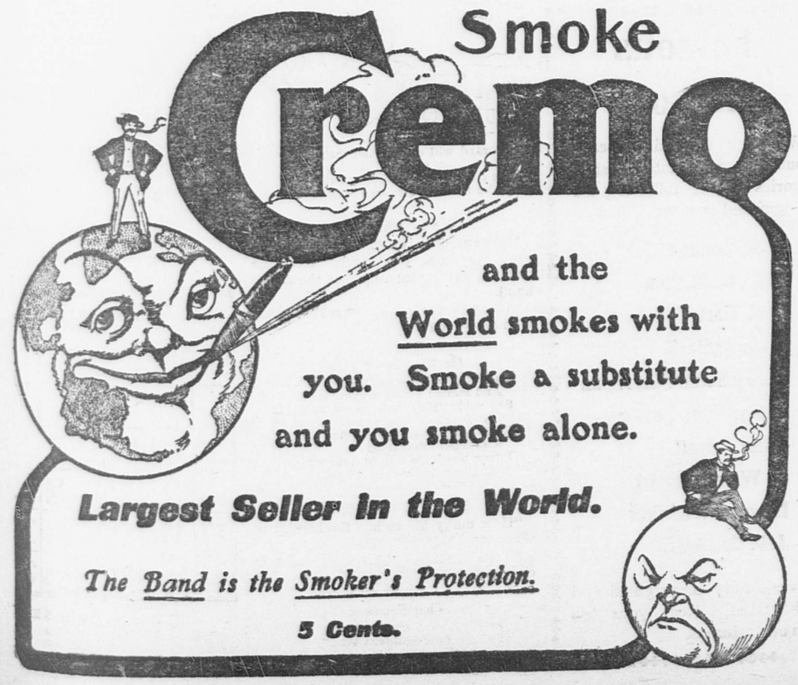
The wide lace collar and the fichu are godsends to the girl who must occasionally renovate her old frocks.

The illustration shows a gown of cream crepe de chine trimmed with shirring and having accordion plaited angel sleeves. JUDIC CHOLLET.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Nov. 2. 6mos.



CONVENTION CALL

Hanna Declares That the Delay Was Unimportant

INDIGNANT OVER STORIES

Democrats Cultivating Opportunity For Strife Making Over the Situation In Ohio--Senator's Aspiration Still Doubted

Washington, Jan. 18.—Senator Hanna returned to Washington indignant over the insinuations in connection with the delay in the call for the Republican national convention, which he issued at once. It will meet at Chicago at noon, June 21, 1904, to select candidates for president and vice president. The call makes the usual provisions for the number of delegates, four at large from each state, and two from each congressional district. Delegates must be elected at least 30 days before the national convention meets. The call does not differ from previous calls.

Senator Hanna said that he felt almost humiliated in having to talk for publication at all on the subject, as though he had to defend and explain what he did not feel required defense or explanation. But he explained that his illness and his political and business affairs had delayed action. In view of the fact that there was no specified time for issuing the call, and several times the call had been delayed, he had not thought the delay important.

The senator said: "Some of the things I read in the newspapers might have made me angry, had I accepted them as being exactly what they appeared on their face, but I could read between the lines and I saw what they meant. I could see they came from Democrats who would like nothing better than to start a row in the Republican party, and I am too good a Republican to permit such stories to affect me. Really, this matter of denials is going so far as to be absolutely insulting to me."

The senator declared that he couldn't see why stories casting suspicion on his course in relation to the nomination are sent out.

"But there are many people who are talking about you for the nomination," one of the senator's visitors suggested.

The senator merely shook his head protestingly and declared that he was not on the witness stand. He added that his position should be well understood, as he had sent out thousands of letters denying that he was a candidate for the presidency.

Senator Hanna would say little about the fight in Ohio, although his determination to control the Ohio delegation in the next national convention is at the bottom of the fight that has started. The Foraker people have declared that in every district a fight must be made for delegates pledged to Roosevelt. With Hanna in the ascendency in Ohio politics at this time, the announcement that persons other than his personal friends are to be sent to the convention has been accepted much in the way a bull goes at a red flag.

Democrats are taking an indirect part and declaring that it is Roosevelt fighting Hanna and Foraker fighting Hanna, thereby stirring up all kinds of trouble. They also add stories that if Hanna succeeds in taking the Ohio delegates to the convention with him and defeating the Foraker forces, that Foraker will be defeated forever, and that his place in the senate will be taken by Governor Herrick, Representative Dick or some other good Hanna man. The opportunity for strife making has not been left uncultivated.

Even though Hanna reiterates that he is not a candidate, it does not seem to satisfy either his friends or some of Roosevelt's friends, that Hanna may not, after all, allow the movement to be carried on for him, even in the convention if circumstances favor.

If Hanna would come out and say: "I am for Roosevelt, and he will be nominated," as he is said by Roosevelt's friends to have said to the president and to them, it might end the talk, but nothing short of that will, apparently.

No Office-Holding Delegates

San Antonio, Tex., Jan. 18.—Private instructions have been given to the leaders of the Republican party in Texas that no federal office holders are to be permitted to go as delegates to the national Republican convention. These instructions are said to come from the national Republican committee and are given out as the express wish of the president, who desires that, if he shall be renominatd, it shall not be by a convention dominated by federal office holders.

Long and Stormy Passage

New York, Jan. 18.—After a stormy voyage from Fernandina, Fla., the three-masted schooner James D. Dewell of New Haven has arrived in port. The vessel was 32 days making the passage, and it had been feared that she had met with some mishap.

Convicted of Double Murder

Buffalo, Jan. 18.—Charles Bonier, aged 74, was found guilty of murder in the first degree for killing Franz and Johanna Frehr, an aged couple, in their little home. The verdict carries the death sentence with it. Bonier took the conviction coolly. The Frehrs were murdered for their money and buried in a shallow grave in their own yard, the murderer then installing himself and his housekeeper in the home within a few feet of the mutilated bodies of his victims.

CITY COUNCIL.

Appointment of Committees and City Officials Expected.

A regular meeting of the City Council will be held tonight. One of the important matters will be the announcement by President Nichols of the several standing committees. Matters referred to this Council from the Council of 1903 will be referred to their respective committees.

Petitions of various kinds will probably be received and orders offered.

It is possible that Mayor Bryant may announce the members of his official family as this will be the last regular meeting in January.

THE SHARON FIREBUG

Latest Performance Reduces a Whole Block to Ashes

Sharon, Mass., Jan. 18.—The 14th fire of suspicious origin within a half year destroyed the Morse block on Main street, causing a loss of $30,000, and for a time threatened considerable surrounding property. Despite the united efforts of the Sharon and Canton fire companies the block was completely burned.

The police have no clue to the identity of the perpetrator of the deed. When first seen the flames were confined to a comparatively small area near the back stairs leading to a dance hall on the second floor, well removed from the heating apparatus. In a few minutes, however, the fire had spread throughout the building and the family of Mrs. John Grant, who occupied a tenement on the third floor, had scarcely time to escape with their lives. Several adjoining buildings which caught fire were only slightly damaged.

The burned building was one of the finest business blocks in Sharon. On the ground floor there were several stores, one of which was occupied by a druggist, the others being vacant. On the second floor was a large dance hall and a storeroom filled with household furniture. On the third floor were several tenements, only one of which was occupied.

Blair Dies In Florida

Eustis, Fla., Jan. 18.—James M. Blair, who came here about five weeks ago on account of his health, is dead. Blair held the position of general counsel for the St. Louis exposition and Mrs. Blair that of president of the board of lady managers, which positions were resigned owing to charges of misconduct against Blair. The cause of Blair's death in the physician's certificate is cerebral congestion.

Coal Miners In Convention

Indianapolis, Jan. 18.—The convention of the United Mine Workers of America begun in this city today. The fact that within the last two months there has been apparently a preconcerted move on the part of several of the operators to cut wages will make the convention doubly interesting. The cut was at the rate of 10 cents a ton. A conflict between the operators and miners seems probable.

Bushnell's Memory Honored

Springfield, O., Jan. 18.—A mass meeting in memory of former Governor Bushnell was held in the city hall. Mayor Bowles made the most extended eulogy and paid a fine tribute to Bushnell. He was followed by General Keifer, who made a touching allusion to his personal relations with Bushnell, speaking of his uniformly kindly disposition and of the great love felt for him in this city.

Object to Crooks' Evidence

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Members of Chicago's police force have launched an organization to be known as the Policemen's Progressive association. Its principal object, it is stated, will be the protection of its members against charges made by criminals and thieves, evidence having been given by the latter to a local "graft" investigation committee which has resulted in discharge of policemen.

NURSING MOTHERS

"A richer milk than milk" is good food for nursing mothers. Scott's Emulsion is the rich cream of cod liver oil, and contains ten times as much cream as milk does.

The nursing mother must eat with the purpose of producing good, nourishing milk for her baby. A little Scott's Emulsion is often a very wise addition to her daily diet. If through nervousness or weakness her milk is a failure, Scott's Emulsion will help make it a success.

The baby gets the benefit, too, when the mother takes Scott's Emulsion. The same remedy brings new strength and nourishment to both.

We'll send you a sample free upon request.

SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York.

AN ARBITRARY ACT

Dominican President Seized American Ship's Papers

POWELL'S PROMPT ACTION

Impresses Authorities With the Fact That He Intends to Protect American Interests and Documents Are Returned

San Domingo, Jan. 18.—An incident which came near bearing results but for the coolness and prompt intervention of United States Minister Powell, took place here on the arrival of the steamer New York. President Morales demanded that the shipping agent surrender the ship's letters and when the agent refused to comply his arrest was ordered. So as to avoid being arrested the agent went on board the New York, carrying the letters with him. He then sent for Consul Maxwell, who accompanied him to the palace, where Morales renewed his demand and compelled the agent to give up several letters.

Minister Powell, learning of the incident, promptly went to the palace and demanded that the letters taken from the agent be delivred to him. This Morales refused to do, but Powell persisted in his demand, saying that the government had no right to take such action and that the president must hand over the letters, which Morales reluctantly did. Minister Powell also told Morales that the agent was entitled to his protection, as he represented an American company and that he (Powell) would not consent to this arbitrary act on the part of the government and that, further, the agent could not be expelled, as was threatened. Finally the case was satisfactorily settled.

Minister Powell, finding that the government was unable to protect the tug Anna, which is owned by Americans, while entering San Isidro, requested the commander of the United States gunboat to guard her. The revolutionists threatened to capture the Anna and a strong guard left the Newport to protect her and other vessels obliged to pass through the waters in that section of the country.

A large force of revolutionists is stationed at San Isidro and Commander Mentz goes there prepared for all emergencies. The political situation remains unchanged, but the fighting continues. The United States cruiser Columbia has arrived here.

The insurgents fired shells into the city yesterday and it is said that a woman and child were injured.

The German steamer Holstein arrived at San Pedro de Macoris with the exiled Generals Febles and Martinez aboard, and the generals were brought to this city on the warship Presidente. It has been intimated to the German consul that the generals will be re-expelled.

Fighting at Porto Plata

Cape Haytien, Jan. 18.—The government troops, which disembarked recently at Sosua, were ordered to march on Porto Plata. A brisk attack, supported by the guns of a Dominican war vessel, began Saturday evening. Operations were resumed yesterday and the government troops entered Porto Plata, causing the flight of General Deschamps, who took refuge in the United States consulate.

The British cruiser Pallas has landed marines to protect the consulate. The United States cruiser Hartford has arrived.

Five persons connected with the conspiracy headed by General Monplaisir to start a revolt against General Nord have been condemned to death by a military tribunal and were executed in the presence of a vast crowd. Several foreigners who took part in the conspiracy will probably be deported.

Fire Causes Loss to Miners

Olyphant, Pa., Jan. 18.—The Olyphant breaker and washery of the Delaware and Hudson company was totally destroyed by fire. The breaker was one of the largest and most modern in the state. Upwards of 2500 hands will be thrown out of employment for two months or more. The direct loss to breaker and washery is $110,000. A hot journal is thought to have been the cause of the fire.

Nozaloda Sues Newspapers

London, Jan. 18.—The Madrid correspondent of The Standard says that Mgr. Nozaloda, who was recently appointed archbishop of Valencia, is suing several Madrid newspapers for libel. The correspondent adds that it is an open secret that the Vatican advised Nozaloda to decline the archbishopric. He is expected to do so after the government has defended him.

Could Stand Pain No Longer

Colorado Springs, Col., Jan. 18.—Colonel John H. Bacon, who was mayor of Colorado Springs in 1880, and prominent as a business man, committed suicide by shooting. He left a note saying that he had suffered so much pain from rheumatism and insomnia that it more than offset the pleasures of this world. He was 75 years old.

Hobson's Mother Dead

Boulder, Col., Jan. 18.—The mother of Captain Richmond P. Hobson died here after a long illness, aged 70. Her son was with her when she died and left with the remains today for Greensboro, Ala. Mrs. Hobson came to Boulder last summer for her health.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Oct. 18, 1903, trains will run as follows:

[Subject to change without notice.]

TO BOSTON				FROM BOSTON			
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.		Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.	
r *6 19	abcdefghi	5 47		*6 50	ibgfedcba	6 19	r
r 6 12	abc	6 32		6 28	cba	6 49	r
r 6 42	abc	7 02		6 58	cba	7 19	r
r 7 12	abc	7 32		7 28	cba	7 49	r
r 7 23	ad	7 42		8 28	cba	8 00	r
7 29	Exp.	7 45		8 58	cba	9 19	r
r 7 42	abc	8 02		9 28	cba	9 49	r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15		10 28	cba	10 49	r
r 8 12	abc	8 32		11 28	cba	11 49	r
r 8 26	abd	8 45		12 28	cba	12 49	r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05		12 45	Exp.	1 08	
r 9 12	abc	9 32		12 58	cba	1 19	r
r 9 42	abc	10 02		1 28	cba	1 49	r
r 10 12	abc	10 32		1 58	cba	2 19	r
r 10 42	abc	11 02		2 28	cba	2 49	r
r 11 12	abc	11 32		2 45	cba	3 06	r
r 12 12	abc	12 32		3 28	cba	3 49	r
r 1 12	abc	1 32		3 45	cba	4 06	r
r 1 42	abc	2 02		4 28	cba	4 49	r
r 2 12	abc	2 32		4 50	edcba	5 36	r
r 3 12	abc	3 32		5 15	dba	5 36	r
r 3 42	abc	4 02		5 26	a	5 46	r
r 4 12	abc	4 32		5 28	cba	5 49	r
4 59	Exp.	5 15		5 45	dba	6 06	r
r 5 12	abc	5 32		5 46	ibgfdcba	6 15	
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57		5 58	cba	6 19	r
r 6 12	abc	6 32		6 15	da	6 36	r
r 6 42	abc	7 02		6 28	cba	6 49	r
6 59	Exp.	7 15		6 58	cba	7 19	r
r 7 12	abc	7 32		7 28	cba	7 49	r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07		8 28	fedcba	8 53	r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32		9 28	cba	9 49	r
9 12	abc	9 32		10 28	fedcba	10 53	r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02		10 50	ibgfedcba	11 12	r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32		11 28	cba	11 49	r
r 11 12	abc	11 32					

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02		6 28	cba	6 49	
r 8 42	abc	9 02		8 58	cba	9 19	r
r 9 12	abc	9 32		10 16	ibgfedcba	10 45	r
9 33	a	9 51		12 28	cba	12 49	r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44		2 16	ibgfedcba	2 45	r
r 1 12	abc	1 32		3 16	ibgfedcba	3 45	r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44		4 28	cba	4 49	r
r 5 12	abc	5 32		5 28	cba	5 49	r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44		6 58	cba	7 19	r
r 7 12	abc	7 32		8 28	fedcba	8 53	r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32		8 43	Exp.	9 00	
9 00	Exp.	9 13		9 28	ibgfedcba	9 57	r
10 18	Exp.	10 33		10 28	fedcba	10 53	r
r 10 22	abcdefghi	10 50					

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston, b Norfolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P.M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A.M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P.M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.46 6.16 6.46 7.16 9.16 11.16 P.M. SUNDAY—6.16 8.46 A.M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P.M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A.M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P.M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A.M. 1.21 5.21 7.21 9.21 P.M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P.M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A.M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P.M.

Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

Corrected to Nov. 20th, 1903.

(Subject to change without notice.)

LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A M. 12.00 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 810 A.M then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON 7.15, 7.45 A M, then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 9.45 P M Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

J. T. CONWAY, Division Supt

H. E. REYNOLDS, Asst Gen. Supt.

Quincy, Mass., Nov. 20, 1903.

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.

JOHNSON & BROOKS,

PROPRIETORS.

HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,

QUINCY, MASS.

Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.

Aug. 11. 6mos.

Dr. Emmons'

Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively saves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

F. S. BUXTON,

TEACHER OF VIOLIN

WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.

Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

DANCING.

COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.

BASKET BALL AND DANCING THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all ormer pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For further particulars apply to ELMER W BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
Tuner in Quincy 25 y.

Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.
Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.

Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marten's store.
Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence.

W. G. CHUBBUCK,
Furniture and Piano Mover
IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.

JOBBING.

Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.

lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.

Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER.
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

Hardware Supply Co.,
1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES
Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.

Dec. 29. tf

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Asking For the Impossible.

Miss Upterdate—But surely you must know whether you return my love. Think—think.

Cholly Slimly—Oh, dear, I cawn't—I cawn't! I never twied to.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	24	32	50	34	37
Monday,	16	30	19	37	45
Tuesday,	—	33	10	51	10
Wednesday,	—	42	25	48	22
Thursday,	—	39	45	32	45
Friday,	—	34	40	44	40
Saturday,	—	30	39	52	38

New Advertisements Today.

Auction Sale of Household Furniture.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Parlor Stoves.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Cold today.

Fair weather.

City Council this evening.

Four to six above zero this morning at sunrise.

Many find walking safest in the middle of the road.

The annual meeting of the Granite Railway Co. will be held Jan. 25.

The sidewalks in City Square were sanded early this morning.

St. Ambrose Court of Foresters, will hold a whist party Wednesday evening.

George W. Clapp is seriously ill at his residence on Butler road with pneumonia.

Mrs. Austin Winslow of Brockton visited relatives and friends in this city last week.

Mrs. Richard Prout is confined to her home on Independence avenue with tonsilitis.

There are quite a number of cases of diphtheria in Quincy but more in Braintree.

Samuel Oxford of River street has been confined to his home the past two weeks with tonsilitis.

Mrs. George O. Langley of Washington street is confined to her room, a sufferer with rheumatism.

Mrs. George D. Langley of Pawtucket, R. I., spent last week with relatives and friends in this city.

Miss Florence Cairns of Prince Edward Island is the guest of Mrs. C. H. Burgess, Whitney road, for a few days.

Mrs. Harry L. Rice of Adams street expects to leave in a few days for the southern states where she will remain during the rest of the winter hoping to be benefited in health.

Mrs. William Cunningham accompanied by her daughter Pearl, of Roxbury, has been the guest of Mrs. W. M. Marden of Coddington street the past week.

Many city officials, firemen, news paper men and others are at the Superior court today at the trial of the cases of Faircloth against Williams, and Faircloth against Prescott.

William Westland of Goddard street, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is rapidly improving and is able to be up and around the house. His many friends hope soon to see him at his place of business.

The woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. met this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Quincy W. C. T. U. will meet tomorrow afternoon at City Hall.

Mrs. Annie M. Chick of East Howard street, who had the misfortune to fall down her cellar stairs, spraining her ankle and injuring her head, is reported as comfortable.

The annual meeting of Bethany Congregational church will be held in the chapel Wednesday evening. Reports will be made officers elected, and other business transacted.

The Quincy basket ball team, and also the Quincy Junior, and the St. Marys Junior have peen suspended by the secretary of the N. E. A. A. A. U. for playing with unregistered teams.

On Wednesday evening of this week the young people of Atlantic are to give a farewell reception at the Memorial church for Rev. J. H. Whitaker, who who is soon to withdraw from the pastorate.

Maple lodge K. and L. of H., will hold a public installation in Faxon hall on Wednesday evening. There will be an entertainment concluding with a dance. Miss Nettie E. Hallett, D. D., and suite of Charlestown, and Mrs. Hattie E. Silsby, G. P., and board of grand officers of Boston will be present.

Sunday everyone went down to the beach in Atlantic. It was a novel sight to see the skaters glance over the ice almost as far as Hangman's island. Many who do not skate walked over the nine-inch crust for the sake of saying they had done so. The scene was as fitting as a day in summer, only the sport was on top of the water rather than in it.

Miss Maud Briggs of Appleton street entertained the thirty-eight members of her Sunday school class in the Sunday school rooms of St. Chrysostom's church Saturday evening. Several young women assisted in introducing games and making the little ones have a good time. Ices and cake were served and the party did not disband until nine o'clock. Miss Briggs is a very popular teacher, and her scholars are devoted to her in their earnest efforts to be present every Sunday.

"How are you, old fellow? Are you keeping strong?"
"No; only just managing to keep out of my grave."
"Oh, I'm sorry to hear that."

DIED.

QUINCY—In Biarritz, France, Jan. 16, Mrs. Ellen Frances (Tyler), wife of Hon. Josiah Quincy, formerly of this city, aged 42 years.
HOLLIS—In South Braintree, Jan. 17, Harry E., aged 3 years and 6 months, and Jan. 18, Clayton, aged 2 years and 4 months, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hollis of Taylor street.
AMES—In Winthrop, Jan. 15, Mrs. Margaret Alice, wife of Mr. William P. Ames, formerly of Quincy, aged 49 years.

MILLER'S

4 Quarts Potatoes, .01
2 lbs. Sugar, .01
Can Tomatoes, .01
Pkg. Ginger, .01

Inclosed in our Full Basket Sale
JANUARY 12 to 16.

$2.00, Stamps, With Each BASKET.

$1.00. $1.00.

V. E. MILLER,
CASH GROCER,
Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass.

PANAMA CANAL TREATY

Senator Bailey Would Resign Rather Than Endorse It

Houston, Jan. 18.—In a signed statement wired The Post, United States Senator Bailey says that he will "retire from public life before dishonoring my state and party" by voting for the ratification of the Panama treaty. He asserts that the president's personal influence was used to secure favorable action towards the Panama route as opposed to the Nicaraguan; that when the Colombian senate refuse to ratify the treaty submitted by the United States, it was the president's duty to take the alternative, "but in absolute and reckless disregard of the imperative command of the law which he had himself approved, the president refused to negotiate with Nicaragua and Costa Rica."

"I can understand," he says, "how many people, in their anxiety for a canal, might condone such a course and excuse the spoilation (of Colombia) on ground that it was demanded by the progress and civilization of the world. This is precisely the same argument with which kings and conquerors have always justified their wars of plunder and aggression. I have heard it asserted that the people of this country desire a canal and are not particular about the methods by which they secure it. I cannot believe that this is true of the American people. The Panama route is not the only one nor is it the best one.

"Let us denounce the president's defiance of the law; let us accuse him for his violation of the law of nations. I would retire from public life before I would dishonor my state and party by assuming that they entertain other and different sentiments."

Briggs Again Under Fire

New York, Jan. 18.—Rev. Dr. C. A. Briggs of the staff of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine and professor in the Union Theological seminary has started another controversy. President Miller of the Church club of New York has called the attention of Bishop Potter to a paper which Briggs read recently before the club, and Potter has asked Briggs for a copy of the paper for examination. Dr. Briggs was understood by members of the club to say that apostolic succession hung by a slender historical thread; that in point of universality the church of Rome had almost the only claim worth considering; that the pope of Rome was right, in the main, when he asserted that Anglican orders were invalid from the Roman point of view.

Was British "Father of Navy"

London, Jan. 18.—Sir Henry Keppel, admiral of the fleet, is dead, aged 95. The death of the "father of the navy," who retired from active service in 1879, but whose name has been kept at the head of the active list by a special order in council, as a mark of respect, is the occasion for extended obituaries in the newspapers. Admiral Keppel lived under five sovereigns and fought in every quarter of the globe. He was in robust health until recently, and visited Singapore when he was 90 years of age.

Ordered Back to France

New York, Jan. 18.—Gabrielle Bompard, who 13 years ago assisted Michael Eyrand commit a sensational murder at Paris and whose trial attracted wide attention on account to the appeal to hypnotism as a defense, arrived on the steamer Lucania, but was immediately ordered deported on the ground that she was an ex-convict, having but lately served out the sentence imposed for the murder.

In Memory of Brother Jasper

Richmond, Jan. 18.—A statue of the late Rev. John Jasper, the famous colored preacher of "Sun Do Move" fame, was unveiled in the church of which Jasper was pastor. The exercises in connection with the unveiling are to last nine days and an admission fee is to be charged to help defray the cost of the statue.

Cashier Robbed Bank

Muscatine, Ia., Jan. 18.—Developments indicate that G. F. Utterback, cashier of the Signourney Savings bank, who committed suicide, was short $47,000 in his accounts. The shortage was the result of speculation.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The state police of Massachusetts have received official information of the arrest in northern Italy of Donato Panza, charged with the murder of Guiseppe Nani at Franklin, Mass.

Professor Cyrus Jordan died at Ocean Park, Me., aged 74. He was formerly president of Hillsdale, (Mich.) college. For 19 years he was assistant editor of The Morning Star, a Free Will Baptist publication.

Edward V. Wescott, at one time one of the best known hotel men in the country, died at Newport, R. I., of heart disease, aged 64.

Captain Alfred A. Howard has been appointed as keeper of the light at Nantucket, Mass., to succeed Captain Berry, deceased.

Rosa Luxemburg, the chief woman Socialist agitator in Germany, has been sentenced to three months' imprisonment for lese majeste.

Burglars secured $3000 in silver by dynamiting the safe in the bank of Rocky Mount, Va.

Joseph Leopold, 38, a teamster, committed suicide at Holbrook, Mass., by hanging. Leopold had been in poor health.

A new labor organization, the Massachusetts state branch of the International Union of Steam Engineers, has been organized at Boston.

Unable because of her infirmities to summon assistance, Mrs. Frank Kelly, 70 years old, was burned to death at Rutland, Vt. It is supposed that she overturned a lamp.

Suicide at Holbrook.

Joseph Leopold of Pine street, Holbrook, committed suicide by hanging Saturday evening in the woods near his house. He was 28 years of age and leaves a widow and one child.

Braintree Engineers.

The Selectmen of Braintree have appointed the following board of engineers for 1904: Frank O. Whitmarsh of East Braintree, Charles V. Cottrell of South Braintree and J. S. Hill of Braintree.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Insured for $2,000,000

L. Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, the eminent merchant of New York and Philadelphia, has taken out a policy in

The Prudential Insurance Co.

for $1,000,000, paying an annual premium of over $30,000. This makes him the most heavily insured man in the world, with the single exception of King Edward VII.

Mr. Wanamaker's total insurance is now $2,000,000.

Ask yourself WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed one-half this great amount with The Prudential.

Your business judgment will at once reply: "Because after full investigation and comparison, Mr. Wanamaker found that the company which could give him the best insurance for a given amount of money was The Prudential."

Undoubtedly you will agree that Mr. Wanamaker does not pay over $30,000 per year except for most excellent reasons.

These reasons apply to YOU precisely as well as they do to HIM.

Better apply TODAY for information regarding Prudential policies to

FRANK CHESTER MANN,
General Agent for Eastern Massachusetts
209 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.
HENRY O. FAIRBANKS,
Aug. 27-eod-1y Special Agent.

The BEST Newspaper Attracts The Best People. Try an "Ad" In the Daily Ledger.

Famous Authors

We have secured for early publication a number of short stories by the following distinguished writers:

Jack London
Will N. Harben
Bret Harte
Shan Bullock
Henry Seton Merriman
Maximilian Foster
Edith Wyatt
A. W. Whitcford
Herman Whitaker
J. P. Coughlan

Every story copyrighted and illustrated, Keep your eye on our columns.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

Copyright, 1904, by Sampson-Hodges Co.

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

Kind words pay big interest on the investment.

What makes some people hard up is the inability to distinguish between their income and their expectations.

Napoleons of finance find their Waterloo in watered stock.

An industrious war hero tries to make history while the sun shines.

With the grinding of the trusts on one side and the consumer on the other the middleman always knows he is in the middle.

Some of the noise called music would drive the savage to drink.

It must be a pleasant change for a bigamist to go to jail for awhile.

Does the humane society know about the dentist?

You cannot borrow money in a pawnshop on blue blood.

A man has to accumulate something in the neighborhood of a million before he can see the beauties of poverty.

A poor relation sticketh closer than a brother.

It is on account of his kick that the mule is respected.

There is no accounting for tastes. Some men love their work.

Nevertheless a fool and his money make a pleasant combination to meet up with.

No man can control the color of his eyes. If they are blue, he was born that way. If they are black, the other fellow was the larger.

Her Enemy Appeared.

"The girl was wearing man's clothes and in her complete disguise was having the time of her life until she was discovered."

"How did they get on to her?"

"A mouse ran across the floor."

The Old and the New.

On sandaled feet the years slip by,
And e'er has died the welcome bell
We hear the old year's funeral knell
Peal forth against the midnight sky.

We welcome them with open heart,
Their birth mark with a holiday,
As though they would be ours for aye;
Tomorrow's morrow they depart.

With mirth and sadness, smiles and tears,
Success and failure, joy and woe,
Down through the aisles of time they go
To join their silent sister years.

Perhaps a few more streaks of gray,
Some added lines, care's filigree,
Are all they leave to tell that we
Are one more milestone on the way.

And these make up the slender lease
We hold on this brief span of time;
The new year, old year, knell and chime;
Then rest, eternal, endless peace!

Couldn't Be Worse.

"Do you take this woman for better or for worse?" asked the preacher who was about to tie up the matrimonial knot.

"Not much!" replied the prospective Benedict, who was a divorced man. "I take her for better. She couldn't possibly be worse than the last one."

Waiting For His Reward.

Reward will come when he's a star
In bright, celestial ranks.
He gave a girl his seat in the car.
She never murmured "Thanks!"

He Had Met Her.

"Beware of a dark woman who is about to cross your path," said the palmist, looking intently into the man's hand.

"What is wrong about her? Has she a laundry bill?"

He Was Too Young.

The lady saw the callow youth
And smiled at his mustache;
She said: "He's very sweet, in sooth,
But he can't be my mash.
He'll have to wait until his beard
A dividend declares;
I fear the little boy is queered
By those few minor hairs."

Remained to Be Seen.

"How many lovers has the heroine of that story?"

"I don't know. I have only got to chapter ten."

That Followed.

A man named Mann
Had children ten;
Of course his boys
Were little men.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.

LOST—On Wednesday afternoon, Pocket Book containing money, on Adams or Hancock streets. Finder will please notify MARGARET NONAN, at Mrs. Reed's on Adams street.
Quincy, Jan. 15. 3t

WANTED.

WANTED—In a Quincy centre store, an assistant book-keeper with some experience. Address, stating experience and salary willing to work for, BOOK-KEEPER, Ledger office.
Quincy, Jan. 15. tf

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines, steady work. Apply to MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy. Jan. 13. tf

FOR SALE.

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom made pung built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILSON
Quincy, Jan. 12. tf

TO LET.

TO LET—2 Unfurnished Rooms suitable for light housekeeping. Centrally located; electrics pass the door. Apply at 118 WASHINGTON STREET, (left bell.) 4 3t

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30. lp-tf

TO LET—48 Revere road, very large Front Room, nicely furnished and heated, $3.00 per week. Nice large bath room in the house, heated also. Quincy, Jan. 16-6t

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street.
Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass.
Dec. 24. tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

1904	JANUARY					1904
Su.	Mo.	Tu.	We.	Th.	Fr.	Sa.
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24 31	25	26	27	28	29	30

MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon 3 0:47 a. m.
Third Quarter 9 4:10 p. m.
New Moon 17 1:06 a. m.
First Quarter 25 p. m.

SSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

tisements in this column inserted at the g rates:
lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
" three days, - - - 50 cents
" one week, - - - - 75 cents
onal lines will be charged for pro rata. ords equal a line. Long term rates fur- n application.

LOST.

—On Wednesday afternoon, Pocket ook containing money, on Adams or k streets. Finder will please notify ARET NONAN, at Mrs. Reed's on street.
y, Jan. 15. 3t

WANTED.

NTED—In a Quincy centre store, an assistant book-keeper with some ex- . Address, stating experience and sal- ing to work for, BOOK-KEEPER, office.
y, Jan. 15. tf

NTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines, steady work. Apply to WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy. 13. tf

FOR SALE.

G FOR SALE—A Custom made pung uit for the Grocery and Provision bus- uable runner; in good condition. GEORGE H. WILSON
y, Jan. 12. tf

TO LET.

LET—2 Unfurnished Rooms suitable for ht housekeeping. Centrally located; pass the door. Apply at 118 WASH- N STREET, (1st bell.) 4 3t

LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all provements, at 22 Blake street. Rent, month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. 30. lp-tf

LET—48 Revere road, very large Front oom, nicely furnished and heated. er week. Nice large bath room in the eated also. Quincy, Jan. 16-6t

LET—Nice tenement containing five ms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. rcock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES IKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank g, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. 29. tf

LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 25 School street. er, Nov. 25. tf

LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & pply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

USE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable incy Point. Within one minute of the e cars and within ten minutes' walk of ore River Ship and Engine Company at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, nut street, Quincy, Mass. 24. tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

EGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of d Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per Will be leased for one or two years, ences required. Apply at the office of K. F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, , Mass. Dec. 24-tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new ock Building, City Square. A good tunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the uleaf Block. These are all furnished heated, and will be let permanently the privilege of sub-letting, or for al nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in Durgin-Merrill Block. Most con- ent.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill , only one flight up, and right at the of the stairs. These will be let separ- or together. A good chance for a

Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very sonable.

Tenement—recently papered—four rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city —on Granite street, in the rear of Greenleaf.

Office in Hancock Chambers—up flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, rear of HotelGreenleaf.

Laundry or Shop—Just put in good

Shop on the ground floor, in the Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Hall Block, QUINCY.

04 JANUARY 1904

	Mo.	Tu.	We.	Th.	Fr.	Sa.
					1	2
	4	5	6	7	8	9
	11	12	13	14	15	16
	18	19	20	21	22	23
	25	26	27	28	29	30

MOON'S PHASES.
11 8 0:47 a. m. — New Moon 17 10:01 a. m.
en 3rd 9 4:10 p. m. — First Quarter 25 3:51 p. m.
arter

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 16. QUINCY, MASS., TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

Shake-up in Several Committees of City Council.

City Hospital of Quincy Reports Reduction of Debt.

ALL GOODS WILL BE DELIVERED FREE AT RESIDENCES IN QUINCY.

John H. Pray & Sons Co.

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF

FLOOR COVERINGS

Assortment — COMPLETE
Prices — — — RIGHT
Work — — — PROMPT

It is generally known that we are ***Distributors of Floor Coverings*** of every description, and we desire it to be equally well known that we have all grades of ***Upholstery Fabrics, Lace Curtains, Furniture Coverings, etc.***

The advice of an interior decorator is at your service, if desired. Goods displayed either in our show-room or at residences. Estimates furnished for covering single pieces of furniture or for completely decorating either a single room or an entire house.

For eighty-six years, under the same firm name, we have distributed to the public, to our neighbors, to our friends, Carpets and Rugs, and until we added Interior Decorations and Upholstery Fabrics our sole and entire business has been Floor Coverings.

Does not this record make for intelligent confidence on your part?

Pray Building, Washington St., opposite Boylston St. BOSTON

Represented in Quincy by Mr. Otho A. Hayward; in Wollaston by Mr. W. J. Wellington

Your Opportunity Has Come.

Again we call Special Attention to our

Second Annual Bargain

AND

Clearance Sale

OF

Winter Overcoats

Ulsters, Reefers and Storm Coats.

The rush of the busy season, and season of Profit to us, is all over, and now comes the time for Close Buyers and

BARGAIN SEEKERS.

We propose to keep the business coming as in the past by offering our Winter Stock of Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers and Storm Coats, at prices that force their sale and clean out our stock in preparation for the coming season.

We do not advertise to sell at less than Cost of the Material they are made of, but we do guarantee to sell you at considerable less than than you can buy the same quality for elsewhere.

You are cordially invited to call and examine our Stock whether you wish to purchase or not.

DON'T MISS YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

WE GIVE GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

F. D. FELLOWS CO.,

Reliable Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers,
1387 Hancock Street, Quincy.

JOHN STREIFERD & SON, FLORISTS.
Telephone 13-7 Braintree.
Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.
Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

W. A. BRADFORD,
Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting,
Jobbing promptly attended to.
Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.
Open Monday and Saturday evenings.
Telephone 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

PRES. NICHOLS

Announces His Standing Committees.

Bass at Head of Finance.

Electricity to Replace the Gas Street Lights.

President Nichols announced his standing committees at the meeting of City Council on Monday evening, and the Council also elected members to different boards. The Mayor, however, did not send in the appointment of department officials.

Councilman Nickerson was absent.

WOODWARD TRUSTEE.

Upon ballot Richard R. Freeman was elected a trustee of the Woodward fund.

HOSPITAL TRUSTEES.

Upon ballot, Nathan G. Nickerson and George E. Adams were elected trustees of the City Hospital.

GAS LIGHTS.

Mayor forwarded a communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to gas street lights. The Gas Co. has been unable to furnish gas for the 67 street lights although they have repeatedly promised to do so. The Mayor recommended electric lights to replace the gas lights.

Laid on the table until later when Councilman Thompson offered an order replacing the gas lamps with electrics. Adopted.

DOROTHY Q HOUSE.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from Sarah E. Hunt of the State society Daughters of the Revolution, asking for a contribution for the purchase of the Dorothy Q house.

Upon request of the Mayor the communication was referred to the joint committee on Finance and Public Buildings.

The auctioneer's bonds of John Evans and John H. Dinegan were approved.

PETITIONS.

Several petitions for minor licenses were received and referred.

The Quincy Real Estate Trust petitioned for the refund of $75.22, one-half cost of sidewalk in front of Hancock chambers and Hancock building. To Finance committee.

James T. Burchsted petitioned for an apportionment of sidewalk assessment on Beale street. To Committee on Finance.

The Workingmen's Cooperative Bank petitioned for a refund of tax paid on estate of Charles McKenzie. To Finance Committee.

A petition for an electric light on the corner of Charles and Thompson streets was referred to the Finance Committee.

The New England Telephone Company petitioned for permission to attach wires to poles of the Electric Light Co. on Pray street and Curtis avenue. To Committee on Streets.

Upon motion of Councilman Gassett it was voted when the Council adjourn it be until Monday, Jan. 25.

REMOVAL OF SNOW.

Councilman Adams offered an order authorizing the City Auditor to approve bill for removal of snow in excess of one-third as allowed by charter. Adopted.

MORE POLICE.

Councilman Gassett offered an amendment to the Police Ordinance increasing the number of permanent men from 20 to 21. To joint Committee on Police.

Councilman Whiton moved to reconsider the vote adopting the order replacing the gas street lights with electric lights.

Mayor Bryant in reply to a question said that complaints were coming to him from all over the city. The Gas Company shut off the street lights as they did not have gas enough for houses and the streets. They said they had a new machine coming and then it would be all right. We have had no street lights for three months although we have done all we could. There had been no undue haste. The city ha been treated shamefully. Unable to obtain any satisfaction. I had the proper order drawn. All of these lights have been located by other City Councils.

CHAIRMAN BASS.

There was one on a private way that was located by the town government.

Councilman Whiton then withdrew his motion.

POLICE BOXES.

Councilman Piper offered an order for $1115 for installing three police signal boxes, one on Liberty street near Malnati block, one on Granite street near Swithin Bros. sheds, and one on Adams street near Whitwell street. To Committee on Police.

COMMITTEES.

President Nichols announced the following standing committees:

Finance, Accounts, Claims, Contracts and Salaries,—Bass, Nickerson, Gassett, Hughes, Langelier, Whiton, Piper.

Streets, Ways, Sidewalks, Bridges and Lights, — Gassett, Thompson, Walsh, MacFarland, Johnson, Stewart, Gearwar.

Public Buildings and Grounds,—Polk, Johnson, Walsh, MacFarland, Stone.

CHAIRMAN LANGELIER.

Sewer and Drains, Water Supply,—Langelier, Loud, Polk, Reardon, Stewart, Spargo, Holmes.

Fire Department and Police,—Piper, Thompson, Hadlock, Hardwick, Reardon.

Ordinances, Licenses, Printing, Rules and Orders,—Loud, Adams, Holmes.

CHAIRMAN LOUD.

Legislative Matters, Elections and Returns,—Hughes, Hadlock, Hardwick.

Health and Poor, State and Military Aid,—Adams, Spargo, Stone.

Adjourned at 8.38.

☞ Main Spring while you wait. Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

A HANDICAP

However, to Enlargement of the Institution.

Annual Meeting of Corporation.

Reports and Election of Officers—New Members.

The report of the finances of the City Hospital in more encouraging than of late inasmuch as there was a decrease of the debt in 1903 and an increase in the endowment fund.

The annual meeting of the corporation was held Monday evening and was attended by fifty or more. Hon. W. B. Rice the president, presided and Warren W. Adams the clerk was at his post.

The clerk read the records of the meetings during the year, and they were approved.

Nine new members were then elected.

Dr. John A. Gordon reported for the board of Trustees. He said that there had been 284 patients at the institution during the year. All of the 16 cases of typhoid fever had been successfully treated. Of the 25 cases of appendicitis, 3 had proved fatal. There was need of more room for patients and nurses. The Hospital was handicapped for room. The debt over the institution, however, discouraged any enlargement. An attempt last year to wipe out the debt was unsuccessful. There has been, however, a reduction of the debt, and an increase of the endowment fund.

Henry M. Faxon, the treasurer, made a complete report, which is abridged below:

RECEIPTS.

General fund,	$127.11
Special fund,	566.60
City appropriation,	4,000.00
Income Endowment fund,	2,107 08
Patients,	4,688.49
Collections, Ward One,	1,175.75
Collections, Ward Two,	176.19
Collections, Ward Three,	451.50
Collections, Ward Four,	329.30
Collections, Ward Five,	507.43
Collections, Ward Six,	205.74
Gifts from non-residents,	50.00
Hospital Aid for sterilizer,	200.00
Miscellaneous,	14.50
	$13,905.98
Loans,	3,500.00
Maude Stevens, Nurses Home,	10.00
Quincy Mansion School, contagious ward,	84.00
	$18,193.09

EXPENDITURES.

Operating Expenses,	$12,657.65
Interest,	364.50
Insurance,	66.90
Taxes,	306.42
Loans,	2,800.00
Deposit to funds,	712.80
Balance,	1,284.82
	$18,193.09

(Continued on Page 4.)

DOES YOUR HUSBAND SHAVE

often enough to please you? In the drug stores there has been placed a new lather for the face called "EASY-SHAVE," made from glycerine and oils, which makes the beard soft and shaving a pleasure. A perfect shampoo for the hair. Price 15c. Get a package today.

NO MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY SHOULD BE WITHOUT AN INDIVIDUAL STICK OF *Stuyler's* PURE **COCOA BUTTER**

RELIEVES COLDS, ROUGH SKIN, BRUISES, SORENESS &c.

ALL DRUGGISTS, OR BY MAIL ON RECEIPT OF PRICE, SILVER OR STAMPS | *Stuyler's* 863 BROADWAY, N.Y.

10c POCKET TINS.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON

Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
Tuner in Quincy 25 y
Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.
Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.
Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marten's store.
Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence.

CARD.

Mrs. F. H. Hewins,

—: Formerly in the :—

Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations

METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.

Offices:

128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.

Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903 tf

ANASTASIA A. HUGHES,

Teacher of Piano and Organ,

Will receive pupils Fridays and Saturdays. For terms address 1562 Hancock Street, QUINCY, MASS.

Jan. 13. 6t

F. S. BUXTON,

TEACHER OF VIOLIN

WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.

Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

Hardware Supply Co.,

1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES

Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.

Dec. 29. tf

You Better Write Down

TELEPHONE No. 114-4.

AND CALL UP

The Hancock Fish Market,

Formerly C. H. BROOK'S Market,

Cor. Saville and Hancock Streets.

Everything of the **Very Best.** Fish orders taken and delivered by the

CONSOLIDATED GROCERY & PROVISION CO.,

PROPRIETORS,

Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

Mortgagees' Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by George W. Rackham to Charles C. Barton and Harry N. Squires, Trustees of the Manet Land Associates, dated August 2d, 1901, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Libro 904, Page 16, for breach of the conditions thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction on the premises hereinafter described on THURSDAY, the 28th day of January, 1904, at 2 o'clock P. M., all and singular the following premises as described by said mortgage deed:

"A certain parcel of land situated in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth, comprising the lot numbered five (5) in Section two (2) as shown on the plan entitled "Plan of Sea Shore Lots at Houghs Neck, Quincy, Mass., 1891, H. T. Whitman, Surveyor," owned by the Manet Land Associates and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of Book 668. Said parcel of land is bounded and described as follows, to wit: Northerly by land of owners unknown, fifty (50) feet; easterly by lot numbered four (4) as shown on said plan, ninety (90) feet; southerly by Winthrop street, fifty (50) feet; westerly by lot numbered six (6) as shown on said plan, ninety (90) feet, and containing forty-five hundred square feet of land."

Fifty Dollars ($50) to be paid at the time and place of sale, balance in ten (10) days.

CHARLES C. BARTON, HARRY N. SQUIRES, } Trustees, Mortgagees.

BARTON & BARTON, Attorneys, 82 Devonshire Street, Boston.

Jan. 5. 3t--5-12-19

TO-DAY

And Every Day until the Bankrupt Stock of

C. F. DERBY

Is Closed out we will sell

MEN'S and BOYS'

CLOTHING,

Furnishings and Hats

At Lower Prices than any other store.

COME AT ONCE

For Best Bargains.

You want good goods for a little money. We want the cash. Here is your opportunity.

BANKRUPT SALE,

Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

Healthy Children

It needs only a little watchfulness to keep children in good health. Look for the symptoms of little ills and treat them promptly to ward off more serious sickness.

Dr. True's ELIXIR

is the great remedy for childhood complaints. For stomach and bowel disorders, indigestion, constipation, poor appetite, fevers and worms it is unequaled. Nervousness, peevishness and a languid feeling all indicate troubles that are traced usually to the stomach, and quick relief follows the use of Dr. True's Elixir. Over 50 years in use. All druggists, 25c. Write for free booklet, "Children and Their Diseases."

DR. J. F. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Me.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

JANUARY MARK DOWN SALE — OF —

COATS.

New up-to-date Coats

Were $7.98, now **$5.00.**

Were $7.98, now **$6.98.**

We have only 2 Zibeline Coats left.

Prices, $17.98 and $25.00.

Choice now, **$12.98.**

Every Coat in the store Marked Down.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ While the members of the State Board of Agriculture may assert that there is no general demand throughou the state for a reorganization of that body, it is perfectly clear to anybody who has studied its organization that there is need for some change in the agricultural system of the state. The very differences among the forty-three members of the board as to what changes, if any, should be made indicate the need of reorganization. The state board of agriculture has heen organized for half a century, and in that time has done a great deal for the agricultural interests of the state. But conditions have changed radically since the board was formed. Various necessities of the agricultural interests of the state have resulted in engrafting upon the original root other organizations, the membership of which is made up on various plans, and the result is a board without symmetry, cumbersome in its membership and not altogether coherent in idea. The Cattle Bureau and the Dairy Bureau essentially belong to the Board of Agriculture, but they are now neither integral parts of it nor separate from it. The State board is such in name only, the Governor having the appointment of only three members out of forty-three, the others not being elected by the people.—Boston Transcript.

☞ Thousands of investors, attracted by glittering promises held out to them, are not only now deprived of the expected revenue from their steel trust stock, but also have to bewail the loss of their principal. These unfortunates could know nothing of the details of business or of the real value of the property they were invited to purchase. They had to place themselves unreservedly in the hands of those who recommended to them this form of investment and did so on the strength of their faith in the reputation enjoyed by a few prominent business men who, to all intents and purposes, staked that reputation on the result of the enterprise and must now bear the consequences. If it is through their want of judgment these promises have failed of fulfilment then their business ability is a matter of question. If their judgment regarding probable results has not been at fault what is to become of their reputation for honesty? This last is a valuable asset for all men and particularly for those engaged in extensive business enterprises. Many prefer to keep it rather than to part with it no matter how great the temptation to do so may be, but it can be coined into money, and there are those who are ready to do so if the price obtained seems great enough. When it is parted with, however, it can never be regained, and he who sells it for lucre must rest satisfied with his bargain.—Providence Journal.

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you, in 6 to 14 days. 50 cents.

Terrible Weather at Sea

St. Johns, Jan. 19.—Bark Stella, from Pernumbuco for St. Johns, was totally wrecked off here during a blizzard and her crew of eight narrowly escaped. Brigantine Mayflower, from Oporto for St. Johns, reports a terrible trip, as the result of which every man on board is disabled. Brigantine Aureola, Sydney for St. Johns, reports a similar experience. It is feared that a number of other disasters have occurred.

Dead Girl's Name Tarnished

Allentown, Pa., Jan. 19.—The chain of circumstantial evidence which the commonwealth is attempting to forge around Mrs. Bechtel, charged with being an accessory after the fact in the murder of her daughter, has been greatly strengthened. Alois Eckstein, who testified that he was willing to overlook her faults and make the girl his wife, told a shocking story of the intimacy of himself and other men with Mabel Bechtel. He went so far as to testify that the mother countenanced the misconduct of her daughter.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

ROBBED LIBRARIES

Charge Upon Which Bates Is Held Under $2000 Bail

KNOWN TO BOOK LOVERS

Said to Have Secured Pastorate of a Baptist Church Through Forged Letters--Resigned After Being Reprimanded

Boston, Jan. 19.—As the result of numerous losses of valuable books by the Boston Public library and other libraries in this neighborhood within the last year or two, Frederick H. Bates, a former theological student and son of Henry A. Bates of Hyde Park, who was arrested at his father's house, was brought to the Boston police headquarters. With him were brought about 125 books which he is charged with having stolen. The whole number of books missing are said to have a value of about $3500, with individual values of from $10 to $500.

Bates was taken to police headquarters, where he was photographed and measured and then arraigned before Judge Sullivan. Bates was charged on three counts with larceny of books from the city of Boston, the aggregate value of which is $2400. He waived examination and was held for the superior court. The court placed bail at $2000.

For a long time libraries near here have complained to the police that valuable books were being taken, and at length several inspectors were asked to look the matter up. The Hyde Park police kept a watch on the Bates house, the state police also taking an interest. At length a search warrant was procured and the officers found in the young man's rooms a library of 1635 books, representing a cost, by his own figures, of $1706.75. Among them were found the 125 books which the police charge were taken from the Boston public, Brown university, Boston college and Boston university libraries. The Hyde Park police charge similar thefts from the Hyde Park, Abington and Whitman libraries and State Officer Dunham has still another charge to prefer. It is said that books have been found in the Bates collection belonging to the Brockton and Andover libraries.

Bates is somewhat generally known among people who are familiar with books. He has been a literary critic, book reviewer, writer and reviser for magazines and publishers. He is 26 years old, and at one time had himself installed as pastor over the Baptist church at Narragansett Pier, R. I. He served in that pulpit for several months in 1901 and 1902, although the letters on which he obtained a hearing there are said to have been forged. He made himself popular, but at length was severely reprimanded by older men of the flock for his conduct toward some of the young women of the congregation, when he left of his own accord and returned to Boston.

Library marks on the books found by the police in Bates' hands are said to have been concealed by pasting the flyleaves of the books back against the front covers. The indenting stamp is said to have been ironed out, and then still further concealed by Bates' own bookplate.

Canal Treaty Before Senate

Washington, Jan. 19.—While the Panama canal question has been before the senate on general principles during the greater part of the present session, the Panama canal treaty was not reported until yesterday. It had no sooner been reported favorably to the senate in executive session than it beame the subject of heated controversy, which had not ended at the time of adjournment.

White Men as Slaves

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 19.—The grand jury in the federal court here returned 10 indictments against prominent citizens of this and neighboring counties for peonage. Among those indicted were F. M. Prestwood and his son, Noah, charged with holding in a state of peonage Bob English, an old crippled white man, and his son, Wiley English.

Cattle Farm of 1,000,000 Acres

Pensacola, Fla., Jan. 19.—A land sale said to involve nearly 1,000,000 acres has just been consummated by the Southern State Lumber company with Chicago packers. They have bought the land for grazing purposes and will make of it an immense cattle farm. Most of the land is in Escambia county, Fla., and in Baldwin county, Ala.

Movements of Naval Vessels

Washington, Jan. 19.—The United States fleet at Panama has been augmented by the gunboat Bennington and the torpedo boat destroyers Preble and Paul Jones. The battleships Kentucky, Wisconsin and Oregon of the Asiatic fleet have arrived at Manila from their practice cruise to Honolulu.

Strike Against Reduced Wages

Houghton, Mich., Jan. 19.—Two hundred trammers at the Quincy mine have struck because their wages were reduced from $60 to $52 a month. The strikers prevented the operation of several hoists by threatening violence to engineers.

Death of George Francis Train

New York, Jan. 19.—George Francis Train died last night at the Mills hotel in Bleeker street of heart failure, resulting from nephritis.

REID CHASE ENDED

Notorious Swindler Is Captured by a Utica Police Officer

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 19.—Sheriff Clark has received a telephone message from Turnkey Wade of this city, who arrived in Utica, N. Y., at about 1 o'clock this morning and positively identified the suspect held by the police of that city as William F. Reid, the hotel swindler, who broke jail here on Jan. 10. When Turnkey Wade arrived at police headquarters in Utica Reid was asleep, but on being roused he came to the bars and smilingly shook hands with the turnkey.

Reid was arrested at the Central Hudson railroad station by Officer Concannon of the Utica police force. While on the way to the police station Reid started to run, but the officer put out his foot and tripped him. Reid will be brough back today unless it is found necessary to secure extradition papers.

Bunch of Boy Thieves

Natick, R. I., Jan. 19.—Through a confession secured from George Salvas, the identity of seven small boys as the perpetrators of the series of breaks which have occurred in this village during the winter has been established. None of the boys implicated is over 15 years of age, while one is but 8 years old. The rifling of church poor boxes and numerous breaks at local stores and shops were confessed. Most of the plunder has been recovered.

Glines Indicted by Grand Jury

Salem, Mass., Jan. 19.—An indictment of 54 counts was returned by the grand jury against John A. Glines, former city treasurer of Haverhill. The indictment alleges larceny of $2000 in bonds during 1901, and $43,000 in bonds during 1902 and 1903. There is a separate count for each bond alleged to have been stolen. Glines has confessed the larcenies. He is now under bonds of $15,000 for his appearance before the grand jury.

Said Nothing About Bloodshed

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 19.—Feeling that he has been misquoted in a recent speech on "Trades Unionism" President Eliot of Harvard has caused to be issued the following statement: "President Eliot has said nothing to the effect that the prevailing industrial strife must lead to bloodshed, or can only be settled by bloodshed. He believes, on the contrary, that it can be and ought to be settled by publicity and free discussion."

Capital Stock Reduced One Half

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 19.—The Merchants' National bank of Burlington has reduced its capital stock of $500,000 to $250,000. The surplus, which is $250,000, is to be reduced to $125,000, thus taking $375,000 out of the institution. The reason of these reductions is because the deposits of the bank are so great that they can not be invested in the state. Recently the capital stock of the bank was reduced from $700,000 to $500,000.

Charges In Two Counties

Boston, Jan. 19.—Officers of the Norfolk county jail brought into the Suffolk county superior criminal court George F. Willis, charged with larceny and breaking and entering. He pleaded not guilty and was held in $10,000 for trial. It is alleged that, posing as a gas inspector, Willis entered numerous houses and committed many thefts. He was arested in Brookline and is awaiting trial in Norfolk county.

Two Men Crushed to Death

Boston, Jan. 19.—Frank W. Woodbury and Dennis Hurley were killed in the Boston and Maine train yards last night. The intense cold had so benumbed the hands of Woodbury, who was a brakeman, that he was unable to make the coupling between two freight cars and he was crushed between the bumpers. A little later Hurley, who is a car inspector, was caught between two cars.

Had Right to Give Away Cigars

Salem, Mass., Jan. 19.—The grand jury found nothing criminal in the action of R. L. Wood, mayor of Haverhill, in giving out cigars during his campaign for office last month. In his campaign expenses Wood filed an item of $25 for cigars, and this was called to the attention of the grand jury by W. S. Hodgdon of that city. Hodgdon and 12 other witnesses were heard by the grand jury.

Fly-Wheel Went to Pieces

Rochester, N. H., Jan. 19.—Damage to the amount of $2000 was done by the bursting of a fly-wheel in the Cocheco Manufacturing company's woolen mill, huge pieces of the four-ton wheel crashing through the second and third floors of the building. No one was hurt. A partial shutdown will be necessitated until a new fly-wheel can be installed.

Departure Mourned by Partner

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 19.—A warrant charging the larceny of $2700 has been issued for the arrest of Theodore Kupke. The complainant is J. J. Kennedy, Kupke's partner in the laundry business. Kupke is alleged to have collected money due the firm and then departed.

Barge and Coal Sunk

New Haven, Jan. 19.—While being towed into the harbor the barge Eleurah, coal laden, collided with a large cake of ice, which stove a hole in her starboard side, causing the barge to sink almost immediately. Her crew escaped.

Woman Burned to Death

Boston, Jan. 19.—While Mrs. Jennie B. Humphrey, aged 60, was filling an oil stove in her room in a lodging house at 8 Pembroke street last night, her clothing caught fire and she was burned to death.

CITY BREVITIES.

C—O—L—D.

Warmer tomorrow.

Below zero again this morning.

Have you seen the new moon?

This cold blast is said to come from Hudson bay.

The sleighing is improving, but the travelled way on many streets is narrow

At eight o'clock Thursday evening Rev. Thomas S. Barbour will give stereopticon views in the Wollaston Baptist church on, "In the Land of the Pharaohs.

On Wednesday afternoon at 3 the annual meeting of the Ladies' Foreign Mission society will be held with Mrs. G. F. Pinkham at 111 Warren avenue, Wollaston. A full attendance is desired.

Slavery Helps Vatican

Rome, Jan. 19.—The Vatican is of the opinion that the Italian company which governs Benadir, in northeast Africa, can only prosper by the toleration of slavery. Since the suppression of it by the governor the company has ceased to send the yearly offerings of $2000 for religious expenses.

Horses Were All Saved

Providence, Jan. 19.—The Pomeroy Coal company stable was practically destroyed by fire last night. The estimated loss is $25,000. In the structure, when the blaze was discovered, were 120 horses, all of which were rescued.

What Runaway Train Train

Peoria, Ills., Jan. 19.—A cut of cars on the Iowa Central broke away from a switch engine and rushing down hill collided with a work train at the bottom and instantly killed three workmen. Two others are in serious condition.

NEWS IN BRIEF

May Goodell, aged 7, got her clothing afire while playing with matches at Royalston, Mass. Her body was burned so that she died a few hours later.

Jose Esteva of Palapa, Mex., the last surviving member of Emperor Maximillian's cabinet, is dead. He was more than 80 years old.

The congregation of the propaganda has decided to propose to the pope the elevation of the diocese of St. Johns, N. F., into an archbishopric.

Alexander R. Milne, collector of customs at Victoria, B. C., for many years, is dead. He was an expert on sealing.

A belief that the number of judges constituting the supreme court of Rhode Island will be decreased from seven to five is current in legal circles in that state.

Mrs. G. H. Gilbert, the actress, who has been quite ill at Washington, has recovered and left for New York, a nurse accompanying her.

An estate valued at $3,000,000 is divided by the will, filed for probate at Newport, R. I., of Miss Mary L. King. The public bequests amount to $14,000. The testator's mother has the use of the estate during her life and upon her death it is to be divided equally among a brother, a sister and the family of a deceased brother.

Loraine Rogers, aged 70, an old theatrical manager, died at his home at Spring Valley, N. Y., from apoplexy. He was owner and manager of the Brooklyn theatre when it was burned. He was born at Westfield, Mass.

Catarrh

Is a constitutional disease.

It originates in a scrofulous condition of the blood and depends on that condition.

It often causes headache and dizziness, impairs the taste, smell and hearing, affects the vocal organs, disturbs the stomach.

It is always radically and permanently cured by the blood-purifying, alterative and tonic action of

Hood's Sarsaparilla

This great medicine has wrought the most wonderful cures of all diseases depending on scrofula or the scrofulous habit.

HOOD'S PILLS are the best cathartic.

MILLER'S

4 Quarts Potatoes,	.01
2 lbs. Sugar,	.01
Can Tomatoes,	.01
Pkg. Ginger,	.01

Inclosed in our Full Basket Sale

JANUARY 12 to 16.

$2.00, Stamps, With Each BASKET.

$1.00. $1.00.

V. E. MILLER,

CASH GROCER,

Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass.

JANUARY

MARK DOWN

PARLOR STOVES and BLANKETS.

Nearly three months more of cold weather. The greatest opportunity ever offered to buy

PARLOR STOVES, WINTER BLANKETS OR COMFORTERS.

We have cut the price of our Parlor Stoves 1-4 to 1-3 from regular prices. The same saving on comforters and blankets, making prices less than the goods cost to make.

PARLOR STOVES, $3.25 and up.
BLANKETS, 45c. and up.
COMFORTERS, 75c and up.

Prices here on House Furnishings are lower than in any other store.

Cash or Credit. Green Trading Stamps.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.

New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store,

Hancock Street, Quincy.

We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in al. parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

The Daily Ledger

NOVELETTE

FOR NEXT SATURDAY.

The League of The Old Men

BY JACK LONDON

This is an exciting drama of the Klondike in which an Indian, telling why he slew white men, recites the wrongs of his race. Marked originality in theme and treatment.

This will be followed by other Short Stories of exceptional literary merit.

Seven Columns Illustrated.

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,

DRUGGIST,

1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

LANKETS.

ore of cold weather.
r offered to buy

S OR COMFORTERS.

arlor Stoves 1-4 to 1-3
g on comforters and
goods cost to make.

nd up.
ERS, 75c and up.
s are lower than in

Trading Stamps.

DE & CO.

urniture Store,
Quincy.

urday Evenings.

TATE.

e best part of life is gone.
adually, this would not be
ling. Consult me. I have
House Lots for sale in al.

, Builder,
Quincy, Mass
ds for sale.
tf

edger

TTE

RDAY.

ne of
Men
ON

dra-
e in
tell-
hite
ongs
ked
me

cd by
of ex-
crit.

ase

woman in
ct to Head-
l get a Free

and being
n, viz.: that
for

he

ARN,

incy, Mass.

rated.

Griddle Cakes of All Makes

A hearty breakfast is more essential than any other meal. It forms the *fund* of vitality from which the day's demand is largely drawn. When you can't eat in the morning, Karo Corn Syrup *makes you eat.* Fine for griddle cakes of all makes. Nutritious—delicious.

Karo

CORN SYRUP
The Great Spread for Daily Bread.

Sold in airtight, friction-top tins, 10c, 25c, 50c, by all grocers.

CORN PRODUCTS COMPANY, New York and Chicago.

LIGHT!

Do not waste your money on Inferior Gas Lamps.

Get the Genuine 20th Century Light.

Burns by actual test 4 cubic feet of Gas per Hour.
Light effectually 100 candle power.
These lights on exhibition at

W. A. BRADFORD'S,
PLUMBING, HEATING, LIGHTING,
Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.
Jan. 14. 6t

— OUR —
Capitol Shoe
FOR BOYS.

Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.

Sizes 12 to 2 $1.75
Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2.00

The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.

Every Pair Warranted.

GEORGE W. JONES,
Adams Building, - QUINCY.

LONG ISLAND
OYSTERS
Solid, 38 cts. quart.
Genuine Quincy Eggs, 45c. dozen.
Meadowbrook Creamery,
QUINCY, MASS.

PICTURES
FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.
OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
Jan. 31. tf

MAIN SPRINGS
Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.
Work called for and delivered.
SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.
Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov, 3-tf

HALL and BURGESS,
Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

Hote Greenleaf
Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

TENSION RELAXED

Outlook For Peace In the Far East Grows More Hopeful

SENTIMENT OF AMERICA

Belief That It Had Much to Do With Czar's Pacific Utterances --Main Questions Now at Issue May Be Easily Adjusted

London, Jan. 19.—A Russian correspondent of The Times comments on the extreme significance of the fact that the czar's new year peace message only became known in St. Petersburg through the retransmission from New York of the press dispatch from St. Petersburg which contained the czar's exact words, not only to Mr. Kurino, the Japanese minister, but to the other diplomats assembled at the winter palace. The correspondent says:

"Such a message could only be published in Russia with the special permission of the government and it indicates an aspect of the situation which has a great deal more to do with Russia's present attitude than is generally understood."

The correspondent goes on to say: "Nothing surprised the Russians so much during the past year as the great alteration in the sentiments of the American people towards Russia, and nothing has been kept so closely in view as the possibility, which was to be avoided at all hazards, of serious complications with the United States. The ratification of the Chino-American treaty may be said to have cut the ground from under Russia's feet and under the circumstances Russia had nothing to do but to acquiesce."

The czar, in receiving the ministers in state at Tsarkoe-Selo, declared, says The Daily Mail's St. Petersburg correspondent, that all danger of a conflict was now ended.

All the special cablegrams from St. Petersburg confirm the belief that the tension has been greatly relaxed, but, according to the correspondent of the Paris edition of the New York World, there is a strong feeling in official quarters there against the representatives of bota Great Britain and the United States.

The special cablegrams from Tokio, on the other hand, still reflect the bellicose feeling of the Japanese press and people and the suspicion of the Russian assurances.

A high authority gives the following at the present status of the negotiations between Russia and Japan:

Russia recognizes Japan's predominance in Corea and Japan recognizes Russia's special position in Manchuria. There are two main questions still at issue—the Russian demand for a neutral zone on the Corean side of the Yalu river, which Japan met with a proposal for the similar neutral strip on the Manchurian side. Japan also asks for certain guarantees covering Manchuria which Russia thus far has declined to grant. It is pointed out, however, that the assurances given a few days ago by Russia regarding open ports in Manchuria and respect for treaty rights is a concession on this point.

That the two countries are not so far apart may be fairly inferred from the following statement made by Mr. Kurino, the Japanese minister, to a press correspondent:

"War now would only be disastrous to both countries. Owing to the geographical situation, an armed conflict would result in a great drain of the men and treasure of both Japan and Russia without being decisive. Besides, I believe it would not be worth while to go to war on the questions still in dispute."

Mediation Not Yet Needed

Paris, Jan. 19.—Mr. Montone, the Japanese minister, interviewed last night, expressed the generally hopeful views entertained concerning the situation in the far east, adding that he had not been officially advised of any proposed tender of good offices by France and Great Britain. Such measures, he said, would only be employed as a last recourse and therefore they were at present uncalled for.

Wants Increased Guard

Washington, Jan. 19.—Minister Allen, at Seoul, Corea, has made a request of the state department that the legation guard be increased. The request has been referred to the navy department, which is considering means of sending more marines from Cavite to Chemulpo. It will require about a week to reinforce the present guard.

Coreans Ready to Make Trouble

Seoul, Jan. 19.—The government declares the reports of disturbances on the northern frontiers to be unfounded, but it seems to think that a rising of the people is probable.

British Notable Arrested

Chicago, Jan. 19.—A man said to be Sir William Brassey of Gloucester, Eng., was arrested here last night, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses. Brassey was arrested on a complaint filed by a restaurant keeper, charging him with cashing worthless checks for $30 and $40.

Bloemfontein Overwhelmed

Bloemfontein, Orange River Colony, Jan. 19.—Nearly 30 persons were drowned and three hotels and 176 houses destroyed as the result of the bursting of a reservoir here. Hundreds of persons have been rendered homeless and destitute by the disaster.

'HANNA-SLATE" MADE UP

Ohioans Preparing to Nominate Senator For the Presidency

Cincinnati, Jan. 19.—Official announcement by George B. Cox, Republican leader in Hamilton county, that he is a candidate for delegate-at-large from Ohio to the Republican national convention at Chicago next June has caused much excitement among those who believe that Cox favors Hanna's nomination. On a so-called "Hanna slate" for delegates-at-large are said to be Cox, Governor Herrick, former Governor Nash and Congressman Dick. Friends say Cox has received assurance of more than enough delegates from other counties to secure his election.

It is said that Senator Foraker will name four others for delegates-at-large in opposition to Herrick, Nash, Cox and Dick, and that what is known as the "administration slate" will be headed by Senator Foraker.

Schooner's Eventful Trip

North Sydney, N. S., Jan. 19.—The Gloucester fishing schooner Lewis H. Giles has arrived at Louisburg from Newfoundland. When off Cape North a heavy gale sprang up, which tore the vessel's sails and made it impossible for the crew to work her off shore. The captain was obliged to anchor the vessel in a raging sea and take to the shore with his men, where they remained for two days. The crew suffered much hardship. The vessel rode out the gale, and after it abated the crew went on board again and brought the vessel safely into Louisburg harbor.

Fire Within Ice-Encased Walls

New Haven, Jan. 19.—Fire and water completely wrecked the Hoadley building last night, causing a loss which will aggregate $150,000. A score or more of tenants lost all their office effects. The thermometer was not far above zero and three hours after the firemen were called out the walls stood like gigantic icebergs, while within them was the fire. Several explosions occurred, but of no great force, and served only to topple more material into the fire.

Anarchist Stabs Army Officer

Milan, Jan. 19.—While Cesare Savello, a cavalry officer, was entering the Scala theatre last night a man rushed at him and stabbed him nine times, crying "Long live anarchy." The officer was wrapped in his heavy military mantle, which, it is believed, saved his life. The would-be assassin was arrested and identified as Luigi Manfredi, 27 years old. He said he was an anarchist and had no accomplices. Savello's condition is not serious.

Failed to Name Candidate

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 19.—Eighty-eight Democratic members of the Maryland general assembly met in caucus last night for the purpose of nominating one of the several candidates for United States senator to succeed Senator McComas. The caucus adjourned without naming a candidate. On joint ballot the general assembly is overwhelmingly Democratic.

Corporation President In Jail

New York, Jan. 19.—James H. Temple, president of William Campbell & Co., a New Jersey corporation, was committed to jail in default of $25,000 bail, having been arrested in a suit brought against him and Phillip D. Mallory by James E. Howell, statutory receiver of the concern, in which he charges Temple with having converted to his own use $28,282.

Clings to "Iowa Idea"

Washington, Jan. 19.—Governor Cummins of Iowa has arrived in Washington. He says that he is still for what is popularly known as the "Iowa idea" in the treatment of the tariff question and expects to be a delegate to the national Republican convention at Chicago. He says he would make an effort to have the "Iowa idea" incorporated in the Republican platform.

Alleged Holdup Men Held

Clinton, Mass., Jan. 19.—Owen McNamara and Martin Macey, charged with holding up an electric car on the Worcester Consolidated street railway, were held by Judge Stone in $1000 for the grand jury. The two men were arrested in Lawrence the day after the holdup.

Opera House Burned

Findlay, O., Jan. 19.—Turker's Opera house in this city was totally destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at $40,000. The building was occupied by three business houses. The fire was started by a defective flue. The opera house was "dark" when the fire started.

Insurance Men Punished

Bennington, Vt., Jan. 19.—Bernard S. Erskine and H. A. Feely were found guilty of soliciting insurance without a license. Both were fined $100 and costs and in the event of failure to pay the same must serve a sentence of 300 days in the house of correction.

Curtailment In Southern Mills

Charlotte, N. C., Jan. 19.—Eight large cotton mills at Concord, operating 88,000 spindles and 3300 looms, will run only four days a week hereafter. This action is taken on account of the scarcity and high price of cotton and the low price of manufactured goods.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Wednesday, Jan. 20.
Sun rises—7:09; sets—4:41.
Moon sets—7:50 p. m.
High water—1 a. m.; 1 p. m.

The eastern part of the country is occupied by an area of high pressure of great extent and magnitude. The crest of the high is in northern Ontario, where a temperature 30 degrees below zero is reported. It will be fair and warmer in New England.

NO COMPROMISES

Bryan Calls For an Appeal to the Public Conscience

THE COMMERCIAL SPIRIT

Nebraskan Says It Is Illustrated by Use of Money to Carry Elections--Declares Kansas City Platform to Be Sound

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 19.—A formal welcome to W. J. Bryan on his return from Europe, taking the form of a "dollar dinner," was held last night and it was attended by nearly 700 Democrats. The dinner was intended as a testimonial of regard and sympathy with Bryan's political policies and to mark his entry into active participation in the pre-convention campaign. Mr. Bryan spoke on "The Moral Issue." He said in part:

"Instead of talking of concessions and compromises, it is time for honest and aggressive action. We find corruption everywhere. Voters are bought at so much a head, representatives in our city governments are profiting by their positions and even federal officers are selling influence. What is the cause? The commercial spirit that puts a price on everything and resolves every question into 'will it pay?' This commercialism has given popularity to that theory of government which permits the granting of privileges to a favored few and defends the theory by an attempt to show that the money thus given directly finds its way indirectly back into the pockets of the taxpayers.

"We see this theory in operation on every side. The protective tariff schedules illustrate it, our financial system rests upon it, the trusts hide themselves behind it, and imperialists are substituting this theory for the constitution. Is it strange that money is used to carry elections? If a party makes certain classes rich by law, will it not naturally turn to those classes for contributions during the campaign? If congress votes millions of dollars annually to tariff barons, money magnates and monopolists, is it not natural that aldermen should traffic in the small legislation of a city council?

"What is the remedy? There is only one remedy, an appeal to the moral sense of the country, an awakening of public conscience. And how can this appeal be made? By turning a deaf ear to the contemptible cry of 'anything to win' and by announcing an honest and straightforward position on every public question.

"Shall we accept imperialism as an accomplished fact in order to appease those who are willing to endorse 'government without the consent of the governed?' There can be no thought of such a surrender, for who would trust us to deal with other questions if we prove false to the fundamental principles of self-government?

"Shall we change our position on the trust question in order to secure the support of the trust magnates? Not for a moment can we think of it. We want the trust magnates against, not for us.

"Shall we abandon our advocacy of bi-metallism in order to conciliate those who defeated the party in other campaigns? Never. Some phase of the money question is always before congress, and no one can predict when the coinage phase of the money question will again become acute. No reform of any kind would be possible with the money changers in control of the party.

"Shall we change our position on the tariff question, in order to win over Democrats who are enjoying the benefits of protection? It is absurd to suggest it, for the same vicious principle runs through all of the abuses from which the people suffer. And so with the party's position on the labor question, the election of senators by the people, on watered stock, control of corporations and other issues.

"The Kansas City platform is sound on every plank, and the first act of the next Democratic convention should be to reaffirm it in its entirety, and its next act should be the addition of new planks in harmony with it and covering such new questions as demand consideration.

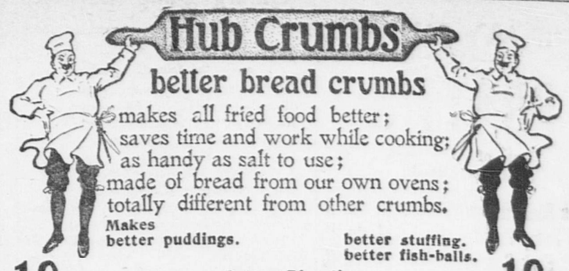
"Then the convention should select candidates who believe in the platform—candidates whose democracy will not be an issue in the campaign and whose fidelity to democratic principles will not be doubted at the election. The committee should announce that it will neither ask nor receive contributions from those who are entrenched behind the bulwark which we are attacking. Let us defend our position, not on the low ground of dollars and cents, but by showing how Republican policies violate moral principles and invite the punishment that sooner or later overtakes the wrongdoer.

"Will such a course ensure victory? The best that our party can do is to deserve victory, and an appeal to the conscience of the American people is sure to win ultimately and offers the best promise of immediate success."

Druggist Changed His Mind

Providence, Jan. 19.—In court at Wakefield the trial of Liquor Detective Louks, charged with obtaining liquor under false pretences, came to a sudden termination. Liquor prosecution officers received notice from Frank Watson, the keeper of the drug store where the liquor was alleged to have been obtained illegally, that he should not prosecute either case.

Hub Crumbs
better bread crumbs



makes all fried food better;
saves time and work while cooking;
as handy as salt to use;
made of bread from our own ovens;
totally different from other crumbs.
Makes better puddings. better stuffing. better fish-balls.
Better Digestion.
10¢ 10¢
At your grocer's or S. S. Pierce Co. Cobb, Bates Yerxa Co.
Mrs. Howard's Cook Book and sample on request. 244 Purchase St. Boston Mass.

COSTLY WRAPS.

The All White Garment Has Lost Its Popularity.

So far as wraps are concerned brown and gray are the leading colors. The all white wrap is not so fashionable and is seen only in the evening.

There is a craze in Europe for all the deep shades of red, and these appear in chiffon and ordinary velvet, plain or spotted.

The new walking skirts are more trimmed than formerly and are stiffened at the bottom to give them that desirable flare. They are trimmed horizontally with folds and bands of stitched cloth. They are sometimes plaited vertically.

A PLAIN SHIRT WAIST.

Loose sack coats of high priced plushes, particularly in the crushed varieties, are very smart in gray, black and white. A rich coat of this gray plush with a narrow stole collar and gauntlet cuffs of ermine is a sumptuous garment, especially when lined with white satin and incrusted down the front with ecru lace motifs. It can be worn either open or closed and is suitable for many occasions.

Moleskin and ermine make a very fashionable combination in millinery. Shirred hats and muffs of chiffon velvet are worn to match with afternoon gowns.

There is a marked tendency toward the 1830 modes. Shoulders are being made long, and the sleeves puff more than ever below the elbow, while the additional fullness in skirts is marked. Then, too, we have the wide cape effects and big hats projecting over the face.

A great many dressy tailor mades are cut just to clear the ground without any dip whatever in the back.

The cut shows a plain shirt waist of fine cloth trimmed with tucks and three bands of fagoting.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Oct. 18, 1903, trains will run as follows:

[Subject to change without notice.]

TO BOSTON				FROM BOSTON			
	Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.		Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.
r	*5 19	abcdefghi	5 47	r	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r	6 12	abc	6 32	r	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r	6 42	abc	7 02	r	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r	7 12	abc	7 32	r	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r	7 23	ad	7 42	r	8 28	cba	8 49 r
	7 29	Exp.	7 45	r	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r	7 42	a!c	8 02	r	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r	7 54	abcde	8 15	r	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r	8 12	abc	8 32	r	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r	8 26	abd	8 45	r	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r	8 46	abcd	9 05		12 45	Exp.	1 02
r	9 12	abc	9 32	r	12 58	cba	1 19 r
r	9 42	abc	10 02	r	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r	10 12	abc	10 32	r	1 58	cba	2 19 r
r	10 42	abc	11 02	r	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r	11 12	abc	11 32	r	2 45	cba	3 06 r
r	12 12	abc	12 32	r	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r	1 12	abc	1 32	r	3 45	cba	4 06 r
r	1 42	abc	2 02	r	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r	2 12	abc	2 32	r	4 50	eclcba	5 16 r
r	3 12	abc	3 32	r	5 15	dba	5 36 r
r	3 42	abc	4 02	r	5 26	a	5 45 r
r	4 12	abc	4 32	r	5 28	cba	5 49 r
	4 59	Exp.	5 15	r	5 45	dba	6 06 r
r	5 12	abc	5 32	r	5 46	ihgfdcba	6 15
r	5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	r	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r	6 12	abc	6 32	r	6 15	da	6 36 r
r	6 42	abc	7 02	r	6 28	cba	6 49 r
	6 59	Exp.	7 15	r	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r	7 12	abc	7 32	r	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r	7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	r	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r	8 08	abcdef	8 32	r	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r	9 12	abc	9 32	r	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r	9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	r	10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
r	10 08	abcdef	10 32	r	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r	11 12	abc	11 32				

SUNDAYS.

r	7 42	abc	8 02		6 28	cba	6 49
r	8 42	abc	9 02		8 58	cba	9 19 r
r	9 12	abc	9 32	r	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
	9 33	a	9 51	r	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r	11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	r	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r	1 12	abc	1 32	r	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r	4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	r	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r	5 12	abc	5 32	r	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r	6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	r	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r	7 12	abc	7 32	r	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r	8 08	abcdef	8 32		8 43	Exp.	9 00
	9 00	Exp.	9 15	r	9 28	ihgfedcba	9 37 r
	10 18	Exp.	10 33	r	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r	10 22	abcdefghi	10 50				

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.46 6.16 6.46 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—6.16 8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 7.21 9.21 P. M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A. M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P. M.

Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

Corrected to Nov. 20th, 1903.

(Subject to change without notice.)

LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 AM. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P. M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs)—6.55 7.25, 810 A. M. then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston)—6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON—7.15, 7.45 A M, then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M. Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

J. T. CONWAY, Division Supt

H. E. REYNOLDS, Asst. Gen. Supt.

Quincy, Mass., Nov. 20, 1903.

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.
JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.
HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

Dr. Emmons'
Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively saves one after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER.
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

ORDER YOUR
SUNDAY DINNER
—AT—
PRATT'S

The Best of Everything and Money Saved.

Fresh Eastern Fowl,	15 cts. lb
Face Rump Roast,	14 cts. lb
Fresh Pork Roast,	14 cts. lb
Best Rump Steak,	25 cts. lb
N. Y. Rump Steak,	12 1-2 cts. lb
Hebron Potatoes,	30 cts. pk
Fancy Celery,	20 cts. bunch
Large Prunes,	3 lbs. 25 cts
Bordeaux Catsup,	3 bot. 25 cts.
Baltimore Peaches,	15 cts. can
Pea Beans,	8 cts. qt

The Coffee we like to sell is
OUR VERY BEST
Mocha and Java, 35c. lb
We have others at lower prices.
L. M. PRATT & SON.

W. G. CHUBBUCK,
Furniture and Piano Mover
IN AND OUT OF TOWN.
Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.
JOBBING.
Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.
lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

DANCING.
COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.
BASKET BALL
AND DANCING
THURSDAY EVENINGS.
Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.
Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.
TERMS.
10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all ormer pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.
MUSIC.
William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.
HALL.
The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.
For further particulars apply to ELMER W BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

SKATES SHARPENED.
Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .
24 Granite Street,
NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.
Dec. 21. 1m

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple,	$8.00
Dry Pine Wood,	7.00
Dry Pine Slabs,	6.00
Green Hard Wood,	7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.
THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,
Yard between Miller and West Streets.
Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.
Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

Insured for $2,000,000
L. Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, the eminent merchant of New York and Philadelphia, has taken out a policy in
The Prudential Insurance Co.
for $1,000,000, paying an annual premium of over $30,000. This makes him the most heavily insured man in the world, with the single exception of King Edward VII.
Mr. Wanamaker's total insurance is now $2,000,000.
Ask yourself WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed one-half this great amount with The Prudential.
Your business judgment will at once reply: "Because after full investigation and comparison, Mr. Wanamaker found that the company which could give him the best insurance for a given amount of money was The Prudential."
Nndoubtedly you will agree that Mr. Wanamaker does not pay over $30,000 per year except for most excellent reasons.
These reasons apply to YOU precisely as well as they do to HIM.
Better apply TODAY for information regarding Prudential policies to
FRANK CHESTER MANN,
General Agent for Eastern Massachusetts
209 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.
HENRY G. FAIRBANKS,
Aug. 27-eod-1y Special Agent.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:
BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EASTMILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	24	32	50	34	37
Monday,	16	30	19	37	45
Tuesday,	10	33	10	51	10
Wednesday,	—	42	25	48	22
Thursday,	—	39	45	32	45
Friday,	—	34	40	44	40
Saturday,	—	30	39	52	38

New Advertisements Today.
Victor Talking Machine for sale.
To Let—Furnished Room.
State House Hearing.
Wanted—Young Man in store.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Young men with experience are wanted in a local market.

The predictions are that today will be the coldest day of the year.

The annual meeting of the Republican City Committee will be held tonight.

City teams are at work in City Square today removing the banks of frozen snow along the sides of the streets.

In court this morning, the testimony in a poor debtor case showed the debtor to have been married nine years and that he had nine children. His salary was $12 per week.

The Masonic quartette which will sing at the Wollaston Glee club concert tonight is composed of Edward E. Bullock, 1st tenor; Albert R. Moulton, 2d tenor; Herbert Y. Follett, 1st bass; Herman I. Hahn, 2d bass.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Frank Mitchell entertained friends at whist Monday evening at their residence on Pleasant street. Souvenirs were awarded those having scored the largest number of points. Music and refreshments closed the evening's pleasure.

Mr. W. J. Campbell who has been visiting with Rev. N. J. Sproul, has returned to his home near Freehold, N. J. On Thursday night of last week he gave a recital in the First Presbyterian church at which he rendered most acceptably a number of Will Carleton's poems before a large and appreciative audience. On Friday night he delighted the pastor's Bible class with a number of humorous selections in the rendition of which Mr. Campbell was especially happy.

Mrs. Isabella Masson of 138 Franklin street was buried Sunday afternoon from her late residence. The attendance at the funeral was very large filling the house to overflowing. The Rev. Edwin N. Hardy of Bethany church officiated and the Loyal Ladies of the Clan read their burial service. The suddenness of her death has cast a gloom over the hosts of friends who will ever cherish in loving remembrance her many winsome virtues. Mr. Masson and the family have the sincere sympathy of the community.

Personal.

The death of Mrs. Josiah Quincy removes a charming as well as vigorous personality. Her serious illness has prevented the ex-mayor from returning to Boston, which for many reasons he was anxious to do. He will now return as soon as some neccessary arrangements can be made. Mrs. Quincy had many devoted friends both in this city and in London, where she had resided for some years past. She had a warm nature and decided social gifts, and will be missed by refined circles in both hemispheres.—Herald.

MARRIED.

ANDERSON — GABRULSON — In Quincy, Jan. 12, by Rev. John A. Bernhard, Mr. Carl F. Anderson, to Miss Alphild Gabrulson, both of Quincy.

DIED.

LEFEVRE—In Milton, Jan. 17, Mrs. Catherine Anna, wife of Mr. T. M. LeFevre of Maple street.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

SEWER WANTED.

By the Residents of West Quincy.

A Committee Also Appointed.

To Work for Abolishment of Water Street Crossing.

An important and largely attended meeting of the West Quincy Village Improvement society was held Monday evening at St. Mary's hall. President William E. Badger presided.

James H. Elcock spoke of the need of abolishing the grade crossing on Water street at the Quincy Adams station. This he regarded as an extremely dangerous point. It was a matter of vital interest to West Quincy people and we must take the initiative, as no other section will make any effort in that direction.

Rev. A. F. Roche also spoke of the matter and moved that it be the sense of the meeting that grade crossings should be abolished and that the street cars for West Quincy should run over the School street bridge and that a committee be appointed to confer with Mayor Bryant, the members of the City Government from Ward 4, and the officials of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad and the Old Colony street railway.

The motion was unanimously carried and the following committee appointed: Representative Fallon, Stephen B. Little, Hiram W. Campbell, Robert Teasdale, James H. Elcock, Thomas J. Lamb and Thomas F. Mannex.

Representative Fallon paid his respects to the city officials for the manner in which streets are cared for, the street car service, and the extension of the sewer to West Quincy.

Sewer Commissioner T. J. Lamb said that there was a sum available for extension and it only remained for the residents to say whether they wanted sewers or not.

Engineer Branch spoke of a movement of the Metropolitan Sewer Commission to extend its sewer toward West Quincy as they considered necessity demanded it. They would probably build from Adams to Crescent street which would be alongthe line of the proposed boulevard. The city would probably have to build the service from that point. Arrangements would probably be made to cover all the streets but he could not say in what order.

Rev. A. F. Roche said he felt that a sewer was needed and that this ward was the last to be considered. The only way was to demand it.

The meeting then adjourned.

☞ Eyeglasses fitted scientifically. No guess work.—Williams.

THE IROQUOIS HORROR

Men In Charge of the Curtains Failed to Attend to Duty

Chicago, Jan. 19.—The first definite testimony showing negligence on the part of the men in charge of the Iroquois stage curtains has developed. John F. Dougherty, who was employed as an extra hand to assist on the fly floor of the theatre, was the witness from whom the evidence was obtained.

"Did you try to lower the asbestos curtain on the day of the fire?" he was asked.

"Yes. A man came running over to me from the south side of the stage—I was working in the flies—and said to lower the asbestos curtain, for there was a fire. I ran to it and tried to lower it, but it was heavy and my hand was caught. Some one pulled down the rope and released me and shoved me out of the way."

"Do you mean to say that you ran from the back of the stage to the front, grabbed the rope to lower the asbestos curtain and tried to do so before the regular men in charge of the curtain could reach it?" queried Deputy Coroner Buckley.

Dougherty admitted that he had. He said he knew the men in charge of the three curtains, but did not know where they were when the fire broke out and the call came for the curtain. He did not see them anywhere in the flies.

In Defense of Cuban Teachers

Havana, Jan. 19.—Those engaged in controverting the alleged declaration made by Secretary of War Root before the committee of the United States senate investigating the case of Major General Wood, to the effect that certain teachers in the Cuban schools during the intervention government had been guilty of immorality, have obtained a statement from Captain Hanna, United States military attache, which says: "I have never seen a class of women who conducted themselves with more circumspection than the Cuban teachers. If there has been any isolated case where a teacher was discharged for immorality I do not know of it."

CITY HOSPITAL.

(Continued from page 1.)

ENDOWMENT FUND.

Jan. 1, 1903,	$46,305.50
Bequest Joseph and Sarah Baxter,	2,103.87
Addition from sale real estate,	6,242.96
	$54,652.33
Invested as follows:	
First mortgages on real estate,	36,700.00
Securities,	14,200,00
Uninvested,	3,752.33
Fund for Nurses' Home,	$860.00
Fund for Contagious Ward,	702.80

STATEMENT OF DEBT.

Dr.	
Endowment fund,	$4,200.00
Mt. Wollaston bank,	3,750.00
	$7,950.00
Cr.	
Cash,	$1,284.82
Net debt,	6,665.18
	7,950.00
Net debt, Jan. 1, 1903.	$7,122.89
Decrease during year,	457.71

Upon ballot Warren W. Adams was unanimously elected clerk.

Dr. Welch, for the nominating committee, presented a list of twenty-five names from which to elect trustees. The following twelve were elected:

William B. Rice, Timothy Reed, Henry M. Faxon, John A. Gordon, M. D.; Arthur W. Newcomb, Edward H. Angier, John F. Welch, M. D; Henry McGrath, James F. Burke, Fred B. Rice, Richard D. Chase, J. M. Sheahan, M. D.

While the ballot was being counted Dr. Gordon said it had been found necessary during the year to refuse forty patients because of the crowded condition. This meant a loss of revenue. The greatest need however was a nurses' home.

President Rice said the reports made were the best for years. He also felt that there had been less criticism and more kind words for the Hospital, the matron, the nurses and the management.

Theophilus King said the Hospital was doing a commendable work, and all should help it.

W. R. Bateman felt that the institution would be more successful if controlled by the city.

W. B. Rice said he would regret to see hospital under city control. Should fear time might come when politics would enter. There are hospitals owned by cities, and the City Hospital of Boston is an example. He felt it was a good thing that we are obliged to support by subscription an institution like this.

L. S. Anderson suggested an earlier date for Hospital week. More money would be raised if it was held about Oct. 1.

Dr. Gordon said the pledges for extinguishment of debt in 1903 were conditional on the full sum being raised. That had been found impossible. He believed the attempt should be made without conditions, and moved the appointment of a committee.

After consideration the president reappointed the committee of 1903:—Dr. H. M. Willard, L. S. Anderson, E. H. Angier, John Shaw and Joseph L. Whiton.

R. D. Chase, L. S. Anderson and Dr. Welch were appointed a nominating committee for the next annual meeting.

Upon motion a vote of tnanks was extended to Miss Beal, the Quincy Mansion school, Henry H. Faxon, the Unity Circle of King's Daughters, and all others who have helped the Hospital the past year.

The meeting adjourned and ice cream and cake were served.

TO CURE GRIP IN TWO DAYS.
Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause. To get the genuine, call for the full name. 25c.

TODAY'S COURT.

Martin Manning was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until Jan. 25.

William Neimi of Quincy for drunk was fined $3.

Walter P. Parker of Braintree for keeping a dangerous dog was found not guilty.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.
Nov. 2. 6mos.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 18, 1904. The House Committee on the Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 29, for legislation to prevent associate judges or judges of courts to practice law in courts in which they may be called upon to sit as judges; also House bill No. 135, relative to licensing pawn brokers; also House bill No. 133, to provide for the assignment of counsel and other assistance to needy persons on trial for felony, and House bill No. 154, for legislation relative to appointment, duties and salary of a messenger for the municipal court of the city of Boston, at room No. 227, State House, on Friday, Jan. 22, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. A. M. TAFT, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee.
Jan. 19. 2t

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

AN EXPERT IN CHIROGRAPHY

[Original.]

Carl Kraaft, expert in chirography, sat in his study in the city of Berlin examining by lamplight a package of papers. While thus engaged the door opened and a stranger entered.

Kraaft had that afternoon testified in a murder case, in which he had shown conclusively that the prisoner had written threatening letters to the murdered man. The expert's reasons why these letters had been written by the same person as letters proved to have been written by the prisoner were so convincing that the jury would have convicted him without leaving their seats. But the case must be summed up by prosecuting attorney and counsel, and that would require another day.

"Herr Kraaft," said the visitor, "I listened to your testimony today in the Keller case, and my confidence in your skill is so great that I have decided to employ you in a case I have in hand."

"Please be seated, sir."

"Here is a letter which came to light after an interval of twenty years. It was written in 1849. You will remember that the year previous occurred the revolution of 1848. During that troublous period a prominent member of the legislative body defied the revolutionists, throwing all his influence with the government. He stated to several intimate friends that he had been threatened with death by the revolutionists if he did not cease his opposition to their work. One day he was found dead, and everybody knew that he had been murdered. Nevertheless the murderer or murderers were never discovered. This letter, recently found among the papers of the murdered man that escaped notice at the time of the murder, was evidently written by the leader of a revolutionary society and threatened him with death if he did not accede to the society's demands."

The speaker threw the letter on the desk before the expert. It read:

Herr K.:
The revolutionary committee warns you that if you speak tomorrow to the citizens of Berlin upholding the tyrant and denouncing the motives of the revolutionists you will never address another assembly. By order of the committee.
HANS OBERBECK, President.

The expert bent low over the letter as he read it.

"Now, the receiver of this letter," the visitor continued, "addressed the meeting referred to and the following day was found dead with a bullet in his back. Hans Oberbeck is well remembered as a young enthusiast but twenty-two years of age. He disappeared as soon as the revolution was suppressed. I have letters bearing date of 1852, 1857 and 1860 which are similar in chirography to the one before you, though they bear a different signature. I have come to you for the purpose of getting your opinion as to the identity of the writer of these recent letters with the man who wrote the one of 1848."

The speaker threw three more letters on the desk, which Kraaft opened and appeared to study intently for a time, then said: "The letters bearing the name of Oberbeck and these bearing the name of Herman cannot possibly have been written by the same person because I happen to remember that Oberbeck died of a fever in 1849. The reason I remember his death is that, he being a prominent revolutionist, it excited considerable comment at the time."

"And if he had not died of a fever he would have died by the rope."

"I remember that, too," said the expert in a scarcely audible voice.

"There is a chapter of this little story with which you are perhaps not familiar. A year ago the grave of Oberbeck was opened and found to contain a coffin filled with stones."

Kraaft made no reply, but bent lower over the letters, as though deeply immersed in them. Rising with the letter of Oberbeck in his hand he held it near the lamp, as if to get better light. Indeed, so near that a corner of it caught fire. In a twinkling the flame was blown out by the visitor, who covered the expert at the same time with a revolver.

"Pardon me," said the latter. "Your carelessness came near costing a life."

"How so."

"You are not only to study this case, but you are to go over your testimony given today with a view to seeing if you have not been mistaken."

"What is your interest in that case?"

"The prisoner is my brother and an innocent man. That I know, though I can't prove it."

"How did you get these letters?"

"I am the grandnephew of Herr Keller, who was murdered by the revolutionary committee, probably by Hans Oberbeck himself. The Oberbeck letter only came into my possession a year ago. I immediately examined Oberbeck's grave, then put the case in the hands of detectives in America, where so many revolutionists went after the fiasco of 1848. They got on the track of Oberbeck, who returned to the fatherland in 1860, under the name of Herman. In 1861 he returned to America and entered the Union army. In 1866 he came to Berlin and has since been living here under the name of"—

"Yes, yes; I see. I will go over my work in the Keller case and tomorrow will give revised testimony. A few days later I will sail for the United States. Is this satisfactory?"

"It is."

The next day Carl Kraaft was recalled to the stand at his own request and pointed out errors in his testimony that he had discovered only the night before. As this was the main testimony against the prisoner, he was acquitted.

Three days later the expert sailed for America. KATE CARTER.

THE COLOMBIANS.

They Are Hospitable People and Like Good Living.

The Colombians are a hospitable people and receive strangers cordially. It is customary for a stranger to send cards to those whose acquaintance he desires, and etiquette demands that the recipients of the cards call within a few days.

The dining tables of the rich are spread with fine linen and set with handsome cut glass and china. Among their beverages, in addition to wines, are cebada, barley water; orchada, which contains almond juice and sugar; agrass, the juice of unripe grapes; naranjada, orangeade and a preparation of chocolate thick as gruel. A dish for invalids is sopa de pan. A raw egg is broken upon a slice of toast, and a beef broth is poured over it. A breakfast often consists of several courses—for instance, fruit, poached eggs, with stewed tomatoes and rice; fish, chops fried in eggs and herbs and a tortilla con seso, brain omelet, sweet potatoes or other vegetable and coffee. Saffron is a favorite flavoring for soup. Chicken or game pies contain a variety of vegetables, hard boiled eggs and other ingredients. A common dish among the poor is a stew called sin coche. Another standby is rice and red beans. Rice cooked in lard, with a little tassado (dried beef) for a relish, is a tidbit among the lower classes. The flesh of the iguana, a species of land lizard, is regarded as a delicacy and is said to resemble chicken. The natives slit the sides of living female iguanas and take from them strings of eggs as large as plums. They hang these eggs in the sun and dry them for future consumption.

ACTING WITHOUT ORDERS.

General Grant's Tribute to General Sheridan's Judgment.

Senator Hoar in his "Reminiscences" says that at a dinner where General Grant and other distinguished men were present Commodore Alden remarked that there was nothing he disliked more than a subordinate who always obeyed orders. "What is that you are saying, commodore?" said President Grant across the table. The commodore repeated what he had said. "There is a good deal of truth in what you say," said General Grant. "One of the virtues of General Sheridan was that he knew when to act without orders. Just before the surrender of Lee, General Sheridan captured some dispatches, from which he learned that Lee had ordered his supplies to a certain place. I was on the other side of the river, where he could get no communication from me until the next morning. General Sheridan pushed on at once without orders, got to the place fifteen minutes before the enemy and captured the supplies. After the surrender was concluded the first thing General Lee asked me for was rations for his men. I issued to them the same provisions which Sheridan had captured. Now, if Sheridan, as most men would have done, had waited for orders from me Lee would have got off." Senator Hoar adds this comment: "I listened with wonder at the generous modesty which, before that brilliant company, could remove one of the brightest laurels from his brow and place it on the brow of Sheridan."

Stars by Daylight.

It is worthy of remark that but for the brightness of the sky the stars could be seen in daylight. Even as matters stand, some of the brighter of them have been seen after sunrise by explorers on high mountains, where the air is very clear and the sky dark blue. If we could go above the atmosphere the sky would appear perfectly black, and stars would be visible right close up to the sun. Astronomers observe bright stars in daytime by using long focus telescopes, the dark tubes of which cut off the side light, and persons in the bottom of deep wells have noticed stars passing overhead, the side light being reduced by the great depths of the wells.—T. J. J. See in Atlantic.

The Modesty of Brahms.

At an interesting dinner party given by Joachim, at which were present also his friends, Professor Dorn of Naples and Von Herzogenberg, the composer, an amusingly characteristic scene occurred. Joachim in a few well chosen words was asking us not to lose the opportunity of drinking the health of the greatest composer, when before he could say the name Brahms bounded to his feet, glass in hand, and called out: "Quite right! Here's Mozart's health!" and walked round, clinking glasses with us all. His old hatred of personal eulogy was never more prettily expressed.—Leisure Hour.

Keeping Up Appearances.

Wife—There was a man around today selling big brass burglar alarm bells to put on the front of the house, so I ordered one.

Husband—What! You know we haven't anything worth stealing.

Wife—I know that, but it will make the neighbors think we have.—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Little Off.

"Really," said Mrs. Oldcastle, "your little dinner last night was quite recherche."

"Oh, dear," her hostess groaned, "I just knew that new cook would make a botch of it some way!"—Chicago Record-Herald.

The Essentials.

"Which would you rather marry, Ethel, brains or money?"

"Money, of course. I can get along without the luxuries, but I must have the necessities."—Brooklyn Life.

Ten men have failed from defects in morals where one has failed from defects in intellect.—Mann.

WANTED.
Young Man 16 to 20 years old
—IN A—
Grocery and Provision Store
In this City.
One with some experience preferred.
Address in own hand writing giving age and references.
"B.," Ledger Office.
Jan. 19. 6t

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:
Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents
Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.
WANTED—In a Quincy centre store, an assistant book-keeper with some experience. Address, stating experience and salary willing to work for, BOOK-KEEPER, Ledger office.
Quincy, Jan. 15. tf

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines, steady work. Apply to MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy.
Jan. 13. tf

FOR SALE.
VICTOR TALKING MACHINE for sale at a bargain with forty records. Apply at 16 Jackson street.
Quincy, Jan. 19. 3t

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom made pung built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILSON
Quincy, Jan. 12. tf

TO LET.
TO LET—Furnished Room, near Square. Apply to WEEKS-HILL Pharmacy.
Quincy, Jan. 19. 3t

TO LET—2 Unfurnished Rooms suitable for light housekeeping. Centrally located; electrics pass the door. Apply at 118 WASHINGTON STREET, (left bell.) 4 3t

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent, $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston.
Dec. 30. lp-tf

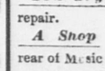
TO LET—48 Revere road, very large Front Room, nicely furnished and heated. $3.00 per week. Nice large bath room in the house, heated also. Quincy, Jan. 16-6t

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street.
Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

TO LET.

House of 8 rooms and bath, No. 240 Goffe St. Furnace, gas, sewer connections, in complete repair and one of the most convenient (yet retired) locations in city. Only small families, with prospects of extended occupancy, need apply. A permanent occupant for one room is obtainable.
R. D. CHASE,
Savings Bank Building.
Quincy, Jan. 12 eod 16 p tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.
HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass.
Dec. 24. tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.
ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

TO LET.
Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.
Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.
Furnished Lodging Rooms in in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.
Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.
A Store in Music Hall Block.
Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.
A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.
An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.
Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.
Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of HotelGreenleaf.
Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.
A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.
Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

NTED.

16 to 20 years old
— IN A —
d Provision Store
n this City.
e experience preferred.
wn hand writing giving
nces.
B.," Ledger Office.
6t

ADVERTISEMENTS.

in this column inserted at the
ss, one day, - - 25 cents
e days, - - - 50 cents
week, - - - - 75 cents
will be charged for pro rata.
a line. Long term rates fur-
on.

ANTED.

a Quincy centre store, an
book-keeper with some ex-
, stating experience and sal-
ork for, BOOK-KEEPER,
tf

xperienced Stitchers, power
steady work. Apply to
1471 Hancock street, Quincy.
tf

R SALE.

KING MACHINE for sale
with forty records. Apply
t.
3t

ALE—A Custom made pung
roccery and Provision busi-
in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILSON
tf

O LET.

ished Room, near Square.
EEKS-HILL Pharmacy.
3t

furnished Rooms suitable for
keeping. Centrally located;
oor. Apply at 118 WASH-
ST. (bell bell.) 4 3t

er Tenement, 6 rooms, all
s at 22 Blake street. Rent,
Apply to P. M. TORREY,
reet, Wollaston.
1p-tf

Severe road, very large Front
ly furnished and heated.
Nice large bath room in the
Quincy, Jan. 16-6t

tenement containing five
h, furnace heat, situate No.
Quincy. Apply to JAMES
Estate Agent, Savings Bank
Dec. 31-tf

ements, all improvements.
J. W. PRATT, 74 Indepen-
ncy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
tf

o Rooms, furnished or un-
Apply 26 School street.
tf

Boat Shop at Quincy Point,
upied by L. C. Embree &
P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf
Oct. 5-tf

O LET.

se of 8 rooms and bath, No.
St. Furnace, gas, sewer
ns, in complete repair and
nvenient (yet retired) loca
small families, with pros
occupancy, need apply. A
for one room is obtainable.
D. CHASE,
Savings Bank Building.
ed 16 P tf

SON of 1904.

RENT.

ooms and bath, all modern
s, electric lights, with stable
Within one minute of the
within ten minutes' walk of
hip and Engine Company
of FRANK F. CRANE,
uincy, Mass.
tf

SON of 1904.

RENT.

DERN HOUSE, 9 rooms
Place, gas, 3 minutes of
tation. Rent, $475.00 per
ed for one or two years,
d. Apply at the office of
NE, 4 Chestnut street,
Dec. 24-tf

LET.

Offices in the new
City Square. A good
yers.
Suite-Rooms in the
These are all furnished
will be let permanently
of sub-letting, or for
month.
Lodging Rooms in
rrill Block. Most con-
in the Durgin-Merrill
ght up, and right at the
These will be let separ-
A good chance for a
usic Hall Block.
Store. Price very
—recently papered—four
ample closets, etc.—city
street, in the rear of
Hancock Chambers—up
e head of the stairs.
Lodging Rooms
t.
Shop on Granite street,
Greenleaf.
Shop—just put in good
e ground floor, in the
Block.

l Estate Trust,
QUINCY.

QUINCY · DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 17. QUINCY, MASS., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

DISTRIBUTION BY MAYOR BRYANT AND PRESIDENT NICHOLS OF CITY PLUMS.

PRESIDENT NICHOLS.

— OUR —

Capitol Shoe

FOR BOYS.

Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.

Sizes 12 to 2 $1.75
Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2.00

The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.

Every Pair Warranted.

GEORGE W. JONES,
Adams Building, - QUINCY.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in all parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,
Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass
Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.
April 25. tf

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,
DRUGGIST,
1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

SOME RUMORS.

Relative to Three Department Officials.

At Least One Change Expected.

New Man Needed to Secure Harmony.

There have been many rumors, of late, of possible changes this year in Mayor Bryant's official family. His Honor, however, keeps his own counsel well, and nothing has dropped.

The rumors seem to centre about three offices, namely: City Treasurer, Principal Assessor, and Tax Collector. It is a well known fact that there was more or less friction between the Treasurer and Principal Assessor all of last year, and that they are not on the best of terms.

Rumor says that Mayor Bryant desires harmony in his official family, and to have it there will be a change in one of these officers.

Other rumors saythat it is in the Tax Collectors office where the change is coming. To support this they say that the Mayor in his inaugural address referred to the method in which taxes had been collected and promised that this year that he should see to it that taxes were collected more promptly.

Rumor further says that it was the Mayor's intention to send his appointments to the Council last Monday evening, but at the last minute they were held back and that they will go to the Council next Monday evening.

Odd Fellows Installation.

D. D. G. M., F. M. Churchill and suite of Boston installed the following officers of Mt. Wollaston lodge, No. 80, I. O. O. F., Tuesday evening:

N. G.,—Charles H. Wood.
V. G.,—Walter V. Loud.
Sec.,—Aubrey R. Keith.
F. S.,—Arthur W. Stetson.
Treas.,—E. Frank Mitchell.
War.,—Robert Clark.
Con.,—Frank Osgood.
Chap.,—Archibald Macleod.
O. G.,—Frank L. Carlton.
I. G.,—Robert Wood.
R. S. N. G.,—Charles Somers.
L. S. N. G.,—Albert Wilcher.
R. S. V. G.,—Fred W. Osgood.
L. S. V. G.,—William J. Spargo.
R. S. S.,—Sam Wood Jr.
L. S. S.,—Charles A. Hobart.

After the installation there was a banquet and speeches.

Cook for Congress.

The proposed large increase in salary for the Norfolk county clerk of courts does not appear to have swerved Louis A. Cook of Weymouth from his desire to go to Congress as a successor of Congressman Powers. He writes to the Herald:

"I am emphatically and unequivocally a candidate, and I shall continue to be a candidate until I am nominated. Having had for years a strong ambition in this direction, I do not hesitate to declare myself."

Cracker Sale
THIS WEEK,
PRATT'S
Get our Prices for
Kennedy's Crackers.
Largest Assortment in Quincy
L. M. PRATT & SON.

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

SHIP SUBSIDIES.

A Commission of Congress Will Make Investigation.

A Washington dispatch to the Herald says the House committee on merchant marine and fisheries agreed on Tuesday to report favorably a bill providing for an investigation by a joint committee of Congress of the question of ship subsidy, the committee to report at the next session.

The bill is a substitute for the one introduced by Representative Augustus P. Gardner of Massachusetts, and is similar to that measure in its provisions, excepting as to the personnel of the commission.

Mr. Gardner's bill provided that the secretary of the navy, the secretary of the treasury and the secretary of commerce and labor with a committee of five senators and five representatives, should constitute the commission to look into the ship subsidy question.

The merchant marine committee, however, thought that the investigation ought to be made by a committee composed only of members of the Senate and House, and they accordingly agreed today to report the bill with that provision.

There will be considerable debate on the measure when it comes up in the House, but the bill is expected to be passed. Several Democratic members of the committee expressed themselves as favoring the investigation, although opposed to ship subsidies.

TO PREVENT THE GRIP.

Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause. To get the genuine, call for the full name. 25c.

☞ Eyeglasses fitted scientifically. No guess work.—Williams.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 18th, 1904. The Joint Committee on Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 9, for legislation to provide for the release, on parole, of certain prisoners who served in the civil war, at room No. 227, State House, on Tuesday, Jan. 26th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. WILLIAM T. DANA, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLY, Clerk of the Committee. Jan. 20-2t--20 23

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 18, 1904. The House Committee on the Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 29, for legislation to prevent associate judges or judges of courts to practice law in courts in which they may be called upon to sit as judges; also House bill No. 135, relative to licensing pawn brokers; also House bill No. 136, to provide for the assignment of counsel and other assistance to needy persons on trial for felony, and House bill No. 151, for legislation relative to appointment, duties and salary of a messenger for the municipal court of the city of Boston, at room No. 227, State House, on Friday, Jan. 22, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. A. M. TAFT, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. Jan. 19. 2t

4 for 1
Trading Stamps
AT THE
HOSIERY STORE.
LOW PRICES ON
BOYS' and GIRLS'
OUTING FLANNELS.
FINE LINE OF NECKWEAR.
LARGE ASSORTMENT
NEW LACES.
City Employment Office.
MRS. C. J. MILLER,
1383 Hancock Street,
CITY SQUARE.

HALL and BURGESS,
Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

NEW CHAIRMAN

For Every Committee of City Council.

Several Members Were Disappointed.

Harmony Expected on Public Building Committee.

The changes in the standing committees of the Council are more numerous than anticipated but are generally commended. At the outset every committee has a new chairman. The minority as well as the majority is represented among the chairmen, as Councilman Hughes is chairman of the Committee on Elections, an important committee from a political standpoint.

Wards One, Four and Six have two chairmanships, Wards Three and Five one each, while Ward Two happens to have none. Last year it was Wards Three and Five that had two each.

A change was needed on the Committee on Public Buildings which during 1903 was at loggerheads, and was unable to get together on plans for the enlargement of the High school building, recognized as the most pressing need of the city. Councilman Polk is the only member renominated and he is made chairman. Associated with him this year are Julius Johnson of Ward Three, the builder; R. H. Walsh of Ward Four, a granite cutter; C. A. McFarland of Ward Five, also a builder; and Eugene R. Stone of Ward Two, one of the new members, who is manager of the public building department of the Magee Furnace Company. These gentlemen should work harmoniously.

It was no secret that the administration desired the reappointment of Councilman Nickerson as chairman of the Finance Committee. Especially because of the strenuous times through which the city is passing, but the majority desired a change. Mr. Nickerson continues on the committee, as do also Messrs. W. G. Gassett, W. P. Hughes, and Joseph L. Whiton, Jr. The new chairman is Lewis Bass, Jr., and the new members of the committee are Louis F. R. Langelier of Ward Six, and Walter E. Piper of Ward Three. Every Ward of the city is represented on the committee, while Ward Six has two members.

Ward Six has the chairman of the important Committee on Streets, and is the only ward which has two representatives.

Ward Four with two members on the Sewer committee should have the sewers extended to that ward this year.

Councilman Piper is a good man wherever he is placed, and should make a good head for the Committee on Fire Department.

Good work may also be expected of the other committees as constituted.

Councilman Thompson who for three years has been on the Public Building Committee was anxious to remain there, and would have been pleased to have been chairman, but instead he is on Streets, Fire Department and Police.

It is said Councilman Whiton could have been chairman of the Finance Committee, but came to the conclusion that he could not give all the time which the position requires.

Councilman Holmes, who is on two committees, is not pleased it is said with either.

Councilman Hardwick desired to be on the Finance Committee, but Ward One has one representative in Chairman Bass.

How She Got New Clothes.

The lawyers at Iola were swapping yarns the other day during a recess in the district court. A lawyer whose wife is marked for her good dressing told how he had come to be such a good provider. Soon after he was married his wife met a girlhood friend. The friend said to her that she wasn't as well dressed as she used to be before marriage. "Oh, you are mistaken," said the wife. "I am wearing the same clothes I did then."—Kansas City Journal.

MAYOR BRYANT.

SAVE THIS COUPON . . DAILY LEDGER PREMIUM.
SOLID GOLD FOUNTAIN PEN.

For TWO of these coupons and SIXTY-NINE CENTS we will furnish for a time LEDGER readers with a SOLID GOLD, fully warranted Fountain Pen, Polished barrel, rubber cap screw section, beautiful delivery, worth $2. Saisfaction guaranteed.
Present coupons at McCONNELL'S FRUIT STORE, 1414 Hancock St. Quincy, or
Hiram A. Hayden, Agent, 118 Washington Street.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF
Imported and Domestic Woolens
Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON
Beg to announce that they are now located at
No. 8 Faxon Block,
Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,
"LEADING TAILORS."
Quincy Dec. 28—tf

MAIN SPRINGS
Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.
Work called for and delivered.
SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.
Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

Hotel Greenleaf
Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER.
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

PICTURES
FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.
OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
Jan. 31. tf

F. S. BUXTON,
TEACHER OF VIOLIN

WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.
Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

Hardware Supply Co.,
1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES
Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.
Dec. 20. tf

CARD.
Mrs. F. H. Hewins,
—: Formerly in the :—
Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.
Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations ● ● ●
METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.
Offices:
128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.
Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903 tf

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
And to increase our trade we offer for cash
Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple, $8.00
Dry Pine Wood, 7.00
Dry Pine Slabs, 6.00
Green Hard Wood, 7.00
Delivered in any part of Quincy.
THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,
Yard between Miller and West Streets.
Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.
Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
Tuner in Quincy 25 y
Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession. Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.
Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marten's store.
Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence.

W. A. BRADFORD,
Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting,
Jobbing promptly attended to.
Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.
Open Monday and Saturday evenings.
Telephone 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

JOHN STREIFERD & SON, FLORISTS.
Telephone 13-7 Braintree.
Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.
Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

W. G. CHUBBUCK,
Furniture and Piano Mover
IN AND OUT OF TOWN.
Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up and Cleaned and Relaid.
JOBBING.
Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.
lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

Dr. Emmons'
Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No sick whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively leaves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

Quincy Daily Ledger
ESTABLISHED IN 1889.
THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.
Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by
GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.
Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.
☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.
Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.
TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.
Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.
ALSO PUBLISHERS OF
The Quincy Patriot.
A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the
Braintree Observer and Reporter
A Weekly Established in 1878.

Drift of Opinion.

☞The Old Farmers' almanac, that venerated inspiration and guide, says under the Farmer's calendar for January. "The farmer of to-day, if he would succeed, must be trieless in devotion to his work, and farm the year around." This is taken to be indisputable. It is also true of almost anything else. The man who fails to hustle the year around is likely to become an object of charity.—Brockton Enterprise.

☞Is the white south civilized? When we first asked this question a few years ago there were many who regarded it as a horrible impertinence; but no sufficient answer has been given to it. During the past Christmas day there were upward of 100 murders in the southern states, and the murderous business was kept up all through the holiday season. Most of this violence was the outgrowth of liquor and hot blood at merry-making parties. Kentucky, Louisiana and Texas headed the list, as far as we have seen the reports. Then there were four lynchings and one burning of Negroes, none of them for rape. The southern white man has no respect whatever for the law, and his disrespect and disregard of it has bred a like disposition in the southern black man. And by far the larger part of the violations of the law by southern white men never get into the courts or the newspapers. Seriously, is the white south civilized?—New York Age.

Birthday Party.

Miss Belle W. Curtis, one of Quincy's popular young ladies, gave a birthday party to her many friends at her home Monday evening. Many games were enjoyed during the evening, and piano solos were rendered by Miss Pauline Welch, Mr. John Mahan and Mr. Wendell Luce, after which a bountious collation was served. Friends were present from Danvers, Braintree, Weymouth, East Milton and Quincy. Among those present were: Misses Marion and Pauline Welch, Gertrude Barnicoat, Julia and Theresa Roche, Mary Sullivan, Bertha Newcomb, Ruth Gardner, Georgiana Waldron, Lena Moynihan, Josephine Grignon, Grace Barry, Savena Dean, Lizzie Briggs, Billy MacConnell, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Curtis, William Robbie, Byron Miller, Thurlow Torrey, Stanley Barnicoat, John Mahan, James Mahan, Theo. Longumere, Newman Savage, Richard McKay, Chester Hobart and Wendell Luce.

Frappe was served during the entire evening in the dining room.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Suitable Text.

"Dr. Thirdly is certainly an up to date clergyman," said Fosdick.

"So?" said Keedick.

"Yes, sir. One of his parishioners was killed by the explosion of his automobile, and the doctor took for the text of his funeral sermon the Biblical account of Elijah going to heaven in a chariot of fire."—Smart Set.

A Traitor.

Ethel (aged six)—Oh, gracious! She's just a horrid person. She's forever wishing she was a boy.

Minnie (also six)—Well, I'm sure I wish I was too.

Ethel—Of course, but she wishes it out loud so the boys can hear her.—Philadelphia Press.

Inebriety.

Inebriety is called a disease, but is a disease of the will. As with the hysteric, the inebriate said, "I cannot;" it looked like "I will not;" it is "I cannot will." Its successful treatment involves the problem of how to rehabilitate a human will.—Exchange.

Left the Worry to the Doctor.

"How about that little bill?" asked the doctor.

"Why, doctor," was the reply, "only a little while before you sent it in you told me not to let anything worry me, and I haven't."—Chicago Post.

He who has neither friend nor enemy is without talents, powers or energy.—Lavater.

☞ Main Spring while you wait, Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

SEASON CUT SHORT

Chicago Theatres Cannot Comply at Once With Law

TWO CLOSED FOR GOOD

Building Commissioner Undergoes a Scathing Inquiry at Coroner's Inquest and Endeavors to Shift Responsibility

Chicago, Jan. 20.—The city council last night took action that will, in all probability, result in the closing of nearly all of the theatres in Chicago for the remainder of the present theatrical season. On Monday night the council passed an ordinance setting forth what must be done by the theatres of this city before they are allowed to remain in continuous operation. It convened last night to consider the passage of an enabling act that would allow the theatres to operate for the remainder of this season without being compelled to fulfill the requirements of the ordinance, as some of the conditions are of a nature that will require the practical reconstruction of some of the playhouses. After a long debate the council decided on the following essentials which the theatres must meet before they will be allowed to open their doors:

A steel curtain; an automatic sprinkling system; a bond of $25,000 guaranteeing the performance by Aug. 1, 1904, of all the requirements of the ordinance; the widening of doors and exits.

All of the above are to be performed under such conditions, terms and restrictions as shall be imposed by the mayor of the city, the commissioner of buildings and a sub-committee of three to be appointed by the mayor.

The managers of the theatres declared last night that it would be impossible for them to meet the demands of the enabling act in sufficient time to do business during the remainder of this season and several of them declared that they had no intention of trying to reopen their doors. The manager of one theatre declared, however, that he would be able to open the doors of his playhouse long before the close of the theatrical season.

The passage of the ordinance put two of the downtown theatres out of business, as their construction is such that they will be unable to comply with the law without tearing down the buildings in which they are located and erecting entirely new structures. All of the other houses will be able to meet the demands of the law, but it will be at a great expense for several of them.

At the Iroquois fire inquest yesterday afternoon Building Commissioner Williams was recalled at his own request. He told of a conference with the mayor and department heads, in which he was told to cut down expenses in every direction as much as possible. The coroner cited section after section of the building ordinance to show that responsibility for the lack of fire fighting appliances on the stage and for other defects in the safety appliances of the theatre rested on the building department. Williams, however, persistently construed the ordinance as placing responsibility for the fire fighting equipment on the fire department.

For the first time during the investigation the language "guilty knowledge" went into the records and those who followed the proceedings were impressed with the full responsibility for the holocast which the jurors seem to place upon that branch of the city government.

The examination of Williams was so severe that Assistant Corporation Counsel Rothman interfered in defense of Williams. A clash with the coroner resulted. The witness was not permitted to testify as to his competency, and, with cold sweat glistening on his forehead, left the stand after as bad an hour as any witness has experienced at the hands of the jury and the coroner.

Eight more churches and a number of halls were closed yesterday for violation of the city ordinances.

Stole Ring From Dead Man

Chicago, Jan. 20.—The police last night arrested Frank Uhler, 19 years old, on a charge of robbing the dead after the fire in the Iroquois theatre. Uhler attempted to dispose of a diamond ring, valued at $800, and when taken into custody confessed that he had stolen it from the hand of a dead man, which was hanging over the edge of a wagon when the load of corpses was backed up in front of the morgue.

Tampering of Payrolls

New York, Jan. 20.—Arthur Woodill, cashier, and Arthur O'Grady, a clerk in the Canal street branch office of the Adams Express company, were arrested last night charged with the larceny of $8000 belonging to the company by altering the payrolls.

Officeholders In Politics

Washington, Jan. 20.—Postmaster General Payne says that there is nothing to bar postmasters or other federal officeholders from serving as delegates to political conventions, whether national, state or county.

Moorish Rebels' Big Capture

Tangier Jan. 20.—A report is current that General MacLean, colonel in command of the bodyguard of the Sultan of Morocco, has been captured by rebels at a spot about a day's journey from Fez.

FORAKER'S POSITION

Glad to Go to Convention If Ohio Delegates Are For Roosevelt

Cincinnati, Jan. 20.—Senator Foraker, when asked about George B. Cox's announcement of his candidacy for delegate-at-large from Ohio to the Chicago convention, said:

"I read about that in the newspapers, but I do not care to discuss it beyond saying that nobody will question Mr. Cox's right to become a candidate for that or any other honor he may desire at the hands of the Republican party of Ohio. He had been a long, hard and efficient worker in the cause of Republicanism, and nobody will question his privilege to seek any recognition he may wish the party to give him."

"Will you be one of the delegates-at-large?"

"I do not know. That is for the convention to determine. I would be very glad to go, provided the sentiment of the Republicans of Ohio is in favor, as I think it is, of the nomination of President Roosevelt. I am an out and out, unqualified supporter of President Roosevelt. I believe there should be no halting or hesitation on the part of Ohio Republicans about supporting him."

Probing Red Cross Affairs

Washington, Jan. 20.—On motion of Senator Daniel the senate adopted a resolution calling on the secretary of state for detailed information as to whether the state department has made inquiries of foreign governments concerning the Red Cross society and whether this government appoints any of the officials or directors and what financial support it gives to the society. Inquiry is made also respecting the equipment of the society for field work, how its accounts are kept and audited and whether the society has the confidence of leading people of the country.

Infantryman Defined

Baltimore, Jan. 20.—Senator Daniel of Virginia was the principal speaker at the banquet last night of the Maryland Association of the Army and Navy of the Confederate states of this city. After referring to his career while a member of General Early's staff, he referred to the infantryman as "the most independent and defiant savage on the face of the earth. He has no horse to take care of and no big gun to sight and shoot with the aid of others."

Wheat at Ninety Cents

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Many bets were decided between brokers on the board of trade when May wheat sold at 90 cents. This is the highest price since September, 1902, when Armour "cornered" the market. Shorts, finding little wheat for sale, were forced to increase their bids. The most influential factor in the present situation is the congested condition of the market. Armour is said to have acquired between 77,000,000 and 100,000,000 bushels of May wheat.

Postoffice Contest Ended

Washington, Jan. 20.—President Roosevelt and Postmaster General Payne have decided to reappoint Franklin A. Barkley as postmaster at Lincolnton, N. C. A spirited contest was waged for the appointment, Mrs. Shipp, widow of Lieutenant Shipp, who was killed at San Juan hill, being an active candidate. Mrs. Shipp will be appointed to a position in the internal revenue service.

Experts Give Testimony

Allentown, Pa., Jan. 20.—After having examined 40 witnesses in its endeavor to prove that Mrs. Catherine Bechtel was guilty of being an accessory after the fact in the murder of her daughter, Mabel, the commonwealth closed its case last evening. The proceedings yesterday were taken up entirely with the examination of experts on blood.

St Louis Livery Drivers Out

St. Louis, Jan. 20.—Eight hundred members of the Carriage Drivers and Hackmen's union struck this morning. No public carriages or hearses, except the 250 carriages and eight hearses under the control of the union, are in operation. The men demand $12.50 a week and the recognition of their union. They are now getting $11 a week.

Jiminez Forces Crippled

Cape Haytien, Jan. 20.—General Jiminez, leader of the Dominican revolution, is crippled by the loss which his forces sustained through the recapture of Puerto Plata by President Morales. The troops of the president are now marching on Santiago de Los Caballeros.

The Real Thing.

Sportsman—Any good hunting in this part of the country?
Native—Lots of it.
Sportsman—What kind of game?
Native—No game at all. Just hunting.

CITY BREVITIES.

More snow.

A. J. Preston is again on his laundry wagon after a serious illness.

The annual ball of the Milton fire department will be held tonight.

Another snow storm for a change. It has been a good old-fashioned winter thus far, all right.

The Street department has done a good work in removing the surplus snow from in front of the stores on Hancock street.

The alarm from Box 45 at 8.07 this morning was for a fire in the chimney of the house of James Flaherty at 32 Hall place. The damage was slight.

Mayor Bryant and Chief Engineer Williams were the principal witnesses at the Superior court on Tuesday in the cases of Faircloth vs. Williams and Prescott. Mr. Williams was cross questioned at great length.

Dorothy Q House.

Although it has been definitely decided by the Daughters of the Revolution to abandon all idea of purchasing the Dorothy Q house in this city, still people interested in the preservation of the old house are not discouraged for there are other schemes on foot which it is hoped will bring forth results in a few days.

Several people have expressed a desire to contribute if a Dorothy Q House fund is started, the amounts pledged ranging from a few dollars to $500.

One of the local banks has agreed to receive and care for the money, provided the fund is started, and it is hoped to give the public full particulars by the end of the week.

A Larger Committee.

The Republican City Committee of 1904 met for organization Tuesday evening. The meeting was a most harmonious one, all officers being elected without opposition.

The only important action of the meeting, after organization, was the adoption of an amendment to the by-laws increasing the membership of the ward committees from seven to nine members.

The organization was perfected as follows:

President,—Albert G. Dolliver.

Vice President,—William H. Teasdale.

Secretary,—Melville C. Holmes.

Treasurer,—Richard R. Freeman.

Finance Committee,—George A. Sidelinger, Alfred O. Diack and Harry S. Nicol.

Protest Against Chinese Labor

Melbourne, Jan. 20.—Premier Deakin has cabled to the authorities at Pretoria to the effect that Australia is convinced that the prohibition of Chinese labor is imperative in British communities expecting to enjoy responsible self-government. Deakin adds that grave perils, racial, social, political and sanitary, will result, as, in spite of safeguards, it is impossible to prevent serious evils. Premier Seddon of New Zealand has cabled to Pretoria in similar terms.

Postoffice Talk Peters Out

Washington, Jan. 20.—The senate required less than a minute to dispose of the motion to refer to the committee on postoffices the various resolutions looking to an investigation of the postoffice department. The question has been previously debated for hours at a time, but yesterday no senator manifested any disposition to discuss it further and it was adopted without negative vote.

Are You Fagged?
That run-down feeling is caused by your over-worked digestive organs not doing their work properly. Set them right, reinvigorate your system and restore sound and lasting health by using
Beecham's Pills
Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c. and 25c.

JANUARY
MARK DOWN
PARLOR STOVES and BLANKETS.
Nearly three months more of cold weather. The greatest opportunity ever offered to buy
PARLOR STOVES, WINTER BLANKETS OR COMFORTERS.
We have cut the price of our Parlor Stoves 1-4 to 1-3 from regular prices. The same saving on comforters and blankets, making prices less than the goods cost to make.
PARLOR STOVES, $3.25 and up.
BLANKETS, 45c. and up.
COMFORTERS, 75c and up.
Prices here on House Furnishings are lower than in any other store.
Cash or Credit. Green Trading Stamps.
HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store,
Hancock Street, Quincy.
We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

LIGHT!
Do not waste your money on Inferior Gas Lamps.
Get the Genuine 20th Century Light.
Burns by actual test 4 cubic feet of Gas per Hour.
Light effectually 100 candle power.
These lights on exhibition at
W. A. BRADFORD'S,
PLUMBING, HEATING, LIGHTING,
Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.
Jan. 14. 6t

First
Made to Supply
a Need
Cremo
Cigar
Now Made to Supply
a Demand—5c
More than a Million Sold every Day

LONG ISLAND
OYSTERS
Solid, 38 cts. quart,
Genuine Quincy Eggs, 45c. dozen.
Meadowbrook Creamery,
QUINCY, MASS.

You Better Write Down
TELEPHONE No. 114-4,
AND CALL UP
The Hancock Fish Market,
Formerly C. H. BROOK'S Market,
Cor. Saville and Hancock Streets.
Everything of the **Very Best.** Fish orders taken and delivered by the
CONSOLIDATED GROCERY & PROVISION CO.,
PROPRIETORS,
Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

BLANKETS.
more of cold weather.
ver offered to buy
ETS OR COMFORTERS.
Parlor Stoves 1-4 to 1-3
wing on comforters and
e goods cost to make.
up.
and up.
TERS, 75c and up.
ngs are lower than in
en Trading Stamps.
IDE & CO.
Furniture Store,
Quincy.
Saturday Evenings.

IT!
nferior Gas Lamps.
Century Light.
t of Gas per Hour.
dle power.
ition at
FORD'S,
, LIGHTING,
Quincy, Mass.

upply
d
no
ar
Supply
-5c
n Sold

LAND
ERS
. quart,
45c. dozen.
Creamery,
ASS.

own
4.
Market,
et,
delivered by the
N CO.,
ass.

van Houten's Cocoa

The beverage that not only builds up the body, but gives strength and energy for the day's work.

Best & Goes Farthest

The Daily Ledger

NOVELETTE

FOR NEXT SATURDAY.

The League of The Old Men

BY JACK LONDON

This is an exciting drama of the Klondike in which an Indian, telling why he slew white men, recites the wrongs of his race. Marked originality in theme and treatment.

This will be followed by other Short Stories of exceptional literary merit.

Seven Columns Illustrated.

ORDER YOUR
SUNDAY DINNER
—AT—
PRATT'S

The Best of Everything and Money Saved.

Fresh Eastern Fowl,	15 cts. lb
Face Rump Roast,	14 cts. lb
Fresh Pork Roast,	14 cts. lb
Best Rump Steak,	25 cts. lb
N. Y. Rump Steak,	12 1-2 cts. lb
Hebron Potatoes,	30 cts. pk
Fancy Celery,	20 cts. bunch
Large Prunes,	3 lbs. 25 cts
Bordeaux Catsup,	3 bot. 25 cts.
Baltimore Peaches,	15 cts. can
Pea Beans,	8 cts. qt

The Coffee we like to sell is OUR VERY BEST
Mocha and Java, 35c. lb
We have others at lower prices.
L. M. PRATT & SON.

Insured for $2,000,000

L. Redman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, the eminent merchant of New York and Philadelphia, has taken out a policy in

The Prudential Insurance Co.

for $1,000,000, paying an annual premium of over $30,000. This makes him the most heavily insured man in the world, with the single exception of King Edward VII.

Mr. Wanamaker's total insurance is now $2,000,000.

Ask yourself WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed one-half this great amount with The Prudential.

Your business judgment will at once reply: "Because after full investigation and comparison, Mr. Wanamaker found that the company which could give him the best insurance for a given amount of money was The Prudential."

Undoubtedly you will agree that Mr. Wanamaker does not pay over $30,000 per year except for most excellent reasons.

These reasons apply to YOU precisely as well as they do to HIM.

Better apply TODAY for information regarding Prudential policies to

FRANK CHESTER MANN,
General Agent for Eastern Massachusetts
209 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.

HENRY O. FAIRBANKS,
Aug. 27-eod-1y Special Agent.

FOR THE UP TO DATE GIRL

Materials and Styles Which Are Smart This Season.

Evening capes are again coming into vogue, and one of the prettiest seen recently was of white chiffon velvet shirred into deep bands and appliqued down the front with silver embroidery.

A white cloth skirt is a useful adjunct to a winter wardrobe, for, worn with one's best white lace waist, it makes a dressy costume. Many of these skirts are elaborately trimmed, but perhaps the prettiest style consists of plaits from the hips, while down the front there is a panel fastened at each side with tiny gold buttons the size of a pea.

Crepe lisse is an old fashioned material which is coming back into use. It is especially pretty for evening gowns.

The combination of brown and red is a fashionable one this season, and

DOTTED MULL GOWN.

the red effect is gained by the introduction of coral buttons, beads, applications of red cloth partially veiled by lace dyed brown, etc.

Very deep shades of tan lace in a very heavy pattern are used to make up dresses for theater wear and even for afternoon calling. These gowns are rendered wintry in appearance by the addition of touches of brown velvet and fur.

The illustration shows an evening gown of dotted mull having a wide lace collar and long lace tabs lined with chiffon. The bow is of black velvet.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

WANT MORE FACTS

But Democrats Will Eventually Vote For Canal Treaty

MEASURE SURE TO PASS

Efforts to Withhold Support of It Until Certain Inquries Are Suitably Answered--Morgan Is Still an Active Opponent

Washington, Jan. 20.—The Panama treaty, as amended by the committee on foreign relations, was read in executive session of the senate yesterday. No discussion was had and it was announced that debate on the treaty will begin today.

An important conference of Democratic senators was held at which it appeared that all hope of defeating the ratification of the treaty by presenting a solid Democratic front against it must be abandoned. In fact, the conference was called because disintegration of the Democratic ranks was revealed by the announcement of Senators Mallory, Clay and Simmons that they desire to make speeches in favor of the Panama canal, and while in these speeches they will criticise some of the methods by which the pending treaty was brought about, they will give notice of their purpose to vote for its ratification.

The Democratic leaders endeavored in conference to pursuade these senators and others who incline the same way, to wait until additional information on the subject can be obtained from the state department. The charge was made that Republican senators are in possession of more facts than the Democrats, and it was urged that before any Democrat expressed a willingness to support the treaty he should insist on having his side of the chamber fairly treated in the way of inside information.

Accordingly a committee, of which Senator Gorman is chairman, was appointed to draft resolutions embodying the inquiries of Senator Hoar and others, including certain recent newspaper charges which have attracted wide attention. These composite resolutions are to be presented to a Democratic conference, when it is hoped that all Democrats can be induced to withhold support for the treaty until these inquiries are suitably answered.

The action of the Republican members of the senate foreign relations committee in adopting the Lodge resolution to report the treaty without delay was commented on, and several Democrats, notably Senators Morgan, Daniel, Bailey and Pettus, predicted that if goaded by Republican precipitancy, the Democrats might yet become a unit in voting for rejection of the convention. Other senators agreed that this was impossible.

The Democratic leaders will not try to prevent ratification, but they do desire to make as much party capital out of the situation as they can, in order that they may go before the country in a position to criticise the president's methods, but not loaded with the responsibility of having prevented the construction of a canal.

Senator Morgan occupied some time at the conference, presenting the view that the Panama revolution was a stock jobbing affair, which would eternally disgrace the American name. He read certain newspaper publications to this effect, embodying charges which he thought ought to be thoroughly sifted before any Democrat gave support to the pending treaty. The Republicans answer this line of attack by saying that the administration is not responsible for what individuals may have done to foment the insurrection so long as the hands of the government are officially clear.

"Widows" Out In the Cold

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 20.—The estate of Charles Hall, to which more than a dozen "widows" have entered claims, has been distributed by order of court. The entire estate, amounting to $144,000, goes to heirs in Boston. The successful claimants are Salem D. Charles and seven other relatives. The state received over $5000 out of the estate as inheritance tax.

King Welcomed Home

Copenhagen, Jan. 20.—The city was illuminated last night in celebration of King Christian's return here from Austria, it being the occasion for an outbreak of tremendous enthusiasm on the part of the people, the majority of whom little expected to see him here again. The king seemed well, though he walked with some difficulty.

Railroad Blocked by Snow

Oil City, Pa., Jan. 20.—Officials of the Pennsylvania railroad find it impossible to keep the tracks clear of snow on the line between Corry and Dunkirk, which has been abandoned. Between these points the snow is piled as high as the roofs of the coaches.

Patronized Home Product

Melbourne, Jan. 20.—The federal postal department gave evidence of its sympathy with preferential trade in accepting a British tender for $60,000 worth of copper wire, though the amount was 3-4 percent higher than an American tender.

Macedonian Turmoil

Salonica, Jan. 20.—An insurgent band has been defeated by Turkish troops near Perlepe. Seventeen insurgents and five Turks were killed.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Charles W. Stoddard, the author, who holds the chair of English literature in the Catholic university Washington, is seriously ill at the Cambridge, Mass., hospital.

John N. Drummond, former vice president of the Wabash railroad, died of paralysis at Chicago. He was born at Bristol, Me., in 1826.

The board of governors of McGill university, it is expected, will establish a chair of railroad engineering and transportation in general at the university this year.

The anniversary of the birthday of General Robert E. Lee was observed throughout the south. Many schools and banks were closed in his honor.

The prudential committee of the American Board of Foreign Missions has decided that a new vessel must be secured for the prosecution of missionary work in the island world of the Pacific.

The Liberal Laymen's league of Connecticut valley held its annual meeting at Northampton, Mass., and elected J. W. Stevens of Greenfield, Mass., president.

Cuban Congress Adjourns

Havana, Jan. 20.—President Palma ordered congress to adjourn yesterday afternoon and the session came to an end soon after the receipt of the order, which was issued under the authority of the constitution. No important measures are pending and the members for the most part are glad to get their freedom and to be able to take part in the election campaign.

Trod on Canadian Corns

London, Jan. 20.—At the annual dinner last night of the Canada club Colonel Secretary Lyttelton ruffled the feelings of the Canadians present by upholding in a speech Justice Alverstone's recent ruling in the Alaska boundary case. The Duke of Marlborough spoke a little later and succeeded in smoothing matters out by a tactful speech.

German Eyes on San Domingo

San Juan, P. R., Jan. 20.—San Domingo advices from a trustworthy source are to the effect that Germany is quietly buying control of certain Belgian claims against San Domingo, with the intention of ultimately seizing Samana bay to enforce their payment. These claims antedate those of the American company and aggregate $3,000,000.

Forty Guests at Payne Dinner

Washington, Jan. 20.—The cabinet dinner given by Postmaster General and Mrs. Payne last night was the largest function of that character ever given in Washington. In addition to President and Mrs. Roosevelt there were about 40 guests. For the first time this season the entire cabinet circle was represented.

Missing Men Promoted

Paris, Jan. 20.—The minister of marine has promoted the officers of the missing naval collier Vienne to higher rank with the object of increasing the pensions of their widows in the event of the collier's loss.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Thursday, Jar. 21.
Sun rises—7:09; sets—4:43.
Moon sets—8:46 p. m.
High water—11:15 a. m.; 11:45 p. m.

The eastern area of high pressure continues to dominate the weather in the central valleys and Atlantic coast districts. It has moved slowly east southeast. The cold wave in New England will be followed by fair and warmer weather.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Monday, Jan. 18:

David Bang, J. K. Bean, H. E. Bickford Goetono Centorfont, William Hanaway, Hooper & Keith, James Mulholand, Edward Pitts, W. P. Plummer, E. C. Ryder, A. E. H. Sprague. Mrs. Blonberg, Miss Ethel Chivie, Mrs. Fritz Held, Mrs. Holmes, Miss Minnie Mann, Mrs. George Parsons, Lila Studley, Miss Tate, Mrs. Drusilla Varney.

The mercury began to climb rapidly during the night.

OIL FOR THE BODY

You can't lose an atom without feeling it. The body is like an engine, a watch, a machine; must be kept in good order to run right.

That's the reason Scott's Emulsion is so successful in all wasting diseases. It feeds, nourishes and strengthens when ordinary food won't.

Doctors say Scott's Emulsion is the best nourishment for those who are not as well as they should be.

We use the whole oil in Scott's Emulsion because the great reputation of cod liver oil as a food and medicine was made by using it in this way. Substitutes in the shape of wines, cordials, extracts, etc., should be carefully avoided.

We'll send you a sample free upon request.
SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York.

RUSSIA'S RETREAT

Crisis In the Far East Appears to Be Greatly Relieved

UNITED STATES' ATTITUDE

Victory on Open Ports a Most Potent Factor, Proving a Formidable Obstacle to Russian Plans In Manchuria

London, Jan. 20.—The German newspapers appear to be paving the way to explain the Russian retreat in the negotiations with Japan and in all of the capitals of Europe opinion now inclines to a peaceful issue in the far east.

The most significant news is the fuller disclosure of the great impression made upon Russian opinion by the new United States treaty with China. Press comment in Russia shows that the treaty is regarded as a great diplomatic victory for the Washington government, and the means of opposing a more formidable obstacle to Russia's plans in Manchuria.

The comment indicates that Secretary Hay's campaign for "the open door" had been regarded in Russia as of slight importance. Now, however, the recent change in the popular feeling of our people toward Russia has been realized in that country, and has raised a fear that the use of force might follow any disregard by Russia of our treaty rights. Russia begins to see the world's collective sentiment gathering behind Japan's protest against her policy of exclusiveness.

Hope of peace, influenced by considerations set forth above, is strong. The war party is for the time in retirement, and Lamsdorff is credited with directing the czar's policy of conciliation. It is stated that the authority of Viceroy Alexieff has been much curtailed, and that there is a chance that Witte may return to power. He is well known to be opposed to war with Japan.

The Port Arthur correspondent of The Daily Mail cables that he has had an interview with Alexieff, the Russian envoy in the far east, who spoke hopefully of arranging a modus vivendi with Japan. The viceroy then referred the correspondent to his diplomatic agent, M. Plarcon, who emphasized the impossibility of Russia's evacuation of Manchuria, and said:

"Orders were given six months ago to evacuate New Chwang and Manchuria provided the Chinese would agree to simple terms, but owing to the intrigues of the Japanese minister with the Chinese foreign board these orders were countermanded."

M. Plarcon declared that the action of the United States in making a commercial treaty with China without Russia's consent, under the existing circumstances, was unfriendly and undiplomatic. Russia, he said, would not open or allow consuls at Mukden and Antung under the present regime. If Japan wanted Corea Russia, Plarcon said, would not interfere, provided other powers allowed it, and he added: "Russia did not ask Japan's consent to occupy Manchuria, neither was it necessary for Japan to seek Russia's permission to establish a protectorate in Corea."

M. Plarcon concluded by saying that the United States and other nations were more interested in the situation than was Russia. The correspondent adds that the action of the United States government has "upset Viceroy Alexieff's calculations."

FEARS OF AN OUTBREAK

Decidedly Panicky Feeling Prevails at Corean Capital

Seoul, Jan. 20.—Russia complains that Corean soldiers are causing trouble. Corea answers that Russia must not interfere.

The tension in Seoul is increasing and the native press, which probably is inspired, is more bitter against foreigners than formerly. The emperor's trusted advisors have a daily council. The Russian and English legations have increased their guards by 16. The Japanese are buying and storing much rice in northern Corea. The ginseng trade is dead.

The Corean general, Yihak Kiun, whose sympathies are pro-Russian, has made a veiled threat against foreigners.

Foreigners Stirring Up Strife

Washington, Jan. 20.—Minister Allen, at Seoul, reports to the state department that Corea is in a panicky condition and there is apprehension of a riotous outbreak at any moment. The intimation is conveyed that interested foreign emissaries are at the bottom of these disturbances, the result of which may be to afford an excuse for intervention and the placing of large forces in Corea, thus precipitating a hostile collision between Russia and Japan. It is understood that the matter of reenforcing the United States legation guard at Seoul will be left to the mutual arrangement of Mr. Allen and Rear Admiral Evans. The Germans also have landed marines to protect the legation.

Fire King In Full Sway

Montreal, Jan. 20.—The epidemic of fires here continues. The parish church of St. Cunegonde, a French Canadian suburb immediately adjoining Montreal, was burned last evening. The losses will aggregate several hundreds of thousands of dollars, with comparatively little insurance.

FOUND IN NEW YORK

Boston Public Library Recovers Valuable Stolen Books

Boston, Jan. 20.—The copy of Hawthorne's "Fanshawe," valued at $400, and other valuable books alleged to have been stolen from the Boston public library by Frederick H. Bates, who is under arrest, have been brought to Boston from New York by W. H. Lee of the Boston library. The books were recovered in an art and book auction room in New York.

One small volume, valued at $400 and which, it is reported, was sold at auction for $200 recently, is Hawthorne's "Celestial Railroad" and is still missing. It is now said that all the missing public library books except this one have been recovered.

The police assert that they have positively discovered that books which Bates claimed were destroyed by the fire at his Gleasondale house are intact and among those taken Sunday from his library of about 1600 volumes in his father's house at Hyde Park.

Ecclesiastical Trial For Elwood

Dover, Del., Jan. 20.—The New Castle Presbytery has decided to try Rev. R. A. Elwood of Wilmington on charges in connection with the preaching of a sermon by him last June entitled: "Should the murderer of Helen Bishop be lynched?" The complaint against Elwood is that he delivered a sermon, which, it is alleged, so worked up the people that the next night a mob gathered, stormed the work house, took out George White, a negro, who confessed to assaulting and killing Helen Bishop, and burned him to death at the stake.

Russian Blessing of Waters

St. Petersburg, Jan. 20.—The czar made his first public appearance this season at the solemn ceremony of blessing the waters. In the orthodox church this rite is commemorative of the baptism of the Savior. It occurred in an open chapel built out on a quay extending from the winter palace. It was preceded by a religious service within the palace. When the rite was finished thousands of persons swarmed across the ice and dipped up water with which to sanctify their homes. Similar ceremonies were observed throughout Russia.

Peptiron Pills
(Chocolate-coated)
Strengthen the Nerves
Tone the Stomach
Feed the Brain

And cure nervousness, neuralgia, sleeplessness, dyspepsia, anemia, and that long train of aches and pains attending an overworked and underfed brain.

They are a happy combination of the best nerve tonics, digestives and brain and blood nutrients; are pleasant to take and readily assimilated.

Peptiron Pills, (chocolate-coated.) 50c. or $1—the latter a full month's treatment. Prepared by C. I. HOOD CO., Lowell, Mass.

Selling Agent In Quincy:
E. J. Murphy, 1657 Hancock St.

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.

JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.
HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

DANCING.
COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.
BASKET BALL
AND DANCING
THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all ormer pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For further particulars apply to ELMER W BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

DO YOU COUGH
DON'T DELAY
TAKE KEMP'S BALSAM
THE BEST COUGH CURE

It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Oct. 18, 1903, trains will run as follows:

[Subject to change without notice.]

TO BOSTON Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r *5 19	abcdefghi	5 47	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 23	ad	7 42	8 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp.	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 42	a c	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	12 45	Exp.	1 02
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 58	cba	1 19 r
r 9 42	abc	10 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	sb:	10 32	1 58	cba	2 19 r
r 10 42	abc	11 02	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	a l c	11 32	2 45	cba	3 06 r
r 11 12	abc	12 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 45	cba	4 06 r
r 1 42	abc	2 02	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 16	dba	5 36 r
r 3 42	abc	4 02	5 26	a	5 45 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 46	ihgfdcba	6 15
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
6 59	Exp.	7 15	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32			

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 48 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 48 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 43	Exp.	9 00
9 00	Exp.	9 15	9 28	ihgfedcba	9 37 r
10 18	Exp.	10 33	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 22	abcdefghi	10 40			

* The letters in the same line a... stand for different stations and i... trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison ...
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hi...
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.46 6.16 6.46 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—8.16 8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 7.21 9.21 P. M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A. M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P. M.

Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE.

Corrected to Nov. 20th, 1903.

(Subject to change without notice.)

LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brockville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A M. 12.00 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 810 A. M. then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON 7.15, 7.45 A M, then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M. Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

J. T. CONWAY, Division Supt
H. E. REYNOLDS, Asst. Gen. Supt.
Quincy, Mass., Nov. 20, 1903.

SKATES SHARPENED.
Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .
24 Granite Street,
NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.
Dec. 21. 1m

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EASTMILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	24	32	50	34	37
Monday,	16	30	19	37	45
Tuesday,	10	33	10	51	10
Wednesday,	26	42	25	48	22
Thursday,	—	39	45	32	45
Friday,	—	34	40	44	40
Saturday,	—	30	39	52	38

New Advertisements Today.

State House Hearing.
Mrs. C. J. Miller—4 for 1 Trading Stamps.
L. M. Pratt & Son—Low Priced Groceries.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Parmenter of Gay street on Saturday.

Have you noticed that an estate is advertised for sale for sewer "appointment?"

The Social Seven of West Quincy hold a social dance at St. Mary's hall this week.

"Bobby Burns'" anniversary will be observed by Quincy Scotchmen on Friday evening.

This is the first day since last Wednesday that has been warmer at noon than its predecessor.

Mr. Robert Nelson of Atlantic street, left Saturday for Southern Pines, North Carolina, where he will remain throughout the winter.

A leap year party will be given in Music Hall, Quincy, next week by some young ladies of Quincy. The invitations are out.

Dr. A. H. Gilson was on Tuesday evening reelected secretary of the Brimmer School Association of Boston, at the 27th reunion.

State President Guthier of this city presided this week at the convention of the State branch of the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners.

Business at the local court has been very quiet this month up to the present time. The severe weather may have acted as a check to crime.

Miss Mary B. Adams of Wollaston has been renominated for treasurer of the Woman's Golf Association of Boston. The annual meeting will be held Feb. 1.

Since the cold spell the residents of Squantum walk across the bay to Atlantic which takes but a very short time. The ice is solid and very smooth.

The Compass whist club met with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kolseth of Walker street Tuesday evening. The club awards prizes every fourth meeting this year.

Miss Emma King of Worcester has accepted a position as teacher in Quincy and is staying with her aunt, Mrs. Charles R. Safford of Clive street for the winter.

At the meeting of Granite Pride lodge of Odd Ladies in Farnum's hall, Monday Dr. John H. Ash, the physician of the lodge was presented with a McKinley rocker.

Music lovers are eagerly anticipating the concert this evening at Colonial hall given by Mr. Walter E. Loud and Mr. L. Dowley Williams, complimentary to their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Ames of Cross street mourn the death of their daughter Irene, who was in her ninth year. Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. F. C. Douglas of Beach street, Wollaston, who had the misfortune to fall a few days ago breaking one rib and fracturing two others, is reported as comfortable as can be expected.

The Boys' club of Atlantic has taken the former post office for its habitation. Judging from the sounds of hilarity which issue from the closed door and curtained windows, the club is a lively and a jovial one.

The Sagamore club with lady friends, enjoyed a sleigh ride Tuesday evening. A boat sleigh was hired for the occasion. A supper was served at a hotel during the ride. They arrived home about midnight thoroughly enjoying the ride.

GRAND CONCERT.

Given at Wollaston by the Glee Club.

The concert given by the Wollaston Glee club with Mr. J. A. Crowley as director at the Wollaston Congregational church Tuesday evening attracted a large audience and those present seemed to be thoroughly satisfied with the entertainment presented. It could hardly be otherwise for the program was an excellent one.

The first part included several numbers by the Glee club, readings by Miss Frances Beckwith, several selections by the Masonic Quartette and a brace of songs by Mrs. Fannie Hatch Thayer. The latter's delightful and sweet voice, which was heard some months ago in Wollaston, made pleasant impressions which are still fresh in memory.

The results achieved at the concert should encourage Mr. Crowley and the club to renewed endeavor this season, and they deserve the support and encouragement of the musical public in larger measure than ever before and from present indications the outlook is most gratifying.

The chorus acquitted themselves with credit and received much applause.

The quartette selections by Messrs. Bullock, Moulton, Follett and Hahn gave great pleasure to the audience, and were greeted with repeated applause.

The selections by Miss Beckwith were received with much merriment and applause.

The second part of the program opened with the "Image of the Rose" by the club with Mr. Bullock as soloist. The melodious voice of Mr. Bullock was heard to excellent advantage. This selection and the solo, "I drink the fragrance of the rose" by Mrs. Thayer, both seemed to impress the audience perhaps more than other numbers on the program.

The last number was an exceedingly fine rendering of the "Lost Chord" by the Glee club, assisted by Mrs. Mira Moulton at the piano and Mr. Herbert Y. Follett at the organ. Mrs. Moulton as accompanist was excellent.

TODAY'S COURT.

John H. Fitzgerald was arraigned for drunkenness at Braintree. Case continued until Jan. 5.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Nov. 2. 6mos.

BORN.

PARMENTER—In Quincy, Jan. 16, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Parmenter of 65 Gay street.

FISHER—In Braintree, Jan. 20, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Fisher of Hunt avenue.

MARRIED.

GOMEZ — WHITE—In Quincy, Jan. 18, by Rev. E. C. Butler, Mr. Louis A. Gomez of Quincy, to Miss Ethel M. White of Holbrook.

PERLSTON—GINSBERG—In Quincy, Jan. 18, by Harrison A. Keith, Esq., Mr. Samuel Perlston to Miss Eti Ginsberg both of Quincy.

DIED.

AMES—In Quincy, Jan. 19, Irene E., daughter of Mr. Samuel E., and Mrs. Carrie M. Ames aged 8 years, 3 months and 18 days.
Funeral from late residence 58 Cross street, Thursday, Jan. 21, at 2.30 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

LeGALLEE—In East Madison, Maine, Jan. 16, Mr. Joseph W. LeGallee, aged 85 years.

LAMBERT — In Hingham, Jan. 18, Mrs. Adeline M., wife of Mr. Isaac Lambert.

HOLLIS—In Braintree, Jan. 20. Mrs. Caroline Moulton, widow of Martin H. Hollis, of Middle street, aged 63 years and 8 months.

TO-DAY

And Every Day until the Bankrupt Stock of

C. F. DERBY

Is Closed out we will sell

MEN'S and BOYS'

CLOTHING,

Furnishings and Hats

At Lower Prices than any other store.

COME AT ONCE
For Best Bargains.

You want good goods for a little money. We want the cash. Here is your opportunity.

BANKRUPT SALE,

Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

CHOKED WITH ICE

Navigation Off Southeastern Massachusetts Suspended

Woods Hole, Mass., Jan. 20.—After a respite of about a week Nantucket and Vineyard sound have succumbed to the rigors of one of the severest winters that has been experienced for many years. All the bays and harbors are choked with ice, and great fields and good-sized bergs are scattered along the pathway of the coastwise shipping from Gay Head to Chatham, completely stopping passage except by the staunchest steamers.

Nantucket is once more cut off from communication by steamer. Buzzards bay is frozen over from a point opposite New Bedford harbor clear across to the Falmouth shore, and the Edgartown harbor is also blocked. In Vineyard Haven more than a score of coasters are hemmed in by ice and several have been frozen in for nearly three weeks.

Yale Juniors' Great "Prom"

New Haven, Jan. 20.—Nearly 500 couples danced at the Yale junior promenade last night. The decorations had never been excelled, the Second regiment armory being transformed into a ballroom of fine proportions. Between dances informal receptions were held from box to box, almost 60 of the stalls being set along the walls and under the galleries. A program of more than 40 dances was carried out and not until dawn did the dancers leave the hall.

Wool Warehouse Burned

Boston, Jan. 20.—While all of the fire apparatus in the vicinity was responding to another alarm a fire broke out in the four-story wool warehouse of H. P. Garrity & Co. last night, and the building was gutted and its contents destroyed. The fire leaped across an alley in the rear of the building and caused considerable damage. A total loss of about $75,000 was caused. Spontaneous combustion is believed to have been the cause of the fire.

Woman and Baby Burned

Maynard, Mass., Jan. 20.—Mrs. James J. Morgan was called to the house of Joseph Grovel by a little girl who had been left in the house with a baby sister. Mrs. Morgan found the baby lying on a couch with its clothes afire. She smothered the flames, but in so doing set her own clothes on fire. Then she ran from the house and rolled in the snow. Both Mrs. Morgan and the Grovel baby were burned badly, but both will probably recover.

Invalid Perished From Cold

Millbury, Mass., Jan. 20.—Because his daughter, who slept in another part of the house, was hard of hearing and could not be awakened by her father's cries, Peter Lang, aged 68, suffering with blood poisoning of the legs, lay helpless on his kitchen floor all night and died as the result of exposure. On account of the intense cold weather he sat near the kitchen fire, which went out while he dosed, and in his effort to start a new fire he fell.

Alleged Smugglers Will Return

Boston, Jan. 20.—Frederick Green and Selig Leipsig, the bondsmen of C. A. Baitler and Simon Burman, charged with smuggling imported goods through the Boston custom house, announce that Baitler and Burman will return to Boston before Jan. 26. The bondsmen had been given until that date either to produce the two men or to forfeit $10,000, the bond which they assumed for the two men when they were arrested.

Accidentally Shot by Child

Cherryfield, Me., Jan. 20.—Mrs. Stephen Tibbets of Beddington was perhaps fatally shot by the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of an 8-year-old girl. The gun stood in the corner of the kitchen, and the girl, believing it to be unloaded, took it up and pulled the trigger. Mrs. Tibbets, although in an adjoining room at the time, happened to be opposite an open door and received the bullet in the breast.

Orientals to Be Sent Home

Boston, Jan. 20.—The federal authorities are making arrangements to deport 25 Chinamen to China. These Chinamen were ordered deported by Commissioner Hale, and their departure will be the first real fruits of the recent Chinese raid. Of the 112 held for hearings, 39 were discharged and 48 still remain to have their cases passed upon.

A One-Round Settler

Boston, Jan. 20.—Kid Carter repeated his feat of two years ago by knocking Joe Choynsji out in the first round of what was scheduled to be a 15-round battle here last night. The blow was such a low one, however, that it was openly claimed that a foul had been committed. Choynski was apparently in great distress.

Fell Through Scuttle Hole

Brattleboro, Vt., Jan. 20.—F. D. Williams, carriage manufacturer, fell through a scuttle hole in the floor of his factory, his head coming in contact with the foundation of a boiler in the basement, causing death. He was 45 years old and unmarried.

Practical Test of Protector

Newport, R. I., Jan. 20.—A board of army officers inspected the submarine boat Protector as to her military value in coast and harbor defense. The boat was submerged, a cable picked up and cut, and dinner cooked, served and eaten on board.

Liquor Sellers Imprisoned

Augusta, Me., Jan. 20.—Joseph Ferland, Joseph Howard and Reny Burgoyne, all of Waterville, were sentenced to 60 days in jail with no alternative on indictments for liquor selling.

THE CURIOSITY VENDER

[Original.]

"Good morning, Mr. Verder? How is the curio business today?"

"Fairly good. Can I do anything for you?"

"Since you deal in old manuscripts, I have thought I might sell you one."

"Um! The prices we get for manuscripts are so poor that it hardly pays us to buy them, even when we get them at our own terms. But to whom am I indebted for this visit? I don't know that I ever saw you before."

"Call me Damon. I don't care to be known just now, especially in this transaction. If the police should get hold of the matter, they might make trouble for me."

The shopkeeper turned a pair of gray eyes, partly covered by shaggy eyebrows, like those of a terrier dog, on his visitor.

"If I could find a certain man," continued Damon, "I could sell it to him for every cent he has in the world."

Verder said nothing for a time. He appeared to be puzzled by the singular statement. Damon was watching him closely. "Why do you come here?" said Verder at last.

"I have thought you might find the man for me."

There was another pause, at the end of which Verder said:

"I could tell better about that if I knew his name."

"It is Dealy."

Verder turned from the piercing glance the other brought to bear upon him, went to a desk and began to look over his cashbook.

"You don't seem to know him."

"No, I don't. You must excuse me. I am busy today. Last night there was an error in my cash."

"Would you not like to see the bit of paper I refer to?" asked Damon.

"It would not interest me."

"Not even to know where it was found?"

The curio merchant seemed not to hear the question. He was adding a column of figures. Damon proceeded:

"I had a visit the other day from a dealer in secondhand furniture. He told me that he had bought a desk that had belonged to an old man who was found one morning some years ago dead in his bed. Had it not been for some blue marks on his throat—there were three right hand finger marks, the third finger missing—his death would have been attributed to heart disease. As it was it was believed that he was murdered. When his estate was settled, instead of finding $500,000 in government bonds which the deceased had informed his family he had put away for a certain use none was found. Well, as I see that I am boring you I will condense what I have to say. The furniture dealer who bought the desk was putting it in order when he came upon a secret drawer in which was a letter. That's the letter I came here to sell."

Meanwhile the curio dealer had ceased to add figures and was listening breathlessly. When the speaker had finished he turned his face to a fireplace fitted with a colonial mantel, brass andirons and fender. He placed his hands on the mantel, bowed his head and groaned. The third finger on his right hand was missing.

Presently he turned.

"What do you want for your—your curio?" he asked.

"You wouldn't buy it without seeing it, would you?"

"I? I wouldn't buy it, but I know a man who"—

"Just so. I thought you would know somebody who would take an interest in the matter. But I think it would sharpen your faculties to see the letter or at least hear it read. I will read it to you." And, taking a paper from his pocket, he read aloud:

I must have the rest of the bonds before the close of the month. If not you will not live to complete the year. DEALY.

"The name is made up," continued Damon, looking up at his victim. "That's plain. It's the word 'deal'—a pretty villainous deal, I should say. How much would your friend pay for the letter?"

"Name the price," said Verder hoarsely.

"The missing bonds."

"If you will come in tomorrow, I will tell you what I have done."

"I must know today."

"Well, remain here. I will be back within half an hour."

"If you need to send a messenger, call one, but I'm a timid man and wouldn't like to be left so long alone."

"What guarantee has this—Dealy—that he will not be prosecuted?"

"Ah! Now we are getting to something that interests you. Look at this."

He drew from his pocket a paper, which he handed to Verder. Verder read it and put it in his own pocket. It was an indemnification.

"Now you're acting like a sensible man. But I want to explain to you that the estate of the man who was bled of his bonds turned out a shell, and his family are impoverished. That's why Mr. Dealy escapes the gallows. See?"

Verder took up an old bayonet. Damon drew a revolver, but he had no occasion to use it. Verder used the bayonet to raise some brick and mortar on the hearth of the fireplace and took out a package, which he handed to Damon. Damon unrolled it and counted 500 thousand dollar United States bonds.

"I thought we'd make a deal, Mr. Dealy. Good morning. I'm sure you have sense enough to keep mum, and I assure you the rest of us have. You see, this cheating the gallows is dangerous work when found out."

And, turning, the detective left the shop.

F. A. MITCHEL.

THE MODERN NOTE.

It Is Not Sentiment, but Bravery With a Dash of Humor.

According to the modern notion, a man should be something of an artist in life. He should at least appear to play his part easily, with dash and gusto, like the acrobat who performs each dangerous feat smiling. This is la panache, the feather in the cap of courage—bravery with humor added. It is the spirit in which Lungtungpen was taken, in which Cyrano composed his ballade while he fought a duel, for Cyrano and Alan Breck, no less than Mulvaney and Sherlock Holmes, are very modern heroes.

Stevenson's whole life was one long devotion to this ideal. He carried his ill health and penury bravely and wittily into far corners of the earth through many strange adventures. As he wrote to William Archer: "The medicine bottles on my chimney and the blood on my handkerchief are accidents. They do not exist in my prospect."

The melodramatic gloom of Byron, the lachrymose pathos of Dickens and the shallow sentimentality of Thackeray touch the source of our tears less surely than the sheer gay heartedness and courage in the face of disease, difficulty or danger. This is the modern note. A clever woman told me that every young man of her acquaintance when he reached a certain degree of intimacy, quoted these lines of Henley's:

Under the bludgeonings of chance
My head is bloody, but unbowed.

—Claude Bragdon in Reader.

THE KANGAROO'S STORY.

Why the Does Throw Their Young Away When Hard Pressed.

"I have heard that men folk in their blindness deem our does to be lacking in the proper instincts of maternity because they have found that a doe kangaroo when hunted will throw away its offspring to save its own skin by hastening its speed. This," says Old Man Jack in the "Autobiography of an Australian Kangaroo" in Pearson's Magazine, "is simply scandalous and foolish.

"Men people are evidently not aware that our youngsters use the mother's pouch almost up to the age of maturity. Would they have our does attempt to fly from dogs and men and horses with youngsters weighing nearly fifty pounds in their pouches? The thing would be impossible.

"Among us a mother is taught to toss her youngsters to a place of safety when she is hard pressed. If she could not throw it to a place far safer in the circumstances than her own pouch she would turn at bay with it and face any odds.

"In the case of my mother, when we were chased, and sure as the hunt became dangerous she would pause, draw me out of her pouch, throw me carefully into long scrub on her right, then turn sharply to her left, pause again until the hounds had seen her and then be off like the wind straight away from me."

WAYS OF THE MAGPIE.

The Bird Is Sociable, Secretive and Full of Mischief.

The magpie has the same sort of sociability, the same secretiveness, the same thirst for education—of a certain kind—the same inherent and ineradicable love of mischief as has that very versatile bird the raven. Not that in intellect and strength of character she is in any way equal to the raven. Fun she has in abundance, but hardly humor. Conscious humor, that high and rare gift of man which interpenetrates and colors everything in life, is, I think, possessed in germ by the raven and the raven alone. You see it in his eye, in the pose of his head, in his walk, in every movement of his body. The eye of the magpie is, like the wit of Dickens, always on the move, nervous, excitable, glittering, scintillating. The eye of the raven is like the humor of Goldsmith. It has a faraway look, it dreams, it thinks, "it bodes and it bodes," it all but smiles. The magpie will pick up many words, or even sentences, and the old superstition that she will only talk or talk well if her tongue is slit with a thin and sharp silver sixpence died a natural death about the time that the coins of the realm had to be "milled" and so were rendered unsuitable for so stupidly cruel an operation.—R. Bosworth Smith in Nineteenth Century.

Servants In Germany.

It is difficult in Germany for a professional rogue to enter a family as a domestic servant. There every servant has a character book, in which the mistress must enter the dates of the coming and leaving of the servant, with her character while in service. This the girl is obliged to take to the nearest police station and have it dated with the official stamp, thus preventing the manufacture of bogus recommendations.

What She Meant.

"Didn't I hear your wife refer to you as the human mince pie?" said the curious person.

"Yes," answered Mr. Sirius Barker.

"Is that a compliment"

"Not exactly. She means that I never agree with anybody."—Washington Star.

As Usual.

"When I looked at this picture last week I failed to observe those goats down in the corner."

"Probably they butted in since then."—Kansas City Journal.

The Time to Think.

Clara—I suppose I ought to stop and think before I accept him.

Maud—Oh, no. You'll have plenty of time to do that afterward.—Detroit Free Press.

THE BEST KNOWN—KNOWN AS THE BEST.

NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT

In 10c Packages with List of Valuable Premiums.

DAY OF FASTING.

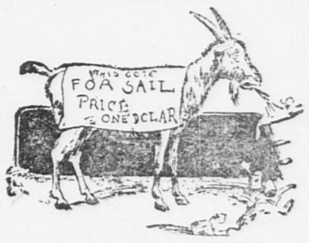
Revival at the United Presbyterian Church is Far Reaching.

The revival meetings at the United Presbyterian Church go forward with unabated interest notwithstanding the severity of the weather. The attendance has been considerably beyond what could be expected. Over twenty have come out and accepted Christ this week so far, not counting the decisions in the Sabbath School, about half of whom are men.

The pastor says: we are glad to see people from North Weymouth and places outside the city. Our hope is that not only Quincy but neighboring towns, will be swept with mighty tidal wave of revival power.

We do not desire to confine this work to a single church, but that mighty conviction may fall upon all our cities, to this end a day of fasting and prayer has been appointed for Friday, Jan. 22, at which time we hope to have the co-operation of several pastors and churches in carrying out a program to be announced tomorrow, which we think will be helpful to All Gods children.

A Dollar Bill.



—Philadelphia Ledger.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

You can buy THURSDAY at

PRATT'S

2 lbs. Good Steak 25 cents
Smoked Shoulders, 8 cts. pound

L. M. PRATT & SON.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

JANUARY
MARK DOWN SALE
—OF—

COATS.

New up-to-date Coats
Were $7.98, now **$5.00.**
Were $7.98, now **$6.98.**

We have only 2 Zibeline Coats left.
Prices, $17.98 and $25.00.
Choice now, **$12.98.**

Every Coat in the store Marked Down.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

You can buy WEDNESDAY at

PRATT'S

3 5-cent Loaves for 10 cents
2 Packages Luck, 15 cents

L. M. PRATT & SON.

WANTED.

Young Man 16 to 20 years old
— IN A —
Grocery and Provision Store
In this City.
One with some experience preferred.
Address in own hand writing giving age and references.
"B.," Ledger Office.
Jan. 19. 6t

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—In a Quincy centre store, an assistant book-keeper with some experience. Address, stating experience and salary willing to work for, BOOK-KEEPER, Ledger office.
Quincy, Jan. 15. tf

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines, steady work. Apply to MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy.
Jan. 13. tf

FOR SALE.

VICTOR TALKING MACHINE for sale at a bargain with forty records. Apply at 16 Jackson street.
Quincy, Jan. 19. 3t

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom made pung built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILSON
Quincy, Jan. 12. tf

TO LET.

TO LET—Furnished Room, near Square. Apply to WEEKS-HILL Pharmacy.
Quincy, Jan. 19. 3t

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent, $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston.
Dec. 30. lp-tf

TO LET—48 Revere road, very large Front Room, nicely furnished and heated. $3.00 per week. Nice large bath room in the house, heated also. Quincy, Jan. 16-6t

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street.
Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

TO LET.

House of 8 rooms and bath, No. 240 Goffe St. Furnace, gas, sewer connections, in complete repair and one of the most convenient (yet retired) locations in city. Only small families, with prospects of extended occupancy, need apply. A permanent occupant for one room is obtainable.
R. D. CHASE,
Savings Bank Building.
Quincy, Jan. 12 eod 16 p tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass.
Dec. 24. tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust.
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 18. QUINCY, MASS., THURSDAY, JANUARY 21, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

Church in a Good Financial Condition.

Long Service in Office by Miss Furnald.

ALL GOODS WILL BE DELIVERED FREE AT RESIDENCES IN QUINCY.

John H. Pray & Sons Co.

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF

FLOOR COVERINGS

Assortment — COMPLETE
Prices — — — RIGHT
Work — — — PROMPT

It is generally known that we are ***Distributors of Floor Coverings*** of every description, and we desire it to be equally well known that we have all grades of ***Upholstery Fabrics, Lace Curtains, Furniture Coverings, etc.***

The advice of an interior decorator is at your service, if desired. Goods displayed either in our show-room or at residences. Estimates furnished for covering single pieces of furniture or for completely decorating either a single room or an entire house.

For eighty-six years, under the same firm name, we have distributed to the public, to our neighbors, to our friends, Carpets and Rugs, and until we added Interior Decorations and Upholstery Fabrics our sole and entire business has been Floor Coverings.

Does not this record make for intelligent confidence on your part?

Pray Building, Washington St., opposite Boylston St. BOSTON

Represented in Quincy by Mr. Otho A. Hayward; in Wollaston by Mr. W. J. Wellington

For FRIDAY Only.

(BEST) NEW YORK

P BEANS

6c. qt.

Meadowbrook Creamery,

1399 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass.

SAVE THIS COUPON . . DAILY LEDGER PREMIUM.

SOLID GOLD FOUNTAIN PEN.

For TWO of these coupons and SIXTY-NINE CENTS we will furnish for a time LEDGER readers with a SOLID GOLD, fully warranted Fountain Pen, Polished barrel, rubber cap screw section, beautiful delivery, worth $2. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Present coupons at McCONNELL'S FRUIT STORE, 1414 Hancock St. Quincy, or

Hiram A. Hayden, Agent, 118 Washington Street.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON

Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
Tuner in Quincy 25 y

Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession. Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.

Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marten's store.

Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence.

You can buy WEDNESDAY at

PRATT'S

3 5-cent Loaves for 10 cents
2 Packages Luck, 15 cents

L. M. PRATT & SON.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

OUT OF DEBT.

Bethany Church Pays off Mortgage.

Balance Was $2,600 a Year Ago.

Total Expenditures of Year Were $10,916.00.

The annual meeting of the corporation of the Bethany Congregational church was held in the chapel Wednesday evening and was the occasion of rejoicing as the treasurer was able to report that the only outstanding mortgage against the church had been cancelled during the year. The balance of the debt for the enlargement of the chapel was $2,600 which has been wiped out. Aside from a small loan for current expenses, in anticipation of pledges, the church plant is free from debt.

Frank W. Crane was the moderator.

The clerk reported a membership of 380, including 131 men and 249 women. During the year there had been six deaths, and 22 had joined the church.

The average attendance at the Sunday school has been 241.

The report of the treasurer showed the following receipts for 1903:

Pledges,	$3,717 94
Collections,	278.03
Income from funds,	208.08
Loan,	236.87
Other income,	37.87
Total,	$4,478.79

The expenditures for the year were:

Pastor's salary,	$2,200.00
Supplies and expenses,	80.00
Music,	741.33
Bible school,	162.75
Janitor,	222.00
Interest,	190.00
Insurance,	117.65
Water rates,	23.00
Heating,	260.72
Lighting,	134.29
Repairs,	132.60
Printing,	71.50
Taxes and assessments,	42.95
Total,	$4,478.79

The budget for 1904 amounts to $5,166.00, an advance of $687.21 over the expenditures of last year.

The ballot resulted in the election of these officers:

For Moderator,—Frank W. Crane.

For Deacons,—Ernest W. Branch and Richard D. Chase.

For Deaconesses,—Mrs. Jane E. Murdock, Mrs. Annie M. Hayden, Mrs. Jennie M. Crane, Miss Amelia Bumpus, Mrs. Maria McPhail and Mrs. Sarah I. Wood.

For Clerk,—Ernest D. Gourd.

For Treasurer,—Charles W. Miller.

For Prudential Committee,—H. Walter Gray.

For Auditor,—William F. Sidelinger.

For Finance Committee,—Walter E. Blanchard, Ernest W. Branch, Frank W. Crane, John O. Hall, Jr., and Theophilus King.

For Music Committee,—Miss Mary E. Fletcher, Miss Grace Isaac, William G. Shaw, Cyrus T. Sherman and Mrs. Sarah I. Wood.

For Superintendent of Bible School,—Ernest W. Branch.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting in the ladies parlor.

Eastern Star.

Quincy Chapter, No. 88, order of the Eastern Star, gave one of the most enjoyable sociables of the season, in Greenleaf hall, Wednesday evening, to the members and friends. After a short social, the Worthy Matron, Mrs. Susie A. Furnald, announced an entertainment which was unusually good, consisting of piano solos by Misses Hanson and Standish, readings by Mrs. Phinney and Mr. Armstrong, and songs by Miss Hultman. The entertainment was followed by a collation and all departed well pleased with the evening's enjoyment. Although this is but a small chapter, it promises to be a powerful one and an honor to that grand order, the Eastern Star.

☞ Eyeglasses fitted scientifically. No guess work.—Williams.

TOLSTOY NIGHT.

At Meeting of Monday Evening Club—Good Music.

The first regular meeting in 1904 of the Atlantic Monday Evening Club took place January 18 at Memorial Congregational church. In spite of the intense cold, there were about 175 members present to enjoy one of the most successful meetings in the history of the club.

Mr. Ralph Hobbs presided as president of the club, filling the place made vacant by the resignation of Rev. J. H. Whitaker; Miss Lillian Waterhouse being the new secretary.

After a few moments of business the president introduced the speaker for the evening, the Rev. Mr. Huxtable of South Boston, who selected for his subject a half-hour sketch of the life and teachings of Tolstoy, the great Russian writer and philanthropist.

Mr. Huxtable's remarks were very entertaining, and showed him to be, if not a follower of Tolstoy, at least a hearty sympathizer with some of his beautiful teachings.

The musical part of the evening was in charge of Miss Frances Hayes, and was very interesting throughout. Mr. Oscar L. Hogan of the Adelphi Quartet of Boston, was one of the soloists. His deep bass voice was very pleasing, and he rendered his songs with a great deal of expression.

Mr. Harry M. Wells of Cambridge was the violin soloist, and was much appreciated. His style of playing is very finished.

Miss Helen I. Pratt, a soprano, won her audience at once with her beautiful high voice.

She is only seventeen years old and certainly has a promising future before her.

Mr. F. Cageneau Litchfield of Boston accompanied the singers. The programme was:

A Bandit's Life,	Mr. O. L. Hogan
Love Song,	Mr. H. M. Wells
Sunbeams,	Miss Helen I. Pratt
My Dreams,	Mr. O. L. Hogan
Spanish Dance,	Mr. H. M. Wells
A Gypsy Maiden,	Miss Helen I. Pratt

All of the artists kindly responded to encores.

The next meeting will be Feb. 1, and it is hoped that the season so well started will be as well supported and entertaining throughout as was its first meeting.

A Fine Concert,

It is not often that Quincy people have an opportunity in their own city to enjoy such a concert as was given at Colonial hall, Wednesday evening by Mr. Walter E. Loud, Mr. Frederick Blair and Mr. L. Dowley Williams. It was given complimentary to their friends and brought out all the society people and music lovers.

The program was made up of three works by modern composers as follows:

Sjorgren,—Sonate in G minor, piano and violin
Klengel,—from Concerto in D minor.
Mr. Blair.
Bargiel,—Trio in F major,
Piano, violin and violoncello

Mr. Loud has already fully established his reputation as a finished and artistic player and he was at his best Wednesday evening. Mr. Williams at the piano played with delicacy and brilliancy and one felt at once that he and Mr. Loud were perfectly in sympathy—"en rapport" with one another to an extent that made the Sjorgren Sonate a delight to the audience.

Mr. Blair's solo was played with all the breadth and quality of tone, which distinquishes the 'cello in experienced hands. In the Scherzo movement his execution was light and graceful, as if he were playing the violin.

The final trio was given with perfect blending and balance which made one feel almost as if listening to a solo performance.

Throughout the entire concert much enthusiasm was shown by the audience, each artist being heartily greeted and encored, especially the final trio when they were insistent for a repetitoin.

TO CURE GRIP IN TWO DAYS.
Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause. To get the genuine, call for the full name. 25c.

—China claims the origin of the use of tea as a drink, and it is also claimed that the date of the sentimental origin of tea drinking was nearly 3,000 years before Christ.

MISS FURNALD,
Long in Service in Maple Lodge.

THE QUINCYS

Increase Their Lead in Old Colony Bowling League.

By winning three games from the Weymouths the Quincys further increased their title to champions of the the Old Colony league. Each club gained in percentage except the Weymouths.

The standing to date is:

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Quincy	33	28	5	84
Weymouth	33	20	13	60
East Weymouth	33	12	21	37
Quincy Point	33	6	27	19

At Weymouth.

Quincy met Weymouth at Weymouth Wednesday night and defeated three straight games. The first two games were very close and won by Quincy in the last two boxes by 7 and 8 pins. The last game was easier, Quincy winning by 16 pins. Morton was high man of night rolling 267. Connell was high for Weymouth, getting 263. Peleran got the high single.

QUINCYS.

	1st	2d	3d	Total
Morton,	85	95	87	267
Ferris	90	71	77	238
Nash,	81	80	85	246
Moorehead,	80	73	93	246
White,	74	92	93	259
Totals.	410	411	435	1256

WEYMOUTHS.

	1st	2d	3d	Total
Burrell,	84	73	80	237
Peleran,	75	73	99	247
Turner,	79	90	79	248
Glover,	73	82	75	230
Connell,	92	85	86	263
Totals,	403	403	419	1225

At Quincy Point.

East Weymouth came to Quincy Point Wednesday evening and defeated the home team two games out of three. Welch was high man of night, rolling 261. McMasters was high man for the Points rolling 232. The Point team slumped badly and did not roll their standard game and missed a grand opportunity. Smith got the high single, rolling 91.

EAST WEYMOUTHS.

Smith,	75	75	91	241
Flanery,	73	77	77	230
Welch,	87	89	85	261
Newcomb,	74	74	77	225
Farrar,	80	71	74	225
Totals,	389	386	404	1179

QUINCY POINTS.

G. Dunn,	74	78	77	229
Caldwell,	73	83	67	223
McMasters,	68	75	89	232
Lyons,	81	75	71	227
Flynn,	71	80	73	228
Totals,	367	391	381	1139

Junior League.

In the Junior league Quincy, Jrs., defeated Weymouth, Jrs., three straight games on the Granite street alleys.

The Quincy Point Jrs., were defeated two games out of three at East Weymouth.

TODAY'S COURT.

James Riley was arraigned for threatening Winfield S. Pote at Quincy. He was held in $1000 until next Thursday.

It is getting to be no kind of a day now unless it snows.

DO YOU SHAVE YOURSELF ?

If you don't you should, as it is a pleasure if you use "EASY-SHAVE," the new lather. No smarting or burning. "EASY-SHAVE" makes thick, creamy lather, softens the beard, soothes and heals the skin. At Druggists, 15c. Try it today.

INSTALLATION

of the Knights and Ladies of Honor.

Many Outside Order as Guests.

Entertainment and Dance Follows the Ceremony.

The officers of Maple lodge, K. & L. of H., were publicly installed Wednesday evening in the presence of about 150 members of the order and friends, Among the guests were the first lady Grand Protector, now serving her second term, Miss Hattie E. Silsby, who was accompanied by the board of Grand officers. There were also delegations from Boston, South Boston, Roxbury, Charlestown, Cambridge, Medford and Worcester lodges.

The installing officer was Mrs. Nellie E. Hallett, the district deputy who was accompanied by a large suite from Waverly lodge of Charlestown. Music by Mrs. Rhines, the pianist of the lodge, during the ceremony, added to the interest.

With one exception the entire list of officers of Maple lodge were installed for the fourth time, as follows:

Protector,—Mrs. Emma A. Marnock.
Vice Protector,—Mrs. Bertha M. McLeod.
Past Protector,—Thomas Hewson.
Chaplain,—Mrs. A. Cora Curtis.
Secretary,—Mrs. Mary A. H. Crane.
Financial Secretary,—Miss M. Lizzie Furnald.
Treasurer,—Charles Crane.
Guide,—Mrs. Christina Tirrell.
Guardian,—Samuel Oxford.
Sentinel,—Peter Gomez.
Pianist,—Mrs. Effie L. Rhines.
Trustees,—Mrs. Mary A. Fox, Quincy Tirrell and Walter H. Cobb.

An interesting entertainment followed the installation, the program including:

Overture,—Reed family.
Songs,—Harold Curtis.
Remarks,—Mrs. Nellie G. Hallett.
Dance,—Bessie Powers.
Reading,—Mrs. Blanchard.
Song,—Mrs. Laura Tirrell.
Remarks,—Mr. G. Getner.
Song,—Mr. John Green.
Presentation,—Emma A. Marnock.

Mrs. Hallett was introduced as the best deputy Maple lodge ever had, and returned the compliment by saying that Maple lodge was the best lodge in the jurisdiction; a lodge where there was always something doing; a lodge which elects good officers, and does the work fine.

She made special reference to the fact that one officer had served an unusually long number of years, it being the 42d time Miss Furnald had been installed as an officer. She was a charter member, had selected the name of the lodge, had proposed 77 of the candidates, of whom 75 were now members.

Miss Furnald, who was chairman of

(Continued on Page 4.)

You Had Better Write Down

TELEPHONE No. 114-4.

AND CALL UP

The Hancock Fish Market,

Formerly C. H. BROOK'S Market,

Cor. Saville and Hancock Streets.

Everything of the **Very Best.** Fish orders taken and delivered by the

CONSOLIDATED GROCERY & PROVISION CO.,

PROPRIETORS,
Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

4 for 1

Trading Stamps

AT THE

HOSIERY STORE.

LOW PRICES ON

BOYS' and GIRLS'

OUTING FLANNELS.

FINE LINE OF NECKWEAR.

LARGE ASSORTMENT

NEW LACES.

City Employment Office.

MRS. C. J. MILLER,

1383 Hancock Street,

CITY SQUARE.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple,	$8.00
Dry Pine Wood,	7.00
Dry Pine Slabs,	6.00
Green Hard Wood,	7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.

THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,

Yard between Miller and West Streets.

Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.

Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

CARD.

Mrs. F. H. Hewins,

—: Formerly in the :—

Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations ● ● ●

METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.

Offices:

128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.

Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903 tf

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.

JOHNSON & BROOKS,

PROPRIETORS.

HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,

QUINCY, MASS.

Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.

Aug. 11. 6mos.

FRANK W. BAILLIE,

PAINTER,

Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc

Whiting and Tinting a specialty.

50 Gay Street.

Quiney, July 6. tf

F. S. BUXTON,

TEACHER OF VIOLIN

WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.

Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-ly

DANCING.

COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.

BASKET BALL

AND DANCING

THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.

Assemblies every Saturday night.

Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all ormer pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For further particulars apply to ELMER W BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

Hearings begin at the State House this week. The House Committee on Judiciary will hear several matters Friday morning, and next Tuesday will give a hearing for the release of certain prisoners on parole.

The Constitutional Convention of the Republic of Panama held its first session, and took over supreme power from the junta, last week. It elected Dr. Pablo Arosemena for its president. He said on taking the chair, "This republic will live less by its material power than by the virtues it will practice. Its security is protected by a powerful people in whose veins runs the rich blood of those Puritans who shook off with the dust of their sandals the torment of religious intolerance and opprobrium of political despotism." Yet some declare that Panama has no government or political existence.

This is a working week in Congress. Committee reports on bills give both houses enough to do. Continuous hearings are being had. Panama has still lively discussion and the Postoffice Department inquiry goes on apace. The canal treaty may be reported this week, and considered in executive session. The Hepburn pure food bill may be called up and disposed of, and after this the House will try to make a record by passing one appropriation bill a week.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Recently I was told by a normal school principal that there is just now a tendency for girls to leave the school and take a commercial course particularly in stenography and typewriting. The reason given (by bright girls who were doing well and gave promise of becoming good teachers) was that the pay was more satisfactory. Within six months they could earn as much or more than they could obtain as teachers, whereas to become teachers they must give two years and a half in preparation, One bright, quick girl, a graduate of a high school last June, is earning nine dollars per week making change in a city store. Able women clerks are earning from five to nine hundred dollars per year. The normal students know this and it makes them restless and dissatisfied, for they know that five hundred is more than the limit for the average girl. More than this, they begin at $350, $375, or possibly $400 and they must reach the high salary by little increases of twenty or twenty-five dollars per year. This same principal also said that, from what statistics he could gather, he had come to the conclusion that two of every three new teachers elected every year were not normal trained, and he wonders when the people will wake up to the deterioration of the corps. Massachusetts with her ten normal schools is more fortunate than the other states; but she will suffer nevertheless, for her graduates will be called away and in experienced teachers will take their places.—Sciolus in the Milford Gazette.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

A Definition.

"What's this 'ere word 'ennui' mean?"

"Oh, it's when you're tired of doing nothing and too lazy to do something."

TOO MUCH REFORM

New York Tired of It and Voted For Tammany

EVILS IN QUAKER CITY

Contracts Awarded to "Highest Responsive Bidders" and Elections Merest Farces--Non-Partisan Politics the Safest

Boston, Jan. 21.—The municipal government conditions in New York, Philadelphia, Minneapolis and Chicago were told of last night at the dinner of the Economic club in speeches from men who have interested themselves in politics of those cities before a large and interested audience. Rudolph Blankenburg of Philadelphia, who has been identified with reform movements in that city for many years, made an unqualified attack upon the political conditions in Philadelphia. The other speakers were: M. L. Bruce of New York, former chairman of the Republican county committee, and D. P. Jones of Minneapolis, president of the council of the city. E. B. Smith of Chicago, a worker in the Municipal Voters' league of that city, did not reach the meeting on account of a delay in train service, but the secretary of the club read an abstract of his address.

Mr. Bruce declared that there was no hope for a good and successful municipal government unless it was non-partisan. He believed that the principles upon which the parties were divided in state and national politics had no place in city elections. Needed reforms had not succeeded because the people accepted reforms as medicines and not as food.

He said that the reformed administration was defeated in New York by the voters of the residential district. When Tammany had been overthrown at the previous election it was mistakingly construed as a victory for non-partisan government, and so much reform was offered to the people that it became nauseating to them. He expressed the opinion that the reformed administration was the best New York ever had, and he predicted that the same forces which brought the reform movement into power in 1901 again would triumph, and because of the lessons that had been learned in the past he believed that it would succeed itself.

In his arraignment of Philadelphia, Mr. Blankenburg declared that the people there knew the truth but that they would not listen to it. He said that contracts had been awarded, not to the lowest responsible bidder, but to the highest responsive bidder. Hospitals had been compelled to pay 10 percent blackmail to political leaders of the districts in order to obtain necessary appropriations. Gamblers had paid money for the privilege of continuing. Elections were merest farces. Thousands of names were fraudulently entered upon the voting lists; school teachers were compelled to pay more money to obtain their positions. "The judges are honest," went on Mr. Blackenburg, "but some of them are not altogether free from worshipping the machine that made them."

Mr. Blackenburg did not consider the conditions hopeless. In fact he said a distinct betterment had appeared recently, but he held that the "indifference, selfishness and cowardice of the people must be eradicated before reform can become permanent." Almost 50 percent of the voters of Philadelphia did not, he said, exercise their right of franchise. He believed that disfranchisement for a term of years should be made the penalty for neglecting to vote. He also favored the organization of a national municipal vigilance committee with branches in every important municipality.

Mr. Jones of Minneapolis took an optimistic view of the government of cities. He described the plan under which the Voters' league of Minneapolis was conducted for the endorsement of worthy candidates for city office. Like Mr. Bruce, he believed that non-partisanism in municipal politics was the only hope for a real betterment.

The abstract of the address of Mr Smith of Chicago contained a recommendation for a system of city government by which the city council should be in control, with the members to serve four years at salaries. In Chicago a perpetual warfare was in progress for good government, Mr. Smith wrote.

Legislative Clerk Indicted

Honolulu, Jan. 21.—United States District Judge Dale has sustained the indictment found by the territorial grand jury against Clerk Merhuela of the house of representatives, who is accused of destruction of vouchers for government expenditures. Merhuela pleaded not guilty. His trial is set for April 15.

Crowd Was For Lynching

Clarksburg, W. Va., Jan. 21.—Robert Woodson shot and fatally wounded R. H. Harris at Wilsonburg during a quarrel over Woodson's wife. A crowd gathered to lynch Woodson and it became necessary to spirit him away and bring him to jail here under a heavy guard.

Circuit Extends Into Canada

New York, Jan. 21.—The circuit committee of the Eastern league has selected Montreal as the eighth city of the circuit for the coming season, the complete circuit being Buffalo, Providence, Jersey City, Newark, Baltimore, Toronto, Rochester and Montreal.

SIZED UP HIS ROLL

Thugs Followed Blacksmith and Slugged and Robbed Him

Salem, Mass., Jan. 21.—While on his way home late last night, William R. Luxton, a blacksmith, was assaulted by two men who sprang upon him from an alley on Crombie street, and robbed him of $90. Luxton fought the assailants, but was knocked unconscious by a blow from some heavy weapon, and while he lay upon the sidewalk the highwaymen took his money and escaped.

When he recovered consciousness Luxton summoned assistance by his cries and was taken to the police station, where his wounds were dressed. His head and face were cut and both eyes blackened, but his injuries are not serious.

His assailants are thought to be local toughs who were tempted to commit the assault by Luxton's display of a large roll of bills in a saloon a short time previous.

Facts About Divorce

Boston, Jan. 21.—The report of Secretary Dike of the National League for the Protection of the Family, at the annual meeting here, showed that in all the states and territories save Connecticut there had been no reduction in the number of divorces during the past year, while in many instances the number had increased. The decrease in Connecticut, the report said, was due to the combined work of the clergy.

Clairvoyant Bishop Not Indicted

Portland, Me., Jan. 21.—The superior court grand jury has returned a "no bill" in the case of Harry Bishop, who was brought here from Chicago on requisition papers. It was alleged that Bishop, who advertised himself to be a clairvoyant, swindled money from Mrs. A. L. York while pretending to remove a curse which was supposed to rest upon her. It is understood that the case was settled out of court.

A $90,000 Fire at Boston

Boston, Jan. 21.—An explosion, presumably of naphtha or benzine, that blew a hole through the top of the large brick structure, 95 to 107 Albany street, gave impetus to a fire that baffled the firemen for several hours last night. The total loss is $90,000. Clark & Kaufman, manufacturers of leather goods, occupied the floor where the fire broke out.

Efforts to Apprehend Robbers

Rockville, Conn., Jan. 21.—A detective agency, acting for the Adams Express company, has offered a reward of $300 for the detection and conviction of the person or persons who assaulted and robbed Express Agent Darling of $495 three weeks ago. Darling was so badly injured that he was confined to his bed for two weeks after the robbery.

Investigation of Theatres

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 21.—The exhibition license committee of this city has ordered three of the four local theatres to file before next Wednesday proper certificates of the safety of their buildings. If such certificates are not filed the licenses will be revoked and the theatres compelled to close.

Determined Efforts at Suicide

Newton, Mass., Jan. 21.—After a futile effort to end her life by taking carbolic acid, Inga Peterson, 18 years old, a domestic, made a second attempt by stripping herself to the waist and stabbing herself four times with a carving knife. Her condition is dangerous.

Grain Supply Has Run Short

Nantucket, Mass., Jan. 21.—Again cut off from the mainland by ice, the residents of this island have exhausted their supply of corn and meal, and only a small amount of wheat and oats is left. Other supplies, however, are abundant.

Doctor Missing From Home

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 21.—Dr. Walter T. Hickley of this city is missing. He left home Jan. 14 to make a business trip to New York city. He never reached his destination. His family is at a loss to account for his absence.

Pleading For Aged Sinner

Buffalo, Jan. 21.—Charles Bonier, convicted of the murder of Francis Frehr and wife, was brought into court for sentence. Attorney Fennely asked for an adjournment of the case until Friday, which was granted. He will ask for a new trial and failing there will appeal to the governor for clemency on the ground that it will be inhuman to execute a man 75 years old.

Has Seven Knife Wounds

Macon, Ga., Jan. 21.—Dr. Elder, superintendent of the city hospital, is lying at the point of death as a result of knife wounds inflicted by a negro servant named Thomas Frank, whom he had dismissed from the institution. The knife blade was broken off in the skull. As the feeling of the community was becoming intense Frank was hurried to the Atlanta jail.

Convicted of Smuggling Chinese

Elmira, N. Y., Jan. 21.—In federal court the jury returned a verdict of guilty on all three charges of smuggling Chinese into this country against F. A. Fisher and Mrs. May Simpson. Judge Hazel sentenced Fisher to two years in prison and to pay a fine of $250 and Mrs. Simpson to six months in jail and a fine of $250.

Leaves Property to His Family

Springfield, O., Jan. 21.—The will of former Governor Asa S. Bushnell was filed last evening for probate. It provides for the distribution of practically all of his estate among his wife and children. The estate is valued at about $7,000,000.

CITY BREVITIES.

Rain is predicted.

Five Saturdays and five Sundays this month.

Just a little more snow fell during the night.

The days have increased thirty minutes, mostly in the afternoon.

Auctioneer Johnson will have a sale at the City Square auction rooms tomorrow afternoon.

The annual meeting of the Merrymount Granite Co. was held Wednesday night and these officers elected: President, James H. Sullivan; clerk, Michael B. Geary; treasurer, John C. Kapples; directors the above with Peter W. Driscoll, Enos S. Costa, John McTiernan, and Lemuel J. Meyers. Agent, Peter W. Driscoll.

Fooled Melican Man

Binghamton, N. Y., Jan. 21.—Joe Kim, a Chinaman, was arrested in this city for not having a legal certificate and was ordered deported. By this order the Chinaman succeeded in having the government pay his railroad and steamer fare all the way from Binghamton to China. He has been in this country for several years and was all ready to return to his native land when he managed to get himself arrested, and under the evidence there was nothing for the commissioner to do but to order him deported.

British Premiers Criticized

Pretoria, Jan. 21.—The Asiatic labor bill passed its second reading before the legislative council yesterday. Sir Percy Fitzgerald criticized the premiers of Australia and New Zealand for having cabled their conviction that it was imperative to prohibit the introduction of Chinese labor into the Transvaal. He said that dictation from sister colonies would be disastrous, and that the example of Australia was not always one for emulation.

Experts Testified as to Blood

Allentown, Pa., Jan. 21.—The battle of the experts on the blood in the Bechtel trial came to an end last evening and every member of the Bechtel family will now be placed on the witness stand in an endeavor to prove that the aged mother is not guilty of being an accessory after the fact in the killing of her daughter, Mabel.

Wheat Again Soars Upward

Chicago, Jan. 21.—May wheat touched a new high mark, 92 1-4 cents, yesterday, a net gain for the day of 2 1-4 cents and 6.16 cents higher than the average price last fall. The local wheat situation as regards prices is highly artificial, as is shown by the character of the trade which caused so sharp a gain in prices.

Railroad Blocked With Snow

Watertown, N. Y., Jan. 21.—The New York Central road between Watertown and Syracuse is completely stalled. Several trains are stalled in snowbanks near Richland and every plow is in commission seeking to release them. No snow has fallen within the past week, but a high gale filled the cuts.

To Guard Against Disaster

Richmond, Jan. 21.—A bill was presented in the house of delegates requiring that every door in every theatre and other public place of amusement in the state shall be at least six feet wide, open outwards and remain unlocked throughout the period of any entertainment.

Serious Flood Threatened

Pittsburg, Jan. 21.—Because of heavy rain here and at nearly all up-river points along the Allegheny and Monongahela rivers, predictions of a flood have been renewed and much apprehension is felt among river men and others having interests within the flood line.

Gordon Monument Proposed

Columbus, Miss., Jan. 21.—General Lee, commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans, has issued a call to every Confederate organization to organize immediately to secure subscriptions for a monument to be erected to the late General Gordon at Atlanta.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The statement that the change in the length of the course at the state normal schools from two years to three years would be beneficial is contained in the annual report of the Massachusetts state board of education.

A petition in involuntary bankruptcy has been filed against the Marson company of Providence, dealers in hats, by Boston creditors.

The New Hampshire Press association, at its 36th annual convention, decided to take part in the World's Press parliament at St. Louis. President Clark of Manchester was re-elected.

An agreement has been reached between boxmakers and sawyers and the box manufacturers under which 2000 workmen of Chicago will receive a 5 percent increase in wages.

Eczema

How it reddens the skin, itches, oozes, dries and scales!

Some people call it tetter, milk crust or salt rheum.

The suffering from it is sometimes intense; local applications are resorted to—they mitigate, but cannot cure.

It proceeds from humors inherited or acquired and persists until these have been removed.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

positively removes them, has radically and permanently cured the worst cases, and is without an equal for all cutaneous eruptions.

HOOD'S PILLS are the best cathartic. Price 25 cents.

JANUARY

MARK DOWN

PARLOR STOVES and BLANKETS.

Nearly three months more of cold weather. The greatest opportunity ever offered to buy

PARLOR STOVES, WINTER BLANKETS OR COMFORTERS.

We have cut the price of our Parlor Stoves 1-4 to 1-3 from regular prices. The same saving on comforters and blankets, making prices less than the goods cost to make.

PARLOR STOVES, $3.25 and up.

BLANKETS, 45c. and up.

COMFORTERS, 75c. and up.

Prices here on House Furnishings are lower than in any other store.

Cash or Credit. Green Trading Stamps.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.

New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store,

Hancock Street, Quincy.

We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

DETAILS OF DRESS.

Fewer Hair Ornaments—Bands of Fur Used For Trimming.

Sashes brought twice around the waist and finished in the back with a loose knot and fringed ends are a smart addition to a gown.

Hair ornaments are not so pronounced now as formerly, and more attention is given to the elaborate dressing of the hair itself.

Bands of fur are a great deal used as trimmings. Sable, mink and even ermine are seen on white and pale colored cloth gowns.

The new fur toques are high in the back and filled in with shaded flowers, while in front a pointed effect is striven for. As the only trimming on this sort

GOWN OF MOLESKIN VELVET.

of toque seems to consist of flat wings or bows, it will be seen that it is not becoming to every one.

Gold and silver braids appear on many hats in the shape of bands across the top of the crown or rosettes under the brim. These rosettes, however, are flat, being appliqued to the felt.

Pale fawn and gray are sharing the honors with mixed black and white for visiting costumes, and at a recent fashionable wedding a great many chiffon velvet gowns were seen in soft tinted shades of the new red.

Zibeline is all the rage for street, for skating and for walking costumes. It comes in all the odd shades of blue and lavender.

The picture shows a tailor made gown of moleskin velvet and crepe de chine. The bolero has a cape effect, piped in white. White embroidery appears on the wide girdle. The skirt is made of alternate bands of closely shirred crepe de chine and moleskin velvet. JUDIC CHOLLET.

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you, in 6 to 14 days. 50 cents.

☞ Main Spring while you wait. Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

HALL and BURGESS,

Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.

AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.

Justice of the Peace. Notary Public

Rents and bills collected.

Room 13, Adams Building.

Quincy, Dec. 30. ly

JAMES F. BURKE,

REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.

MORTGAGES.

Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.

Room 4, Savings Bank Building.

June 5. tf

Hotel Greenleaf

Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.

Dining Room Strictly First Class.

MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.

Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

You can buy THURSDAY at

PRATT'S

2 lbs. Good Steak 25 cents

Smoked Shoulders, 8 cts. pound

L M. PRATT & SON.

W. G. CHUBBUCK,

Furniture and Piano Mover

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.

JOBBING.

Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.

lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

SKATES SHARPENED.

Light Machine Work of all Kinds . . .

24 Granite Street,

NEXT TO RAILROAD BRIDGE.

Dec. 21. 1m

TO-DAY

And Every Day until the Bankrupt Stock of

C. F. DERBY

Is Closed out we will sell

MEN'S and BOYS'

CLOTHING,

Furnishings and Hats

At Lower Prices than any other store.

COME AT ONCE

For Best Bargains.

You want good goods for a little money. We want the cash. Here is your opportunity.

BANKRUPT SALE,

Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

W. A. BRADFORD,

Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting,

Jobbing promptly attended to.

Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.

Open Monday and Saturday evenings.

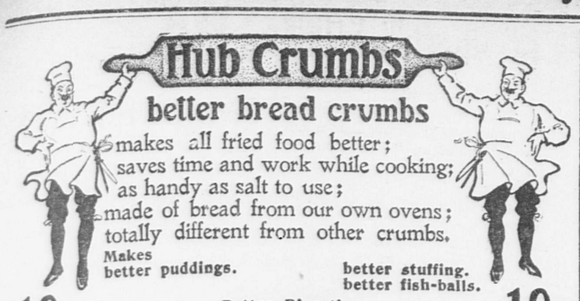
Telephone 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

JOHN STREIFERD & SON, FLORISTS.

Telephone 13-7 Braintree.

Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.

Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y



Hub Crumbs

better bread crumbs

makes all fried food better;
saves time and work while cooking;
as handy as salt to use;
made of bread from our own ovens;
totally different from other crumbs.

Makes better puddings. better stuffing. better fish-balls.

Better Digestion.

10¢ 10¢

At your grocer's or S. S. Pierce Co. Cobb, Bates Yerxa Co.
Mrs. Howard's Cook Book and sample on request. 244½ Purchase St. Boston Mass.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in al. parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,
DRUGGIST,
1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

The Daily Ledger
NOVELETTE
FOR NEXT SATURDAY.

The League of The Old Men

BY JACK LONDON

This is an exciting drama of the Klondike in which an Indian, telling why he slew white men, recites the wrongs of his race. Marked originality in theme and treatment.

This will be followed by other Short Stories of exceptional literary merit.

— OUR —
Capitol Shoe
FOR BOYS.

Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.

Sizes 12 to 2 $1.75
Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2.00

The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.

Every Pair Warranted.

GEORGE W. JONES,
Adams Building, - QUINCY.

DAY OF PRAYER.

Ten or More Pastors to Take Part in Program.

The day set for fasting and prayer at the United Presbyterion church in connection with the great revival in progress there, is Friday. A program of special interest has been arranged which will occupy from 10. A. M. to 4 P. M.

The forenoon will be for a discussion of the "Offices and work of the Holy Ghost." The afternoon for prayer in its various aspects.

10 A. M.,—Devotional exercises led by the pastor Rev. W. B. Barr.

10.30 A. M.,—"Personality of the Holy Ghost" by Rev. E. N. Hardy of Bethany Congregatioual church, Quincy.

11 A.M.,—"Inspriation of the Holy Ghost," led by Rev. N. J. Sproul of First Presbyterian church, Quincy.

11.30 A. M.,——"Illumination of the Holy Ghost" led by Rev. L. H. Austin, Quincy Point Congregational church.

12 Noon, — "Regeneration by the Holy Ghost" led by Rev. Mayo of West Quincy M. E. church.

12.30 P. M.,—"Consolation of the Holy Ghost," led by Rev. W. A. Brady of the Calvary Baptist church, Quincy.

1 P. M.,—Intermission of thirty minutes.

1.30 P. M.,—"Secret Prayer," led by Mr. Theodore Downs (Evangelist).

2 P. M.,—"Public Prayer," led by Rev. John Heslop of Brockton, Mass.

2.30 P. M.,—"Family Prayer," led by Rev. J. A. Alexander of Cambridge, Mass.

3 P. M.,—"United Prayer," led by Rev. A. K. McLennon of 1st United Presbyterian church, Boston, Mass.

3.30 P. M.,—"Prayer," sermon by Evangelist Kenyon.

Benediction.

Whist and Dance.

A very largely attended and most enjoyable whist party and dance was held at Farnum's hall Wednesday evening, under the auspices of St. Ambrose court of Foresters. Whist was enjoyed from 8 until 10 o'clock, and dancing from that hour until midnight.

The whist was in charge of Mrs. Mary D. Mahoney, Mrs. Catherine O'Brien, Mrs. Annie Watson and Miss Katherine Shea. There were 23 tables in play, and at its conclusion prizes for the best scores were awarded to Mrs. William Callahan, a china fruit dish; and Frank Ogle, a shaving mug. Consolation prizes were awarded Mrs. Frank Tate and Charles McGillvary.

During the evening refreshments were served by Mrs. William Barry, Mrs. Agnes Reardon, Mrs. Annie Kelley, and Mrs. Mary Ryan. There were a number of guests present, including Rev. Frs. Powers and Callahan and Representative Fallon.

A Former Resident.

Mr. Joseph W. LeGallee, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Edward Spear, in East Madison, Maine, on Saturday, was for 25 years a resident of Quincy, residing the greater part of the time on Faxon avenue. He was employed by Henry H. Faxon as a painter and paper hanger. About five years ago he went to Maine, and at the time of his death was 85 years of age.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal conditon, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

JANUARY
MARK DOWN SALE
— OF —
COATS.

New up-to-date Coats
Were $7.98, now **$5.00.**
Were $7.98, now **$6.98.**

We have only 2 Zibeline Coats left.
Prices, $17.98 and $25.00.
Choice now, **$12.98.**

Every Coat in the store Marked Down.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

PLEDGES NOT KEPT

Russian Diplomacy Is Shown to Be Many-Faced

THE INTEGRITY OF CHINA

French Agreement With Russia Regarding It Applies to Old China, and She Cannot Aid In the Manchurian Squabble

London, Jan. 21.—All the special dispatches from St. Petersburg today reflect the more peaceful feeling which prevails there. Little change, however, is to be observed in the dispatches from Tokio, which represent the situation as unchanged.

Russia's diplomatic position assumes a more interesting character in the light of the Berlin report, coming from official sources, to the effect that France has refused military assistance to the Russian quarrel with Japan. The joint Franco-Russian note of March, 1902, in which the two powers undertook to act together in all questions affecting the integrity of China, is interpreted in Paris to apply only to old China, and not to Manchuria. Meantime, Russia has sought the advice of Delcassa, French foreign minister, as to the terms of the reply to Japan.

St. Petersburg is said to have decided on meeting the Japanese demands, but the difficulty of keeping the peace and Russia's "face" on the Manchurian issue is one of evident seriousness. The French government is apparently determined not to be drawn into a conflict. Her new understanding with Great Britain would be sacrificed by armed support of Russia, and this would mean the loss of a supposedly valuable understanding on certain Mediterranean questions of more importance to France than the whole of Asia.

The situation inevitably involves a serious strain on the Franco-Russian alliance, and the fate of that agreement will be watched with keen interest. Russian diplomacy is many-faced. History shows that engagements are made and thrown aside like an old garment when they stand in the way of Russian interests. Russia, using Germany and France as catspaws, overthrew the Japanese treaty of peace with China at the close of the recent war on the plea of "preserving the integrity of China." Then she proceeded herself to occupy the territory from which the triple alliance had thrust Japan. Next she solemnly pledged herself on certain dates to evacuate this territory. This she has not done, and did not intend to do when she made the agreement.

Finally her envoys at the different capitals of the world made the official announcement that Russia would recognize any trade conventions entered into by China affecting Manchuria. With great expedition Secretary Hay secured the ratification by protocol of the treaty with China opening the ports of Mukden and Antung, Manchuria, to the trade of the world. Now comes the diplomatic agent of Viceroy Alexieff, dictator of the far east, who says that this treaty is unfriendly to Russia and undiplomatic and will not be recognized by Russia, which will not allow American consuls at the ports named. Russia has the power to do this thing, but it does not seem possible that she would further prejudice her case before the world by such an act of bad faith. It is probable that the defiance to America will be disavowed at St. Petersburg.

The correspondent at Tokio of the Reuter's Telegram company cables that the privy council met yesterday and received a lengthy and detained report from Foreign Minister Komura on the negotiations with Russia. No statement of the proceedings will be given out at present.

Japanese newspapers publish a report from continental sources, the correspondent continues, that Russia has decided to appeal to the powers to avert war. This is regarded here as proof of Russia's unreadiness to make satisfactory concessions.

Headed For the Far East

Suez, Jan. 21.—Nine Russian torpedo boat destroyers have arrived here from Port Said, bound for the far east. The Russian transport Orel has sailed for the far east.

Aden, Jan. 21.—The Japanese armored cruiser Kasaga has sailed from here for the far east.

China to Make Defense

Tien Tsin, Jan. 21.—It is authoritatively reported here that Viceroy Yuan Shi Kai has definitely decided to guard the Chi Li-Manchurian border in the event of war between Russia and Japan and that he has arranged to transfer 20,000 troops to the frontier.

Americans Leaving Seoul

Seoul, Jan. 21.—The Emperor of Corea has ordered that 700 revolvers and clubs be distributed to the "peddlars," who are nominal secret police and a dangerous element. Many Americans are leaving Seoul, fearing trouble.

Cortelyou's Assistant

Washington, Jan. 21.—Lawrence O. Murray of Chicago, recently appointed assistant secretary of commerce and labor, has formally entered on the duties of his office. The various bureau chiefs and other officials of the department were presented to Murray by Secretary Cortelyou, who also presented Murray to the president

CONSTITUTION DRAFTED

Outline of What Republic of Panama Will Enact Into Law

Panama Jan. 21.—The constitutional convention has approved, on the first debate, a draft of a constitution which contains the following principal points:

The abolition of business monopolies in the republic, the infliction of the death penalty for political crimes; the abolition of the army and the establishment of an efficient police force; the fact that the majority of isthmians are of the Roman Catholic faith is recognized, but church and state are separated; all citizens, with the exception of members of any military body which may be established, shall have the right to vote; the press shall be free; the president's term of office shall be four years; there are two substitute vice presidents, one from the Liberal and one from the Conservative party, and they shall serve for two years; the judiciary is to be elected by congress.

That part of the draft which refers to territorial boundaries delimits the canal zone as specified in the Hay-Bunau-Varilla treaty and this is believed indirectly to approve the treaty.

Inspectors In Bad Light

Chicago, Jan. 21.—The testimony of Edwin E. Price, manager of "Mr. Bluebeard," at the Iroquois theatre inquest was designed to exonerate Klaw & Erlanger from all responsibility for the fire. He said that Erlanger put on "Mr. Bluebeard" and hired the members of the company. "In other cities," he said, "we often were annoyed by inspectors who came around during performances to see that the exits were open." He had never, he said, been annoyed by inspectors in Chicago.

Still Talking on Canal

Washington, Jan. 21.—Mr. Patterson yesterday completed and Mr. Platt (Conn.) began a speech on the Panama canal question. Mr. Patterson declared that the president was largely responsible for the revolt in Panama and announced his decided preference for the Nicaraguan route. Mr. Platt declared that this explained the mystery of the otherwise unexplainable opposition on the part of the Democratic senators to the Panama treaty.

Trains Will Fairly Fly

Schenectady, N. Y., Jan. 21.—Plans to equal and, possibly, exceed the speed record of 126 miles an hour made at Zossen, Germany, some time ago, have been made at a conference between officials and experts representing the New York Central railroad and the General Electric company. The tests are to be made on the tracks between this city and Hoffmans, and it is planned to attain a high rate of speed.

France Interested In Panama

Paris, Jan. 21.—The Patrie gives sensational prominence to a series of questions which, it says, will be propounded in the chamber of deputies to the ministers of justice and foreign affairs, seeking to impute irregularity in the transfer of the old Panama Canal company to the new company and criticise Foreign Minister Delcasse for not sending warships to Panama when the revolution occurred.

Supreme Judge Under Suspicion

Albany, Jan. 21.—The New York State Bar association has referred to the standing committee on grievances the communication of the Bar association of Jamestown, which called attention to certan portions of the report of Mr. Bristow, criticising the conduct of the postoffices in Dunkirk and Fredonia, and connected therewith supreme court Justice Warren B. Hooker.

Trolley Car Ran Away

Pittsburg, Jan. 21.—Of 30 passengers aboard a trolley car which ran away in Rankin last night, five were seriously hurt and 10 others badly bruised and shocked. The car, while descending a steep grade on icy tracks, got beyond control, jumped a curve and plunged over a 20-foot embankment, turned completely over and lodged in a snowbank.

Accounts In Good Condition

Washington, Jan. 21.—The treasury experts who have been investigating the office of Secretary Moseley of the interstate commerce commission state that the accounts of the secretary are correct and are in excellent condition, but criticise the method of financial administration in two or three particulars which do not appear to be of importance.

Schooner Probably Lost

Parrsboro, N. S., Jan. 21.—Grave fears are entertained for the safety of schooner Leonard B. The vessel was loaded with coal for Stonington, Me., and left here the latter part of December. She was commanded by Captain Wagstaff and carried a crew of six men. It is feared the vessel was lost in the storm of Jan. 3.

To Do Battle With Africans

Berlin, Jan. 21.—The German expedition to Southwest Africa sailed today. Prince Henry of Prussia reviewed the departing battalion. In exhorting the men to be faithful to their flag and country, the prince said: "Germany expects every bullet to do its duty."

Mother and Children Burned

Pittsburg, Jan. 21.—The explosion of a lamp in the Hope Mission building caused the death of James Bodigo, 6 years old, the fatal burning of his mother and the serious burning of his 9-year-old sister.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Friday, Jan. 22.
Sun rises—7:08; sets—4:44.
Moon sets—9:43 p. m.
High water—2:15 a. m.; 2:30 p. m.

Rain has fallen from the St. Lawrence valley southwestward into eastern Texas. There will be rain in New England.

ENGULFED IN WAR

Commercial Progress In San Domingo Is Stifled

MUST BE INTERVENTION

United States Will Feel It to Be Its Duty to Protect American Interests--Germany Watching and Waiting In Grab Game

San Juan, P. R., Jan. 21.—The present political and economic situation of Santo Domingo is so critical, even so desperate, as to bring it peculiarly under the notice of the United States government, and it is extremely likely that within the next two or three months it will occupy as much of public attention as Panama and Colombia do at present.

American interests are largely at stake in San Domingo, and the island being the exact centre of the chain of West Indian islands, its strategic position with respect to the Panama canal is such as to make it of vital importance to the United States as the ruling power of the Western Hemisphere. In considering the island of Santo Domingo we are not dealing with a little barren rock thrown up in the Atlantic ocean out of the track of commerce, but with a rich and fertile island 32,000 square miles in area, about the size of Ireland, richer, far more fertile and more strategically located than Cuba.

It forms the key to the West Indies and the Spanish main. Within its great Bay of Samana, one of the largest and finest bays in the world, the entire fleets of all the great nations could lie snugly hidden.

Three distinct revolutions are now in full swing in San Domingo—Jiminez opposing Morales, while the followers of ex-President Wos y Gil are seeking to gain a firm footing. All three parties lack the necessary funds to push their respective interests effectively. There is no money in the country, little or none is coming in as revenue. The native currency, all nickel, the dollar having a value of only 20 cents American money in the republic, is absolutely valueless outside of the country. Local loans can no longer be raised and foreign loans are equally impossible. A foreign debt of many millions of dollars weighs down the country, and all of its sources of revenue have practically passed under the control of mercantile houses and companies. No part of the interest on the great national debt has been paid for months.

The Santo Domingo Improvement company, an American concern managed from Wall street, has a firm grip upon the republic, and that grip is daily tightened. The Clyde Steamship company has a franchise that permits it to monopolize all the trade between the United States and San Domingo and along the coast of the latter at whatever rate it chooses to impose.

Numerous perquisites, a means of becoming rapidly rich, are asserted to be the incentive that urges on ambitious spirits to aspire to the presidency of the republic and sinks the country into one long spell of ruin, desolation and fratricidal carnage. Upon leaving the presidency it is said that Jiminez carried off $500,000, and Morales, who was then a delegate, got $80,000. Vasquez and his people are asserted to have carried off a large sum. Wos y Gil is accused of having seized $1,500,000 and so on. This may or may not be the truth, but the accusers are the Dominicans themselves. Many local franchises and monopolies stifle commercial progress, and the people, not knowing how to alleviate their sufferings, rush into war and help to add vigor to the general conflagration. Embezzlement of public funds is not considered to be dishonorable or criminal in San Domingo, and is extensively practised.

Engulfed as they are in such a desperate financial bog, Dominican statesmen turn their eager gaze in every direction in search of aid, and aid they must have without much more delay. A glimmer of hope seemed to dawn on the horizon for them when Germany, who is anxious and ever on the alert to gain a foothold in America, towards the latter part of the president term of Wos y Gil, sought to negotiate for the occupation of Samana bay. That hope was temporarily dissipated by the vigorous message of the United States state department to the Dominican government forbidding any such transaction, but Germany is still hoping, waiting and watching, and, if permitted, will one day make a grab before the outside world is well aware of what is happening.

The Dominican government holds firmly to its theory that as a free and independent nation it is at liberty to negotiate with whom it pleases, and that any uncalled for intervention on the part of the United States will be unlawful, and, allowed the opportunity, will defy American authority and the Munroe doctrine in the hope of being supported by other friendly powers. At any rate their desperate condition will make them brave anything in their endeavor to obtain assistance.

There are many Dominicans who still trust in the American government and people, and eagerly look forward to American intervention to alleviate their terrible situation. The conduct of the United States towards Cuba has filled these men with hope. Interference by the United States government will have to come and that, too, pretty soon, for it is not simply a matter of Dominicans injuring henselves by their perpetual wars; it is a case in which American interests are likely to suffer heavily.

The Great Spread for Daily Bread.
Karo
CORN SYRUP
At grocers, 10c, 25c, 50c tins.
CORN PRODUCTS CO.,
New York and Chicago.

Cracker Sale
THIS WEEK.
PRATT'S
Get our Prices for
Kennedy's Crackers.
Largest Assortment in Quincy
L. M. PRATT & SON.

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER.
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

PICTURES
FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.
OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
Jan. 31. tf

MAIN SPRINGS
Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.
Work called for and delivered.
SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.
Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

Worms?
Many children are troubled with worms, and treated for something else. A few doses of
Dr. True's Elixir
will expel worms if they exist, and prove a valuable tonic if there are no worms. Sold by druggists.
DR. J. F. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Me.

Insured for $2,000,000

L. Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, the eminent merchant of New York and Philadelphia, has taken out a policy in

The Prudential Insurance Co.

for $1,000,000, paying an annual premium of over $30,000. This makes him the most heavily insured man in the world, with the single exception of King Edward VII.

Mr. Wanamaker's total insurance is now $4,000,000.

Ask yourself WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed one-half this great amount with The Prudential.

Your business judgment will at once reply: "Because after full investigation and comparison, Mr. Wanamaker found that the company which could give him the best insurance for a given amount of money was The Prudential."

Nndoubtedly you will agree that Mr. Wanamaker does not pay over $30,000 per year except for most excellent reasons.

These reasons apply to YOU precisely as well as they do to HIM.

Better apply TODAY for information regarding Prudential policies to

FRANK CHESTER MANN,
General Agent for Eastern Massachusetts
209 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.
HENRY O. FAIRBANKS,
Aug. 27-eod-1y Special Agent.

Dr. Emmons'
Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively relieves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:
BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EASTMILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

He Was Right.

Maud—Generally speaking, women are—

He (interrupting)—Yes, they are.

Maud—Are what?

He—Generally speaking.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	24	32	50	34	37
Monday,	16	30	19	37	45
Tuesday,	10	33	10	51	10
Wednesday,	26	42	25	48	22
Thursday,	34	39	45	32	45
Friday,	—	34	40	44	40
Saturday,	—	30	39	52	38

New Advertisements Today.

Meadowbrook Creamery—P Beans.
To Let—Tenement.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

The street railway company are removing banks of snow along its tracks at South Quincy.

Wednesday evening was a busy one socially, entertainments being held in all parts of the city.

The games of basket ball at the Coliseum tonight will be between the Everett A. A. and Quincys, and Bowdoin and Quincy Jr's.

Mrs. Lucy J. Rodgers, who died in Buffalo, N. Y., on Monday was the mother of Charles H. Rodgers of Buffalo and Mrs. Henry C. Rodgers of this city.

Councilman Holmes writes to the Ledger to say most emphatically, that the committees of the City Conncil to which he has been assigned are entirely satisfactory.

Hon. W. B. Rice was elected president and Fred B. Rice a director at the annual meeting of the New England Shoe and Leather Association on Wednesday.

The alarm from Box 59, Wednesday afternoon was for a slight fire in the house of Barney Mann on the corner of Beale and Taylor streets. The fire was caused by the explosion of an oil stove in an unfinished attic. The damage was slight.

Mr. Eddie Macdonald's friends will be pleased to know that he has returned from the Quincy Hospital where he has been for the past three weeks. His operation proved successful although he is now under the doctor's care and will be for at least a month to come.

The members of the Memorial Congregational church, Atlantic, gave a complimentary social to some seventy of the young people of the parish Wednesday evening, as a means of bringing the retiring pastor Rev. J. H. Whitaker, and the young people together for a farewell social evening.

Mr. Funihashi, a native of Tokio will speak tomorrow evening at the Unity club upon "Art Industries" and "The Grotesque in Japanese Art." Mrs. George Saville will take "Artists" for her subject. Mr. Herbert Y. Follett will have the music in charge. All interested are invited to be present.

One of the most enjoyable social affairs held thus far this season by the Merrymount club of Wollaston was the whist party at the club rooms Wednesday evening. Twelve tables were in play and prizes were awarded those securing the best scores. Refreshments were served and there was vocal and instrumental music.

FOREMAN SHOT.

While Employed at the Shipyard.

The Assailant Was Not Seen.

Not Known for Some Time That Injured Man Was Shot.

There was a serious shooting affair at the Fore River Works Tuesday afternoon, but owing to the secrecy that now surrounds anything that transpires at the works the fact did not become known to the police until some hours later, and even then it was denied that any shooting had taken place. This greatly handicapped the police in their work and gave the person who committed the crime a good opportunity to escape if he desired.

The man shot was Winfield S. Pote, one of the foremen. It appears that he was working under the battleship Rhode Island when shot. The deafning noise made by the power riveters prevented the report of the shot from being heard.

Pote thought at first that ho had been hit with a piece of steel. He walked to the timekeeper's officer, and from there to the emergency hospital, where it is said he was treated by Dr. Pease, the yard physician, for a fractured rib.

Later in the evening the wound began to bleed, and Dr. Middleton was called, as Dr. Pease had gone away. Dr. Middleton found that the man had been shot; that the bullet had entered near the centre of the back, and lodged under the right shoulder blade.

The wound was probably made by a 22-calibre bullet. Dr. Middleton probed for it, but could not find it.

Officer Bradley heard the report of a man being injured but could obtain no particulars. He, however, notified police headquarters.

The first direct information came from Dr. Middleton who notified Officer Larkin.

Inspector McKay called the emergency hospital at the works by telephone, but the police say it was positively denied that anything of the kind had taken place.

Inspector McKay, however, immediately drove to the works. Then he was not permitted to see the man. However, he held an interview with him on Wednesday.

Pote told him that he was threatened with personal violence on Tuesday morning, because he had brought men from Philadelphia to take the place of men employed in the yard. He said that he had also been threatened by a man who said, "If you don't get out of here quick you will be taken out. I'd risk my life to get you out of here."

Acting upon information received from Pote, Officer Bradley arrested James Riley, an employe at the works. Riley was arraigned in court this morning for threatening Pote, and was held in $1,000 until next Thursday.

When President Bowles arrived at the works Wednesday morning he was informed of the assault and at once notified the police. He also issued and had posted throughout the city a notice offering a reward of $250 for the arrest and conviction of the party who made the assault.

The police had an interview with President Bowles and he was informed of the difficulty they had in obtaining information of the affair upon this and other occasions, and it is reported that some persons will have to look for situations elswhere.

Riley denies making any threat to Pote and says that he was not at the yard on Tuesday.

Although it is not surprising that the report of the revolver was not heard, it is probable that some one of the hundreds of men employed about the works saw the shot fired, and it will be no fault of the police if witnesses of the affair are not found.

Inspector McKay had no witnesses in court this morning as Pote was unable to appear.

MARRIED.

KENNARD—BURNHAM—In Wollaston, Jan. 20, by Rev. Edward Abbot Chase, Mr. Walter Kennard of Coldwater, Mich., to Miss Lorena Maud Burnham of Lawrence, Mass.

DIED.

MORSE—In Quincy, Jan. 20, Mr. Stephen Morse, aged 78 years, 5 months and 10 days. Funeral from the residence of his son, Mr. Joseph C. Morse, 215 Goffe street, Quincy, Saturday, Jan. 23, at 1.30 P. M.

KEYES—In Quincy, Jan. 20, Mrs. Mary A., widow of Mr. Douglass Keyes of 26 Edison street, aged 71 years, 5 months and 5 days.

HOLLIS—In Braintree, Jan. 20, Mrs. Caroline V., widow of Mr. Henry M. Hollis, aged 62 years and 8 months.

RODGERS—In Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 18, Lucy J., widow of Horace G. Rodgers, aged 85 years.

INGALLS—In Milton, Jan. 20, Mr. Joshua S. Ingalls, aged 70 years and 11 months.

INSTALLATION.

(Continued from page 1.)

the social committee for the evening, blushed at the turn of events. She feared some might think her old, but she had joined the order young, and there had been semi-annual elections. She said it was 24 years ago that she joined the order; that she had passed through all the chairs; was a past protector and member of the Grand lodge; for three terms was a deputy, and was now captain of the degree team.

Mr. Getner, at the close of his speech, presented to the district deputy, in behalf of the suite, a matrix gold ring.

Mrs. Marnock, who was installed for the fourth time as protector, was presented an Italian vase.

Master Curtis appeared twice on the program and was recalled. All his selections were popular, but the verses composed by Mrs. Effie L. Rhines, and sung to the tune of Mr. Dooley took the house by storm. The verses follow:

Oh, Maple lodge is known o'er all the country far and wide
For being first-class hustlers and wide awake besides;
We're always on the lookout, and do everything up brown,
And make all other lodges go away back and sit down.

Oh! come and join us,—oh, come and join us;
You never will regret it if you do,
Our lodge is dandy; we're sweet as candy,
Though we haven't a Mr. Dooley-ooley-ooley-ooley-oo.

Now, Maple lodge is getting to be quite the thing, they say,
We're taking in new members right along from day to day;
And if you want to join this very happy, lively throng,
Why, all you've got to do is say the word and come along.

With Captain Lizzie,—our Captain Lizzie,
She'll let you ride the goat and help you through,
She'll keep you walking, and stop your talking
'Bout Mr. Dooley-ooley ooley-oo.

Oh! come and join us, etc.

We have the best grand officers that you could ever name;
Sister Silsby hasn't an equal and she's on the road to fame.
Of Sister Hallett we are surely very, proud,
So sing the praises of them all in accents long and loud.
Oh! our grand officers, our dear grand officers,
The finest Massachusetts ever knew;
We have the only "Sam," and we wouldn't exchange
Our "Sam"—for any Mr. Dooley-ooley-oo.

Dancing followed the entertainment, continuing until midnight.

THE PURE FOOD BILL

Measure Which Will Safeguard Public Passed by the House

Washington, Jan. 21.—The house passed the Hepburn pure food bill on a rising vote, 201 to 68, its opponents being unable to secure a roll call on the bill. The bill fixes the standards of foods and drugs as to their purity, strength and character and defines what shall be considered adulterations or misbranding of foods and drugs. It also prohibits interstate commerce, importation and exportation of such misbranded or adulterated articles. It is proposed to enlarge the scope of the bureau of chemistry to include the bureau of foods and impose upon it the duty of performing all chemical work for the other executive departments. This bureau will be charged with the duty of inspecting food and drug products which belong to interstate or foreign commerce. The secretary of agriculture is given authority to employ such chemists, inspectors, clerks and laborers as may be necessary for the enforcement of the act.

One section of the bill provides penalties for the introduction of adulterated or misbranded foods or drugs and another section requires the secretary of agriculture to prescribe rules and regulations to govern the director of the bureau of chemistry and foods in examinations of articles required to be inspected under the law.

Violations of the law shall be prosecuted without delay.

Colombian Natives.

In Colombia the huts of the poor are of logs, with bamboo plaited sides and mud filled chinks. The windows have wooden shutters, but no glass. Sleeping places are bamboo benches with hide thrown over them, or hammocks woven by the women. Gourds of various shapes and sizes do duty for dishes, spoons and knives. Chairs and benches are hollowed logs of wood. But the peons get their living easily and enjoy life well. They delight in music and dancing, and women as well as men are smokers. Cockfighting is a favorite amusement.

The peasant women are usually barefooted and bareheaded, with mantillas for special occasions. Their dress is a short skirt and bodice or an ample frilled low necked garment called a pollera. Even the poorer classes are bedecked with jewelry.

Please don't send news to the Daily Ledger written on both sides of the paper, and don't crowd the sheet. There should be a blank space of an inch at the top of each page.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

STEPHEN MORSE.

A School Teacher for Many Years, Passes Away.

Mr. Stephen Morse who was well known to Quincy's older residents, died Wednesday night at the residence of his son on Goffe street, aged 78 years.

Mr. Morse for upwards of 20 years was a teacher in the public schools of Quincy. He was born in Marlboro and came to Quincy when a young man, and has since made his home here. He taught school at West Quincy and at the old and new Adams school buildings.

He was also the town's tax collector in 1854, 1855 and 1856, and during his term of office revolutionized the method of collecting of taxes which previous to his time had been done in a rather lax manner.

He was also for a time engaged in the brokerage business in Boston. Five years ago he fell in Boston and fractured his hip. Since that time he has been an invalid.

He married one of Quincy's school teachers. Three sons and four daughters were born, and it is a little remarkable that all of his daughters became school teachers and were considered among the best. Of his sons Joseph C. is engaged in the leather business in Boston, and Stephen and Ernest has passed away.

His four daughters are Mary, who married Prof. W. D. Jackson of Bridgewater; Hattie, who married John H. Litchfield of Wollaston; Lizzie, who resides in North Easton, and Carrie, who resides near Boston.

The Mischievous Magpie.

Here is an anecdote illustrative of the magpie's love of mischief and of sport: There was a field wherein clothes were often hung out to dry on posts which were let down into deep wooden sockets buried in the ground and were carried away and put under cover when they were not in use. A gravel path ran round the field, and a tame magpie, which had the run of it, was observed to walk repeatedly and demurely from the path to a particular point in the field, conveying each time a stone in her bill and then returning without it. A magpie seldom continues at any one amusement for any length of time, but this amusement went on so long that the curiosity of the owner was aroused. There must be something unusually novel or piquant about it. He went to the spot and found that a large toad had fallen into one of the wooden sockets and that the magpie was amusing herself by deliberately stoning it! As each shot told, the toad gave a little hop of distress in the hole deep below, which the magpie capped by a big hop of satisfaction and an irresistible "currack" of delight above. —R. Bosworth Smith in Nineteenth Century.

The Goose and Gridiron.

There existed in London long before the great fire in St. Paul's churchyard a very popular music house called the Miter. Here concerts were held, and the music at these performances had at least the merit of volume and joyousness. But the great fire laid the building in ruins and banished the music. When the place was rebuilt, the new tenant, wishing to ridicule the character of the former business, chose as his sign a goose stroking the bars of a gridiron with her foot and wrote below, "The Swan and Harp." At the Goose and Gridiron Sir Christopher Wren presided over the St. Paul's lodge of Freemasons for over eighteen years, and he presented to the lodge the trowel and mallet with which he laid the first stone of the cathedral. The goose is still preserved with her unmusical "harp" in Guildhall.—Julian King Colford in St. Nicholas.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.
Nov. 2. 6mos.

Hardware Supply Co.,
1475 Hancock St., Quincy.
SKATES
Straps, Sharpeners.
BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.
LANTERNS, 50 cts.
COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.
Dec. 29. tf

THE WORLD OF LETTERS.

Gossip About Authors—The $12,500 Monastic Scrapbook.

[Special Correspondence.]

Boston, Jan. 19.—Jack London contributes to the January Atlantic an entertaining paper on "The Scab" in his various relations and goes to prove that everybody—all the world—is a scab or nonscab at intervals or alternately, as circumstances may induce.

He says that for scabbing no blame attaches itself anywhere. All the world is a scab and, with rare exceptions, all the people in it are scabs. The strong, capable workman gets a job and holds it because of his strength and capacity. And he holds it because out of his strength and capacity he gives a better value for his wage than does the weaker and less capable workman; therefore he is scabbing upon his weaker and less capable brother workman. This is incontrovertible. It is the good fortune of the United States that is making her the colossal scab, just as it is the good fortune of one man to be born with a straight back while his brother is born with a hump.

Aquila Kempster, author of "The Mark," tells an amusing story of himself during his student days in the Bombay Medical college. Mr. Kempster volunteered, with a number of other students, to go to the front on the outbreak of the third Afghan war.

"Each student," says Mr. Kempster, "was provided with an ornamental staff sword, a revolver and thirty rounds of ammunition and sent to Quetta, then the end of the railroad, where a pony was supplied him, and he was given charge of a small band of natives. The impromptu officers were inordinately proud of their swords and were confident that as a body they would put a regiment of Afghans to flight.

"Before long, however, the coolies began to show some disregard of the inexperienced authority of their officers, even lagging behind on every opportunity. I missed several of the men, and I rode back five miles before I found them comfortably ensconced in a shady place, regaling themselves with their favorite drink, 'hubble bubble.'

"When I urged them to hurry, some uncomplimentary remarks were made about foolish children being trusted so far from home. At this emergency the beautiful sword came out with a flourish. The biggest and most truculent of the fellows sniggered. In mighty dudgeon I ran my pony alongside and struck the man smartly with the flat of the blade. Alas, there was a snap. The beautiful sword was broken in two."

Mr. Alfred Quaritch, the London collector, recently paid $12,500 for a tiny vellum volume 4¾ by 3 inches in dimensions. Its age cannot be less than 600 years. The work is without title and may be described as a scrapbook, for it contains extracts from the Bible

VIRGIN MARY, SPECIMEN PAGE OF THE $12,500 MONASTIC SCRAPBOOK.

and from philosophical writings. There are 190 leaves and 267 miniatures, but the illustrations, the most important part, have no connection with the text.

Many of the pictures portray episodes in the life of a monk. In one a monastic figure is playing a game that looks suspiciously like golf, and in another monks and nuns are watching what appears to be a conjuring performance. There are various sacred symbols, such as representations of the Trinity and of the universal Saviour. The manuscript was part of the celebrated collection of the Rev. Walter Sneyd.

Just like a woman, Miss Marie Corelli has had the last word in regard to the farthing damages which the jury awarded her in her recent libel action. The defendant called on Miss Corelli to deliver the coin and was received by the butler, to whom he handed a form of receipt for Miss Corelli's signature.

Determined that her autograph should not go so cheap, she referred the caller to her solicitors. They received it and sent the farthing back, with these terms: "We are instructed by our client to inform the defendant that she is happy to present him with the damages granted by the jury as a contribution to one of the many Stratford charities he no doubt supports."

The term "deckle edges" would seem to puzzle some people as much as the deckle edges themselves. It means nothing more than untrimmed. In the process of paper making the pulp flows into a mold. This mold is bordered with rubber, and these rubber borders are called "deckles." Ordinarily the rough edges of the paper are trimmed, but in the manufacture of modern books it is deemed more artistic to use untrimmed paper; hence "deckle edges."

BERTHA MILDRED NIXON.

A REPORTER'S STORY

[Original.]

"We fellows," said a reporter sitting with a number of his companions about a stove at midnight, "have it in our power to do lots of good or lots of harm."

"What d'you mean?" asked one of the party.

"Oh, there are millions of ways. What I have in my mind just now is suddenly thrusting some one into prominence. When I was looking after the social lions I made a deal with an impoverished swell to give me spicy bits about them. He had the entree, and I hadn't. Well, one day he told me that Lord Martingale, a fresh importation from London, had said that a certain Mrs. Ringletter he had seen in Central park beat anything for beauty they had in England. 'Here's a go,' I said to my informer. 'I know Mrs. Ringletter. I'll just run that item in the social tidbits next Sunday, and she'll be tickled to death.'

"Sure enough, the next Sunday morning I cooked up a beautiful announcement of the fact that we had a prettier woman in New York than they had in London and no less a critic than Lord Martingale had said so. A few days later I met Guy Ringletter, and he told me his wife had suddenly stumbled on to the item and it had pleased her immensely.

"That's all I thought about the matter. You know we fellows can't keep our minds on one subject very long. One evening I dropped into the Metropolitan Opera House to jot down who was there, when I heard two swells talking beside me. One of them spoke with a decidedly English accent.

"'Can you tell me who that woman is in the first box from the stage in the second tier?' he was saying.

"'That's young Mrs. Mickelton, recently married. Why do you ask?'

"'Because she is the most beautiful woman I ever saw. We've nothing like her in London.'

"'You don't mean it.'

"Well, I skimmed around and found out who the fellows were and learned that one of them was Lord Martingale. Now, you may suppose that I remembered what he'd said about my friend, Mrs. Ringletter, but I had clean forgotten it. Back I went to the office and wrote out that Lord Martingale had remarked at the opera that young Mrs. Mickelton was the most beautiful woman in New York and there was nothing like her in London.

"About a week after that I was strolling along upper Broadway. I had just lighted a cigar and was feeling very comfortable. Truth is I had $10 in my pocket, something that hadn't occurred before since I entered journalism, and I was wishing some one would come along that I could 'blow off.' I felt a touch on my arm and, turning, saw a seedy individual looking out of a pair of the most melancholy eyes I ever saw. I was about to give him a nickel when I stood stock still with astonishment.

"'Guy Ringletter, can this be you?'

"'Yes,' he said mournfully.

"'What's the matter?'

"'I've been ruined.'

"'Come in here and tell me about it.'

"I led him into a cafe. We sat down at one of the tables, and I called for a lunch and something with which to wash it down. 'Now,' I said, 'let's hear it.'

"'Do you remember nearly a year ago an item you put in your paper stating that Lord Martingale had said that my wife was the most beautiful woman in New York?'

"Slowly the matter got back into my brain.

"'Yes,' I said. 'I think I remember something like that.'

"'Well, when you published that item I was fairly prosperous. I was doing a good business and making money. But from the appearance of your statement I saw a change in Lucy. One day she told me that now we were doing so well we ought to go out more, and I soon learned that she meant we were to begin a systematic climbing to get into the Four Hundred set. I did what I could to dissuade her, but it was no use. The queen of society bee had got into her bonnet; Lord Martingale had said that she was the most beautiful woman in New York and by the spending of some money she could easily enter the elect set and with such a recommendation at once become a leader.

"'The most fashionable dressmaker was hired for her clothes, and the principal jeweler of the city furnished the gems. We gave two entertainments and got in five swells in all. They were young men of fashion who live by their wits and were glad to get "full" on my champagne. Several women who claimed to be in the smart set were at our soirees, but we found out afterward that they were impostors.

"'Meanwhile the bills began to come in, and I found the work of setting my wife up as a professional beauty was a terrible expense. You see, I couldn't attend to my business and keep track of the expenses at home. I left everything of that nature to Lucy, who was so anxious to succeed in her undertaking that she took no account of money that stood between her and a position in keeping with that cursed lord's opinion.

"'Well, what's the use giving details? One day I found my business and everything closed out. To cap the climax the other day I took up your paper and read that Lord Martindale had said that the most beautiful woman in New York was a Mrs. Somebody Else.'"

The reporter paused and gave a few vigorous puffs on his cigar. Then he concluded:

"Boys, that's the worst job I've done since I've been a reporter."

MARTIN C. BATTERSON.

WANTED.
Young Man 16 to 20 years old
—IN A—
Grocery and Provision Store
In this City.
One with some experience preferred.
Address in own hand writing giving age and references.
"B.," Ledger Office.
Jan. 19. 6t

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:
Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents
Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—In a Quincy centre store, an assistant book-keeper with some experience. Address, stating experience and salary willing to work for, BOOK-KEEPER, Ledger office.
Quincy, Jan. 15. tf

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines, steady work. Apply to MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy.
Jan. 13. tf

FOR SALE.

VICTOR TALKING MACHINE for sale at a bargain with forty records. Apply at 16 Jackson street.
Quincy, Jan. 19. 3t

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom made pung built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILSON
Quincy, Jan. 12. tf

TO LET.

WOLLASTON, near R. R. Station and Electrics. To Let—Tenement of six rooms, in good repair, on second floor, curtained and screened. Small family preferred. Apply to L. W. NASH, opposite station.
Jan 21. 6t

TO LET—Furnished Room, near Square. Apply to WEEKS-HILL Pharmacy.
Quiney, Jan. 19. 3t

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent, $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston.
Dec. 30. 1p tf

TO LET—48 Revere road, very large Front Room, nicely furnished and heated. $3.00 per week. Nice large bath room in the house, heated also. Quincy, Jan. 16-6t

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street.
Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.
ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.
HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass.
Dec. 24. tf

TO LET.

House of 8 rooms and bath, No. 240 Goffe St. Furnace, gas, sewer connections, in complete repair and one of the most convenient (yet retired) locations in city. Only small families, with prospects of extended occupancy, need apply. A permanent occupant for one room is obtainable.
R. D. CHASE,
Savings Bank Building.
Quincy, Jan. 12 eod 16 p tf

TO LET.
Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.
Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.
Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.
Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.
A Store in Music Hall Block.
Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.
A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.
An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.
Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.
Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.
Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.
A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.
Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

ANTED.

Man 16 to 20 years old
— IN A —
and Provision Store
In this City.
some experience preferred.
in own hand writing giving
ferences.
"B.," Ledger Office.
6t

IED ADVERTISEMENTS.

ments in this column inserted at the
es:
, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
three days, - - - 50 cents
one week, - - - - 75 cents
lines will be charged for pro rata,
equal a line. Long term rates fur-
nication.

WANTED.

ED—In a Quincy centre store, an
ant book-keeper with some ex-
address, stating experience and sal-
to work for, BOOK-KEEPER,
n. 15. tf

ED—Experienced Stitchers, power
ines, steady work. Apply to
OUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy.
tf

FOR SALE.

TALKING MACHINE for sale
argain with forty records. Apply
street.
n. 19. 3t

OR SALE—A Custom made pung
or the Grocery and Provision busi-
runner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILSON
an. 12. tf

STON, near R. R. Station and
rics. To Let—Tenement of six
d repair, on second floor, curtained
d. Small family preferred. Apply
ASH, opposite station.
6t

Furnished Room, near Square.
to WEEKS-HILL Pharmacy.
an. 19. 3t

—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all
vements, at 22 Blake street. Rent,
nth. Apply to F. M. TORREY,
lake street, Wollaston.
1p-tf

—48 Revere road, very large Front
, nicely furnished and heated.
eek. Nice large bath room in the
d also. Quincy, Jan. 16-6t

—Nice tenement containing five
nd bath, furnace heat, situate No.
street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES
, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank
oom 4. Dec. 31-tf

T—Tenements, all improvements.
y to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independ-
ue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
tf

T—Two Rooms, furnished or un-
shed. Apply 26 School street.
Nov. 23. tf

—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point,
tly occupied by L. C. Embree &
to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf
Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

NT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms
th, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of
road Station. Rent, $475.00 per
be leased for one or two years,
required. Apply at the office of
. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street,
as. Dec. 24-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

of 7 rooms and bath, all modern
rovements, electric lights, with stable
Point. Within one minute of the
s and within ten minutes' walk of
River Ship and Engine Company
he office of FRANK F. CRANE,
street, Quincy, Mass.
tf

TO LET.

House of 8 rooms and bath, No.
240 Goffe St. Furnace, gas, sewer
connections, in complete repair and
most convenient (yet retired) loca
Only small families, with pros
ended occupancy, need apply. A
ccupant for one room is obtainable.
R. D. CHASE,
Savings Bank Building.
an. 12 eod 16 p tf

TO LET.

dent Offices in the new
Building, City Square. A good
y for lawyers.
and Ante-Rooms in the
Block. These are all furnished
d, and will be let permanently
privilege of sub-letting, or for
hts each month.
shed Lodging Rooms in
in-Merrill Block. Most con-
Offices in the Durgin-Merrill
ly one flight up, and right at the
he stairs. These will be let separ-
together. A good chance for a
re in Music Hall Block.
of a Store. Price very
e.
rement—recently papered—four
ms, besides ample closets, etc.—city
. Granite street, in the rear of
venleaf.
Office in Hancock Chambers—up
and at the head of the stairs.
rnished Lodging Rooms
convenient.
ry or Shop on Granite street,
r of Hotel Greenleaf.
dry or Shop—just put in good
op on the ground floor, in the
usic Hall Block.

cy Real Estate Trust,
Hall Block, QUINCY.

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 19. QUINCY, MASS., FRIDAY, JANUARY 22, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,
DRUGGIST,
1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON
Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

— OUR —

Capitol Shoe

FOR BOYS.

Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.

Sizes 12 to 2 $1.75
Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2.00

The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.

Every Pair Warranted.

GEORGE W. JONES,

Adams Building, - QUINCY.

For FRIDAY Only.

(BEST) NEW YORK

P BEANS

6c. qt.

Meadowbrook Creamery,

1399 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass.

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.
OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5
Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
Jan. 31. tf

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER.
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

SEN. BRACKETT CHAIRMAN.

The Norfolk County Men in the Legislature Organize and Will Hold a Banquet.

SENATOR BRACKETT.

The Senators and Representatives from Norfolk County at the State House this year met on Thursday and organized for social purposes. Hon. Albert A. Brackett of East Milton, the popular senator from this district, was elected chairman, and Horace R. Drinkwater of the Braintree and Weymouth district was elected secretary.

Evidently a grand banquet is contemplated soon, because the only business was the appointment of a banquet committee which includes Senators Brackett and Bemis and Representative Drinkwater, Representative Pierce of Milton and Representative Thayer of Franklin.

REPRESENTATIVE DRINKWATER.

FIREMEN'S BALL.

The Annual of Milton Department a Great Success.

The thirteenth annual ball of the Milton Firemen's Relief Association was held at Town Hall, Milton, Wednesday night, and was the most successful of any ever given. About 400 were present the grand march was at 9 o'clock and was led by Floor Director Henry McCue and Miss Winifred Dalton. During a short intermission at midnight a supper was served.

The invited guests included all the town officials and the chiefs of fire departments in neighboring cities and towns.

Floor Director McCue was assisted by a large corps of efficient aids and the arrangements were in charge of an efficient committee headed by Capt. Charles H. Bowman.

The fireman present were in full uniform and the hall was profusely decorated with American flags and bunting while palms, ferns and lines of hose adorned the platform. Sets were formed at the sound of a gong.

☞ Eyeglasses fitted scientifically. No guess work.—Williams.

Golf Association.

Twenty clubs were represented on Thursday at the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Golf Association, the Wollaston men being R. R. Freeman and S. B. Reed. President G. H. Windeler was in the chair. R. R. Freeman the secretary reported that 48 of the 52 clubs in the State eligible were now enrolled. The treasurer reported a balance of $186.50 in the treasury. All the officers were reelected. Ralph Cracknell reported for the handicap committee, and the committee received a vote of thanks.

Mrs. Dyer Ill.

Mrs. Calvin Dyer is seriously ill at her home on Whitwell street. Thursday evening she was present at a gathering on Wibird street, and about 9.30 started for the depot to get a carriage. When near the residence of N. B. Furnald she had a fainting spell, but recovered and started on. She remembered nothing further until found near the Weeks-Hill pharmacy in a semi-conscious condition. Hall's ambulance was called and she was taken home. She passed a bad night and is now seriously ill.

A fire escape has been built from the top floor of the Greenleaf block to the roof of the Durgin & Merrill block.

BASKET BALL.

Easy for the Quincys and the Quincy Juniors.

There were two good games of Basket ball at the Coliseum Thursday night and the home teams were victorious in both. The Quincys were up against the Everetts. Both teams were evenly matched as to size. The visitors, however, were lacking in team work, and moved with a stiffness when compared with the limber and lively boys of the home team. The visitors would hold the Quincys remarkably well for a time. Then they would seemingly relax, and the home team would pile up goals fast and thick.

In the first half, the Quincys scored 16 points and the visitors 7.

At the beginning of the second half it looked as though the Everetts had taken a stimulant. They played more active and held the Quincys well. Later they relaxed their vigilance and the Quincys began to run up their score, making 22 points while the visitors made but 6. The score at the end of the game was: Quincy, 38; Everett, 13.

The second game was between the Quincy juniors and Bowdoins of Dorchester. The home team had a regular picnic with the visitors. Time and time again a visitor had the ball in front of the Quincy's basket, and free from interference should have tossed the ball into the basket. He however failed to find it and the ball would then be rushed to the other end, and scored against the visitors. The visitors did not score in the first half, but managed to secure a goal from a foul in the second half. This was all that saved them from a whitewash. The score was Quincy juniors, 25; Bowdoin, 1.

At St. Mary's hall the St. Mary's Juniors defeated the Mohawks 28 to 3.

Asked to Refund.

Postmaster George Cushing of Hingham, Mass., has been called upon by the postoffice department to refund to the government $2704.35, the cost of the maintenance of the Hingham postoffice as a second class office during a period in which its legitimate business warranted its rating only in the third class.

Would Not Accept Reduction

New Haven, Jan. 22.—The employes of the New Haven Iron and Steel company, who have been idle since Dec. 19, have voted to submit the wage question to their national union. The company ordered a reduction in wages of 11 1-4 percent and the men declined to accept it. The mill was then shut down.

Alleged Assailant of Women

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 22.—Minot S. Francis, colored, was arrested here on suspicion of being the man who assaulted Mrs. Catherine Johnson in Swampscott on Tuesday evening. Francis' description answers in a general way that given by Mrs. Johnson to the Swampscott police.

Negro Robber Sentenced

Boston, Jan. 22.—Convicted of robbery, Arthur Jones, a negro, was sentenced to not more than 15 nor less than 10 years in the state prison, three days to be spent in solitary confinement. Jones' victim was Dennis Galvin, whom he robbed of a watch, chain and charm, valued at $25.

Hammered Brother-In-Law

Providence, Jan. 22.—The coroner's report on the inquest into the death of Peter Ostiguy, Jr., finds that the cause of death was septic infection, due to blows administered by his brother-in-law, Louis Senecal, Jr. Senecal will have a hearing on the charge of manslaughter.

Disagreement In Will Contest

Providence, Jan. 22.—A disagreement of the jury was the result of the Caleb Y. Potter will contest. The contestants were the grandchildren of the testator, who claimed that the testator was unduly influenced by heir uncle in disposing of his $125,000 worth of property.

Blockade Expected to Continue

Nantucket, Mass., Jan. 22.—The inhabitants of the island have settled down for the third ice siege of the winter. The harbor is impregnable and the sound for miles is filled with floating fields. There are plenty of provisions, but the grain supply is exhausted.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND.
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.
Nov. 2. 6mos.

HALL and BURGESS,
Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

RECORD OF THE CLEOPATRA.

A Crack Yacht of Quincy Yacht Club, Owned by Vice-Commodore Frank F. Crane,

One of the crack boats of the Quincy Yacht club is the 21-footer Cleopatra, owned by Vice-Commodore Frank Fessenden Crane. She has an enviable reputation as a prize winner and during the ten years in which she has been raced, has been pitted against all of the fast boats in her class along the South Shore, and has been remarkably successful in capturing trophies.

She was built in 1894 at Monument Beach, on Cape Cod, by C. C. Hanley, whose reputation as a designer and builder of yachts that "get there" is known wherever yachts are raced.

She sailed her first race at Hyannis, under the name of El Paso, and won against a large fleet of boats. She then came around the Cape and sailed at Duxbury, winning a leg in the Fanny Davenport cup. She was then purchased by Melbourne McDowell, husband of Fanny Davenport, and named Cleopatra after one of the characters impersonated by Fanny Davenport.

In 1896 she was purchased by Henry M. Faxon of the Quincy Yacht club, who raced her until 1899 when he sold her to Vice Commodore Crane her present owner.

Her record during the ten years in which she has been raced is one of which any yacht might feel proud.

Her first appearance in Quincy waters was at the open race Aug. 25, 1894. There were eight starters in the race and she took first money, defeating the Magpie, her nearest competitor, by over seven minutes corrected time. She did not race in 1895. In 1896 she was raced at Duxbury and secured two firsts and one third prize. That same year she also raced in and about Boston, and captured one first prize, two second prizes, three third prizes, two fifth prizes, while one race she was disabled. Her M. Y. R. A. average for the season being fourth place.

In 1897 she entered 17 races capturing two first prizes, three second prizes, four third prizes, four fourth prizes, two fifth prizes, and two sixth prizes. Her M. Y. R. A. average for the season being seventh place.

In 1898 she entered eight races her record for the year being three first prizes, four second prizes and withdrew one. Her M. Y. R. A. season average being second place.

She did not race in 1899 but in 1900 she entered ten races: two first prizes, seven second prizes, one third prize. Her M. Y. R. A. season average was second place.

In 1901 she entered yacht racing association races only and captured two seconds. Her season average being fifth place.

In 1902 she raced only in Quincy waters, entering six races. She won two firsts and three seconds. In the other race she was disabled by being run into by the Moondyne. She however continued over the course and finished in tenth place.

In 1903 she finished third in the City of Boston open race but was given second prize as the boat finishing second was to long for that class. She also raced in four Quincy Yacht club races. Her percentage this year was the highest of her class.

R. R. Freeman President.

The Wollaston Golf club held its annual meeting on Thursday and the following officers were elected: President, R. R. Freeman; vice-president, C. L. Bremer; treasurer, E. S. Litchfield; secretary, S. B. Reed; executive committee, J. P. Treanor, F. B. Rice, T. E. Jacobs, F. L. Dunne and E. H. Brock.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 18th, 1904. The Committee on Election Laws will give a hearing to parties interested in so much of the Governor's address as relates to municipal suffrage for women, at room No. 240, State House, on Wednesday, Jan. 27th, at 10 o'clock, A. M. JAMES H. McKINLEY, Chairman. GEORGE A. TURNER, Clerk of the Committee. Jan. 22-24-22-25

I Can Quickly Sell for Cash

Without local publicity, your Business, Real Estate or Partnership, no matter where located. Send me full particulars, price, etc.
Address. CHARLES E. POWELL,
19 W. Mohawk St., Buffalo, New York.
Jan. 22. 1m

Hotel Greenleaf
Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

TO-DAY
And Every Day until the Bankrupt Stock of
C. F. DERBY
Is Closed out we will sell
MEN'S and BOYS'
CLOTHING,
Furnishings and Hats
At Lower Prices than any other store.
COME AT ONCE
For Best Bargains.
You want good goods for a little money. We want the cash. Here is your opportunity.
BANKRUPT SALE,
Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

Cracker Sale
THIS WEEK,
PRATT'S
Get our Prices for
Kennedy's Crackers.
Largest Assortment in Quincy
L. M. PRATT & SON.

By C. H. JOHNSON, - - Auctioneer.
Office, Room 3, Adams Building.

City Square Auction Room.
Large Auction Sale
—OF—
Household Furniture

At City Square Auction Room,
Old Court Room Building, on
Friday, Jan. 22, 1904,
At 2 P. M.

These goods consist in part as follows:

25 Chairs, 3 Child's Rockers, 10 High Chairs, Marble Top Bureau, 5 Commodes, 2 Extension Tables, Carpets, 2 Art Squares, 2 White Iron Beds, Pictures, Counter Scales, 4 Show Cases, Range, Cylinder Stove, Tables, What Not, Flag, Baby Carriage, 7 Clothes Baskets, Lot Agate Ware, Sewing Machines,

100 PAIR RUBBERS ALL SIZES,

50 Desks and Chairs, from the old Washington School, and a variety of goods.

Goods received for Storage at City Square Auction Rooms. Jan. 18-2t--18-22

Sheriff's Sale.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
NORFOLK, ss. Quincy, Dec. 22, 1903.

TAKEN on execution and will be sold at public auction on SATURDAY, the thirtieth day of January, 1904, at 9 o'clock A. M., at my residence No. 163 Franklin street, Quincy, said County, all the right, title and interest which John Roberts of said Quincy had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the twenty-second day of December, 1903, at 2 o'clock P. M., (being the time the same was seized on execution) in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in Quincy, said County, and being lots No. 105 and 107 on plan by Whitman & Breck, recorded with Norfolk Plans, plan book 11, plan 461 and with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 597, page 7 and lib. 633, page 315, said lots are bounded as follows:

Southeasterly on Roberts street, formerly called Smith street, 108 feet; southwesterly on land of Spargo, 80 1-10 feet; northwesterly on land of Richards, Brooks and Heirs of T. J. Nightingale, 180 feet; northeasterly on land of Phillips, 80 1-10 feet.

GEORGE H. FIELD, Deputy Sheriff.
Jan. 15. 5t--15-22-29

CARD.

Mrs. F. H. Hewins,

—: Formerly in the :—
Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations ● ● ●

METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.

Offices:
128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.
Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903 tf

You can buy THURSDAY at
PRATT'S

2 lbs. Good Steak, 25 cents
Smoked Shoulders, 8 cts. pound

L. M. PRATT & SON.

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
Tuner in Quincy 25 y.

Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.

Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.

Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marten's store.

Boston Office. 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence.

Insured for $2,000,000

L. Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, the eminent merchant of New York and Philadelphia, has taken out a policy in

The Prudential Insurance Co.

for $1,000,000, paying an annual premium of over $30,000. This makes him the most heavily insured man in the world, with the single exception of King Edward VII.

Mr. Wanamaker's total insurance is now $2,000,000.

Ask yourself WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed one-half this great amount with The Prudential.

Your business judgment will at once reply: "Because after full investigation and comparison, Mr. Wanamaker found that the company which could give him the best insurance for a given amount of money was The Prudential."

Nndoubtedly you will agree that Mr. Wanamaker does not pay over $30,000 per year except for most excellent reasons.

These reasons apply to YOU precisely as well as they do to HIM.

Better apply TODAY for information regarding Prudential policies to

FRANK CHESTER MANN,
General Agent for Eastern Massachusetts
209 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.

HENRY O. FAIRBANKS,
Aug. 27-eod-1y Special Agent.

Dr. Emmons'

Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively leaves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.
THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF
The Quincy Patriot.
A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the
Braintree Observer and Reporter
A Weekly Established in 1878.

HE LOST HIS JOB

Young Man Sought Revenge by Shooting Workshop Foreman

Providence, Jan. 22.—Having lost his position in the employ of B. Lederer & Co., manufacturers of jewelry, Edward A. Rourke, 21 years old, last night entered the shop filled with people and deliberately fired four shots at George B. Austin, aged 36, the foreman, whom he considered responsible for his discharge. Two of the shots took effect, one entering the left forearm and the other lodging in the right side of the abdomen. After the shooting Rourke walked into the street and gave himself up to the first officer he met. He was taken to the police station, where he told the story of the shooting and its alleged cause. He will be arraigned on the charge of assault with intent to kill. Austin is in a serious condition, although his wounds are not considered necessarily fatal. He is married and has a child. Rourke is unmarried.

Brothers Charged With Robbery

Portland, Me., Jan. 22.—Ally and Ernest Wentworth, brothers, both under 18, were arrested last night, charged with robberies committed at Windham and West brook. The police watched the pawn shops and when the boys appeared with their alleged plunder they were arrested. The Wentworth boys were handcuffed together, but Ernest succeeded in pulling his hand from the irons and escaped. Ally Wentworth is said to have admitted the robberies.

Heavy Loss to Peach Growers

South Glastonbury, Conn., Jan. 22.—J. H. Hale, the most prominent peach grower of New England, says that the extreme cold has killed thousands of peach trees in New England and that his own personal loss cannot be less than $25,000. He has received reports from all over this state, from the Hudson river region, Massachusetts and Rhode Island, and these, he says, confirm his own observations.

Bogus Money In His Pockets

South Norwalk, Conn., Jan. 22.—Harry Landon, who says his home is in Philadelphia, was arrested here and locked up on a charge of passing counterfeit half dollars. Landon, according to the police, passed the bad coins on merchants, receiving in change good money. Eight of the imitation coins were found in his possession.

Stabbing In Sailors' Row

Providence, Jan. 22.—A stabbing affray, in which four negro sailors and a white man named Gormley were actors, occurred in the shipping district last night. Gormley sustained several serious wounds, but will probably recover. John Williams is under arrest, charged with the cutting. It is not known how the trouble originated.

Hospital Objectionable

Spencer, Mass., Jan. 22.—Spencer's selectmen last night voted not to allow any person or persons to build or occupy a building as a hospital within three miles of Spencer town hall. This action is taken to prevent the establishment of the proposed Worcester Consumptives' hospital in the edge of Spencer.

Celestials Homeward Bound

Providence, Jan. 22.—On board the steamer Dorchester, when she sailed for Baltimore last night, were 56 Chinamen from Boston and Buffalo, listed for transportation to their native country. They are in charge of United States Marshal Bennett and have been convicted of being illegally in this country.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

☞ Main Spring while you wait. Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

W. A. BRADFORD,

Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting.

Jobbing promptly attended to.

Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.
Open Monday and Saturday evenings.
Telephone 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

JOHN STREIFERD & SON, FLORISTS.
Telephone 13-7 Braintree.

Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.

Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

COASTWISE LAWS

Hearing Shows That Protection Pinches In Some Cases

CORDAGE MEN COMPLAIN

Application of Frye Bill to Trade Between This Country and the Philippines Would Injure Commerce to a Large Extent

Washington, Jan. 22.—The representatives of the cordage industries of the eastern coast, who appeared before the senate committee on the Philippines, asking for a postponement of the date when the coastwise shipping laws shall be made applicable to the trade between this country and the archipelago, are not encouraged over the outlook. Senators Lodge and Hale indicated by their questions strong friendship for the Frye bill. They called attention to the rebate of the export tax which is now allowed Americans, but the witnesses declared that they would rather abandon that advantage than be subjected to the terms of the coastwise laws. They offered also to make contracts for three or five years with any reputable American shipping concern to pay 10 per cent more than it costs them now for the transportation of hemp, instead of being at the mercy of the few American ships plying between Manila and our Atlantic coast. This would be for the Plymouth Cordage Company a contribution of $12,500 a year toward the upbuilding of the American merchant marine. Mr. Metcalf of the Columbian Cordage works of Auburn, N. Y., seconded this proposal, made by the Plymouth people, and nobody dissented from it.

Attention was also called by the committee to the fact that this industry was handsomely protected. It was stated in reply that American manufacturers are exporters, and that the tariff does them no good, that they would not know they had one. This bill provides that after July 1, 1904, all transportation of passengers and merchandise between the United States and the Philippine Islands shall be in American bottoms.

Those who argued against the bill maintained that it would greatly injure trade between the Philippines and the United States. They argued that there are not now sufficient American vessels to do the business at reasonable rates and that if the existing American vessels should be diverted from their present business to this business, they would have to charge exhorbitant rates since they would have monopoly. They pointed out that Secretary Root had strongly objected to the bill recently proposed to restrict the carriage of government supplies to the Philippines to American vessels, showing how much greater would be the difficulty of a similar restriction to all merchandise. They urged that in the end the consumer would have to pay the freight solely to benefit the few persons engaged in the shipping business to and from the Philippines.

The worst sufferers will be the farmers who use binder twine and other cordage products. For years to come it will be practically impossible for this business to be handled by American vessels clearing from Atlantic ports, and that if it should be handled from Pacific ports the overland freight across the continent would kill the cordage manufacturing business of the East.

Another case where the protective shoe pinches was brought to the attention of Secretary Shaw by Elwin G. Preston and Clinton White, representing the Boston Chamber of Commerce, and by Calvin Austin, general manager of the Eastern Steamship Company; P. Gifkins, general manager of the Dominion Atlantic Railway Company; J. A. Flanders, general agent, Plant Line to Nova Scotia and Newfoundland, and F. S. Masters of the Dominion Atlantic Railway.

Secretary of the Treasury Shaw has recently issued an order requiring passengers from Canadian ports, on entering Boston, New York and elsewhere, to make the same declarations as if they had crossed the Atlantic and to submit to the same system of inspection. At this season of the year such a ruling occasions a small part of the inconvenience that will be entailed next summer, when boatloads often numbering 600 passengers, mostly Americans who have taken a few days outing in the Provinces, would be coming in. To subject these people to the same requirements as those from Southampton and Liverpool would, it is claimed, kill in large part this business. The railroads are not subjected to such requirements, from the same points and running in competition with the steamers. The opponents also assert that logically such a requirement should be applied to lake traffic, like that between Toronto and Lewiston, and to all railroads crossing the international boundary. They hope to convince Secretary Shaw that it is entirely unnecessary in any case.

Blocks Fraudulent Enlistments

Washington, Jan. 22.—Hereafter all enlisted men in the marine corps who ask for discharges on the ground that they were under 18 years of age when they enlisted will be court martialed for fraudulently enlisting.

Long Vacation About to End

Shamokin, Pa., Jan. 22.—The Shamokin Coal company announces that its colliery near Green Ridge, employing 700 men and boys, will resume operations Feb. 1, after being idle three months.

POLICE CHIEF'S PLEA

It Results In His Assailant Receiving a Light Sentence

Pittsfield, Mass., Jan. 22.—The spectacle of the victim of a murderous assault pleading for a light sentence for the man who sought his life was presented in the superior court previous to the sentencing of George W. Northup, the North Adams policeman who shot his chief, William F. Dinneen, on Dec. 17 last. Dinneen asked the court to deal leniently with Northup, for the sake of the latter's family, with the result that the prisoner was sent to state prison for no less than three nor more than five years.

On being brought into court Northup retracted his former plea of not guilty, and pleaded guilty to assault with intent to murder. Dinneen, still weak from the wounds received during the encounter with Northup in the North Adams police station, then addressed the court. He said that the prisoner's family was deserving and would have but poor support while the head of the family was in prison. For that reason he hoped that the court would not send Northup to prison for a long term. The sentence is considered a light one, and good conduct will reduce it to but little more than two years.

Denies Knowledge of Murder

Allentown, Pa., Jan. 22.—Mrs. Catherine Bechtel, whose trial on the charge of being an accessory after the fact to the murder of her daughter, Mabel, has been in progress here since last week, was on the witness stand in her own defense for 4½ hours and proved a good witness. She told a plain, straightforward story. Briefly stated, she positively denied that her son, Tom, killed Mabel, or that she had guilty knowledge of the crime. She was under cross-examination when court adjourned, but the commonwealth up to that time failed to shake her story.

Not Forgetful of Mother

The Hague, Jan. 22.—Queen Wilhelmina inaugurated the festivities attending the queen mother's jubilee with a gala dinner last night. In her speech the queen devoted her remarks to a personal appreciation of her mother, whose life, she said, had been prolonged "not for herself alone, but by the blessing of God, for her people, who adored her." Her majesty concluded with a touching reference to the memory of the late king. The queen and Prince Henry appeared on the balcony of the palace and were cheered with enthusiasm by the populace.

Chicago Needs Anti-Toxin

Boston, Jan. 22.—The laws of the commonwealth forbidding the sale of anti-toxin outside of the state, the state board of heath was obliged to notify the health authorities of Chicago that no anti-toxin could be sent there, as Chicago requested. The Chicago board is unable to purchase anti-toxin to check the spread of diphtheria, on account of the prohibitive price established in that city, and they therefore appealed to Boston for help.

Macedonian Outbreak Predicted

Sofia, Jan. 22.—General Zontcheff, who commanded the Macedonian insurgents last fall and who has just returned from a tour of Europe, says that he regards a Macedonian outbreak in the spring as a certainty. He believes the appointment of foreign officers to the army staff to be a step in the division of Macedonia into sections, which will be occupied by troops of the interested powers until final pacification is effected.

Morgan Would Annex Panama

Washington, Jan. 22.—Mr. Platt (Conn.) concluded his speech on Panama yesterday. He defended the course of the president throughout the Panama revolt and eulogized the executive personally as brave and fearless. Mr. Morgan spoke in explanation of his bill for the annexation of Panama to the United States, basing his argument on the ground that the pending canal treaty practically contemplated that result.

The Fall of a "Reformer"

Clinton, Ia., Jan. 22.—J. W. Warr, president of the Moline Building and Loan association, has been indicted by the grand jury on 17 counts. The indictments charge that he has embezzled $31,000, although it is said his shortage will exceed $100,000. Warr was a great reformer and church worker and last spring was a candidate for mayor on the reform ticket. He is in jail in default of bonds.

Union Men Neglected the Dead

St. Louis, Jan. 22.—At the request of a firm of undertakers four policemen were detailed as pass bearers at the funeral of Frank Magin. Magin was a member of the Waiters' union and his friends were all members of unions. The family undertakers sought pall bearers from among the men, but they met with refusals because non-union drivers were to be employed on the carriages.

Fired From the Army

Washington, Jan. 22.—The president has approved the sentence of the court martials in the cases of First Lieutenants Knudson and Robichon of the infantry and they have been dismissed from the service. Knudson was convicted of misappropriation of funds and embezzlement and Robichon of conduct unbecoming an officer and gentleman.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Saturday, Jan. 23.
Sun rises—7:07; sets—4:46.
Moon sets—10:41 p. m.
High water—2:45 a. m.; 3 p. m.

The Mississippi valley depression has increased considerably in energy, but has made little progress eastward. There will be snow in northern New England and rain in south portion

CITY BREVITIES.

Snow and rain.

Colder tomorrow.

The no-school signal was given this morning.

The Copeland club are to hold a grand ball early in February.

The new freight house at South Quincy has been completed.

E. H. Doble & Co. completed the filling of their ice houses this week.

The City Council will hold another meeting on Monday, the fourth for the new year.

The grand assembly of the Home Science Association will be held this evening at Quincy Music hall.

The building on the corner of Water and Granite streets that was partly destroyed by fire some weeks ago was moved Thursday to a lot on Copeland street nearly opposite Evans' auction room.

The formation of thick ice may cause considerable damage to boats in the Hanley basin at Quincy Point. Men are engaged in sawing out the ice, and have found some 22 inches thick. Some mooring chains have parted.

Charles C. Foster, the contractor for the club house at Quincy Point has encountered considerable rough weather, but has now reached that point where he is making rapid progress. The building is 20 by 40 and ten feet in the clear on each floor. The sheathing used has already received much favorable comment. The club will have very good quarters. They will be ready to occupy early in February.

As to Flying Machine Funds

Washington, Jan. 22.—The war department is asked to detail to the house the amount and source of money it has expended in the promotion of flying machine experiments, in a resolution introduced by Representative Hitchcock (Neb). The resolution applies to such experiments and construction whether under the direction of Professor Langley or otherwise.

Settled In First Round

Philadelphia, Jan. 22.—Hank Kenny essayed to go six rounds with Jim Jeffords here last night, but the referee ended the fight 30 seconds before the first round was to have ended. Kenny had been knocked down four times, and was all but out.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Henry Tyrrell, the oldest continuous resident of Nashua, N. H., is dead, aged 98. He was born in the suburbs of the city and held many public offices.

The festivities in honor of the 75th birthday of King Oscar II of Sweden and Norway were inaugurated with special service in all the churches.

The cyanide mill of the United States Reduction and Refining company, near Florence, Col., the largest in the world, was destroyed by fire. Loss $100,000.

The Advent Christians closed their three days of praise services and addresses at Boston with a revival meeting and glorification in anticipation of the early coming of the Lord.

The president's yacht Mayflower, which has been at Panama since the middle of November, will be ordered home in a few days.

Rheumatism

What is the use of telling the rheumatic that he feels as if his joints were being dislocated?

He knows that his sufferings are very much like the tortures of the rack.

What he wants to know is what will permanently cure his disease.

That, according to thousands of grateful testimonials, is

Hood's Sarsaparilla

It promptly neutralizes the acid in the blood on which the disease depends, completely eliminates it, and strengthens the system against its return. Try Hood's.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

JANUARY
MARK DOWN SALE
—OF—
COATS.

New up-to-date Coats
Were $7.98, now **$5.00.**
Were $7.98, now **$6.98.**

We have only 2 Zibeline Coats left.
Prices, $17.98 and $25.00.
Choice now, **$12.98.**

Every Coat in the store Marked Down.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

THE BEST BY THE TEST.
NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT
In 10c Packages with List of Valuable Premiums.

JANUARY
MARK DOWN
PARLOR STOVES and BLANKETS.

Nearly three months more of cold weather. The greatest opportunity ever offered to buy

PARLOR STOVES, WINTER BLANKETS OR COMFORTERS.

We have cut the price of our Parlor Stoves 1-4 to 1-3 from regular prices. The same saving on comforters and blankets, making prices less than the goods cost to make.

PARLOR STOVES, $2.25 and up.
BLANKETS, 45c. and up.
COMFORTERS, 75c. and up.

Prices here on House Furnishings are lower than in any other store.

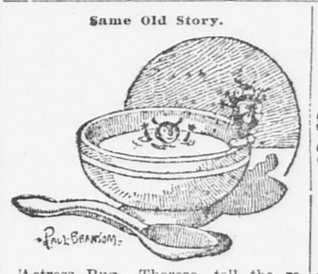
Cash or Credit. Green Trading Stamps.

HENRY L. KINCAID & CO.
New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store,
Hancock Street, Quincy.
We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

SAVE THIS COUPON . .
DAILY LEDGER PREMIUM.
SOLID GOLD FOUNTAIN PEN.

For TWO of these coupons and SIXTY-NINE CENTS we will furnish for a time LEDGER readers with a SOLID GOLD, fully warranted Fountain Pen, Polished barrel, rubber cap screw section, beautiful delivery, worth $2. Satisfaction guaranteed.
Present coupons at McCONNELL'S FRUIT STORE, 1414 Hancock St. Quincy, or
Hiram A. Hayden, Agent, 118 Washington Street.
Mail Orders Promptly Attended to. We Pay Postage.

Same Old Story.



'Actress Bug—Therese, tell the reporters I'm taking my milk bath.—New York Evening Journal.

Wooden Shoes.

Wooden shoes in France are produced to the extent of about 4,000,000 pairs yearly. They are made in Alsace and Barriers by machinery and in Lozere by hand. In the last named province 1,700 persons are engaged in this manufacture, and the yearly product is more than half a million pairs. The best are made of maple. In the provinces nearly every lady possesses a pair of the finer sabots for wearing out in damp weather. These have monograms and other designs carved on the vamps, and they are kept on the foot by ornamented leather pieces over the instep. The manufacture of these pieces of leather is a regular business in France.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.

Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

You can buy WEDNESDAY at
PRATT'S

3 5-cent Loaves for 10 cents
2 Packages Luck, 15 cents

L. M. PRATT & SON.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple, $8.00
Dry Pine Wood, 7.00
Dry Pine Slabs, 6.00
Green Hard Wood, 7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.

THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,
Yard between Miller and West Streets.
Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.
Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

4 for 1
Trading Stamps
AT THE
HOSIERY STORE.

LOW PRICES ON
BOYS' and GIRLS'
OUTING FLANNELS.

FINE LINE OF NECKWEAR.

LARGE ASSORTMENT
NEW LACES.

City Employment Office.

MRS. C. J. MILLER,
1383 Hancock Street, CITY SQUARE.

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.
JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.
HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

You Had Better Write Down

TELEPHONE No. 114-4.

AND CALL UP

The Hancock Fish Market,

Formerly C. H. BROOK'S Market,

Cor. Saville and Hancock Streets.

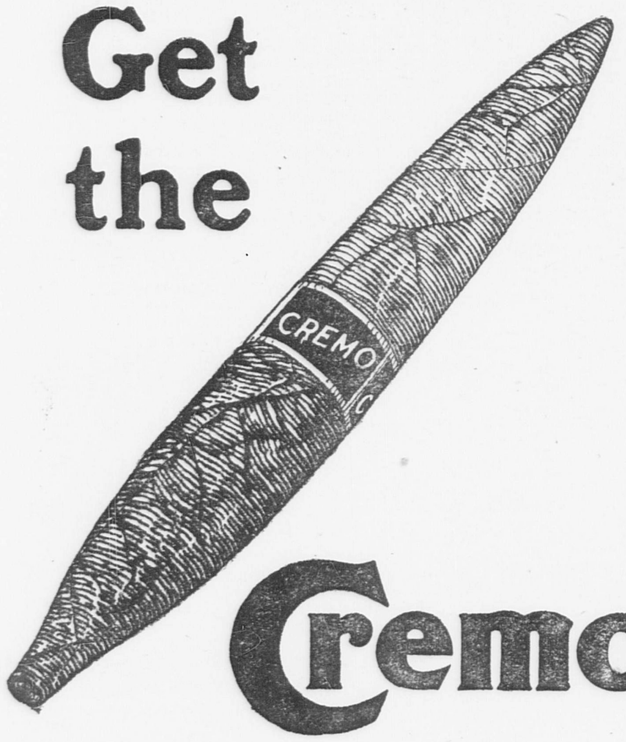
Everything of the **Very Best.** Fish orders taken and delivered by the

CONSOLIDATED GROCERY & PROVISION CO.,

PROPRIETORS,

Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

Get the



Cremo

DANCING.

COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.

BASKET BALL

AND DANCING

THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $6, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all outer pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For further particulars apply to ELMER W. BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

F. S. BUXTON,

TEACHER OF VIOLIN

WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.

Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

W. G. CHUBBUCK,

Furniture and Piano Mover

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.

JOBBING.

Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.

lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

The Daily Ledger

NOVELETTE

FOR TOMORROW.

The League of The Old Men

BY JACK LONDON

This is an exciting drama of the Klondike in which an Indian, telling why he slew white men, recites the wrongs of his race. Marked originality in theme and treatment.

This will be followed by other Short Stories of exceptional literary merit.

Seven Columns Illustrated.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in al. parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

IN THREE MONTHS.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. Has Raised $400.

The Woman's auxiliary to the Young Men's Christian Association met Monday afternoon for their regular meeting. Sixteen ladies were present.

The treasurer's report showed a balance of $550. Over $400 has been raised in three months.

The report from the opera "Egypta" showed net receipts of a little over $200.

It is felt by all that it was worth at least two hundred dollars more to have the work of the Y. M. C. A. brought happily before the public.

A committee of five was appointed to devise ways and means for raising more money. The ladies named are Mrs. A. H. Gilson, Miss Macfarland, Mrs. J. O. Hall, Jr., Mrs. T. B. Pollard, and Mrs. G. H. Brown. Mrs. Wilson Marsh, Mrs. Theophilus King and Mrs. E. S. Tenney will assist the committee.

Mrs. O. H. Durrell, of Cambridge, will be present at the February meeting and speak upon what an auxiliary can do to aid a building movement. Mrs. Durrell has done more in this direction than any other woman in the country.

MILTON.

Mrs. Perry of Belcher Circle, of East Milton is now getting over a severe attack of bronchitis.

Mr. Harry B. Week of Brush Hill is very sick with blood poisoning.

Mr. Martin Banning of Belcher Circle, East Milton, is about out of danger having had a severe attack of appendicitis and peritonitis. He was operated on at his home by one of the best surgeons procurable last Wednesday and the appendix removed. His doctors are to be praised for having discovered so quickly and attended so diligently a case which was all but fatal. His many friends with whom he was very popular wish to extend their sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mullen are being congratulated on the birth of a son.

The Baptist church at East Milton is being wired for electric lights.

There was a musical entertainment this week at the meeting of the Thursday Evening club.

Melburn P. Richardson and his mother sail for Europe next week.

The girls' club of the Episcopal Mission church under the direction of Mrs. J. Dow will present the four-act play "Grammar School Fun," at Ellsworth hall, Friday evening, Feb. 5.

Sunday afternoon someone threw a lighted cigar or cigarette into the awning in front of Robert Sweeney's store at East Milton and it was destroyed. The Hose company extinguished the blaze, although the front of the store was scorched somewhat.

Rev. Edward Norton of Quincy will probably preach at the East Milton Congregational church on Sunday.

—Now they are trying to get the manufacturers and unions together over in Brockton, so as to save the shoe trade for that city. It's about time.—Stoughton Sentinel.

DO YOU COUGH DON'T DELAY TAKE KEMP'S BALSAM THE BEST COUGH CURE

It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma, A certain cure for Consumption in first stages, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.

Hardware Supply Co.,

1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES

Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.

Dec. 29. tf

ABOLITION OF WAR

Chinese Minister Says Long Step Has Been Made

BRYAN TALKS ON "PEACE."

Substitution of Reason For Force In Settling Disputes Between Nations Must Not Be Looked For In the Immediate Future

New York, Jan. 22.—Over 400 members and guests of the Holland Society of New York attended the annual dinner here last night. W. J. Bryan, Sir Chentung Liang Cheng and James M. Beck were the speakers. President Banta proposed a toast to the president, which was drunk standing. A letter from President Roosevelt, regretting his inability to attend the dinner, was read. The first speaker was Sir Chentung Liang Cheng, who responded to the toast "The friendly relations of the Dutch with other nations." He said in part:

"I have always thought the respect for ancestors is a peculiar trait of Chinese character. But who would expect such a sentiment to prevail to any extent in a country like America.

"It is an encouraging sign of the times that the importance of commerce to the life and growth of the nation is being more and more appreciated every day. In so far as commerce stimulates the production of wealth it makes for general peace and discountenance of war.

"Fortunately for the present day and generation, the world has advanced so far in enlightenment and civilization as to have other means of settling international disputes than a resort to arms. At the same time the nations of the earth have been drawn closer together. War at the present day not only involves the parties strictly concerned, but also affects the interests of other nations. The extension of commerce has brought about all this. The Czar of Russia only gave concrete expression to what all mankind felt some years ago when he issued a general call for a peace congress. Consequently he met with a ready response from every government.

"This is a long step towards the ultimate abolition of war. Now that there is a high court of justice at The Hague which offers to every nation a way out of every difficulty with another, without sacrifice of dignity or honor, it is to be hoped that the time is not far distant when war between nations will be only a painful memory of the barbarous past."

After James M. Beck had spoken, Mr. Bryan was introduced. In responding to the toast "Peace," he said in part:

"Since my visit to The Netherlands my thoughts have been dwelling much upon the important part that that little nation seems destined to take in the movement that has for its object the substitution of reason for force in the settlement of differences between nations. It is fitting that the Temple of Peace should stand upon the ground that was the scene of an 80 years' conflict and I am glad that an American citizen has so generously provided for its construction.

"We must not expect all armies to be disbanded at once, or look for the immediate settlement of all questions by arbitration. The peace conference which, by invitation of the Emperor of Russia, convened at The Hague—the peace conference to which our own country has given such effective support—did not announce a new discovery; it simply gave expression to a desire that was felt, to a greater or less extent, among the more enlightened of every nation.

"It revealed the fact that society is at last approaching the point where conscience will assert its supremacy over the brute instinct. There have been times when bravery upon the battlefield was considered the highest form of virtue, and there have been times when intellectual force and independence of thought have been considered all sufficient, but now heart characteristics are beginning to be recognized as the dominant ones. We are finding that neither the perfectly developed body nor the splendidly trained mind fills the measure of the man or of the nation. The evils which afflict the body politic are not due to the extraordinary development of the material resources of the world, but to the fact that the moral sense has not always kept pace with industrial expansion.

"But there is an awakening at hand. In the United States, in England, in France, in Russia, everywhere, there is an increasing group of those who are looking up to a higher ideal, who insist that a physical combat between men is as powerless as a fight between wild animals to determine the right or wrong of any proposition. They fear that even intellect, unless warmed and vitalized by a belief in the brotherhood of man, may go far astray.

"It is not upon the plutocracy of wealth, nor upon the aristocracy of learning, but upon the democracy of the heart that the hope of universal arbitration and permanent peace must rest. Today an increasing number of people throughout the world, standing upon the heights, are learning that God is not in the ironclads nor in the armies, but in the still, small voice of justice that issues from tribunals like that recently instituted at The Hague."

DISASTER THREATENED

Pennsylvania Towns Preparing For Worst Flood In Years

Pittsburg, Jan. 22.—The worst flood in the history of western Pennsylvania since the establishment of the weather bureau at this point is expected here tonight. Never before have the existing conditions and the outlook been so serious as now. Experienced river men and people who for years have watched river and weather conditions state that a stage of 35 feet will be reached, which is 1.7 feet higher than the flood of 1884.

Business men, officials and manufacturing plants and citizens whose homes line the banks of the Monongahela and Allegheny rivers have begun to meet the impending danger. The river railroads and river interests are removing such poperty as will be damaged by water and ice.

The expected cold wave which was headed in this direction from the northwest has been side-tracked from the storm centre, moving northward and eastward. The officials at the weather bureau have given up all hope of the flood being checked.

Floods In the West

Keokuk, Jan. 22.—A repetition of last summer's flood seems probable. A gorge has formed at the mouth of the Des Moines river and the water has backed up over five miles of lowlands in the Missouri and Iowa bottoms. The Fox river has overflowed its banks. Indian Grave levee has broken, causing heavy losses to farmers having land in wheat. The ice still holds in the Mississippi, but the water has risen two feet in 24 hours.

Ohio Streams Flooded

Columbus, O., Jan. 22.—An almost continuous fall of rain for 36 hours carrying off the snow has caused freshets in practically all Ohio streams. The danger at many places has been greatly increased by the breaking up of ice in the streams and the formation of gorges. Some of the lowlands have been flooded, but no serious breaks in the levees have been reported.

Flood In Pennsylvania Town

Meadville, Pa., Jan. 22.—Much of Meadville is inundated. The trouble comes from Mill run and is caused by a thaw and light rain of 24 hours. The run passes under several business blocks and streets and has become completely clogged with ice, forcing the water over the banks. A torrent is sweeping through several stores and cellars are flooded.

Flood Wrecks Bridges

Indianapolis, Jan. 22.—The White river is out of its banks. At Muncie the Indiana Union Traction company's bridge has gone and other bridges have been carried away.

$20,000 a Year on $3500 Salary

Washington, Jan. 22.—In the trial of August W. Machen, the Groff brothers and the Lorenzs' on an indictment charging conspiracy to defraud the government in connection with the sale of letter box fasteners, District Attorney Taggart offered in evidence the transcript of Machen's entire dealings with the Union National bank of Westminster, Ind., to the admission of which Machen's counsel objected. Holmes Conrad, special counsel for the government, contended that the document was admissible, and remarked that, in looking it over, it appeared that, by strict economy, Machen, on a salary of $3500 a year, had managed to make $20,000 a year. This brought forth a storm of protests from counsel for the defense.

Tariff Question Bobs Up

Washington, Jan. 22.—The army appropriation bill was under consideration in committee of the whole for five hours, most of which time was devoted to a general discussion of the tariff question. Mr. Williams, the minority leader, made a general arraignment of Republican policies and declared that the Republican party had become one of negation. He said the tariff should be revised. If he had the power he would bring about a Democratic tariff, but it would take time.

HOW TO GAIN FLESH

The life of food is the fat within it—the more fat the more real benefit from the food; that is why cod liver oil is a powerful builder of flesh.

Scott's Emulsion of pure cod liver oil solves the problem of how to take cod liver oil. That is one reason why doctors have been prescribing Scott's Emulsion for all wasting diseases, coughs, colds and bronchitis for almost thirty years.

One of the inducements offered in order to substitute something else for Scott's Emulsion is the matter of cost. You save a few cents at the expense of your health. Scott's Emulsion costs more because it does more and does it better than the substitutes.

We'll send you a sample free upon request.

SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York.

MANCHURIAN BOSS

Russia Adheres to Her Political and Strategic Claims

WILL NOT SIGN A TREATY

Offer of "General Assurances" Given to Other Powers Not Acceptable to Japan, Which Is Now Ready For War

London, Jan. 22.—Special dispatches from St. Petersburg assert that Russia's reply to the latest Japanese note was drawn up at a ministerial council held yesterday, at which the czar presided. The tenor of this reply is courteous but firm, and it was approved without a dissenting voice by the committee of ministers.

Nothing has been given out officially concerning this reply, but it is understood, according to the messages from St. Petersburg, that Russia maintains that Manchuria must remain amenable, politically and strategically, to Russian influence, the concession being only of a commercial character.

Settlement of the crisis halts before the question of what assurances Russia shall give Japan that the open door and China's sovereignty shall be respected in Manchuria by the St. Petersburg government. Russia has offered the same general assurances that she has given to the other powers. Japan insists upon a treaty in which Russia shall give her pledges the most binding form. Great Britain declines to act on the Russian request that British influence be used to modify Japan's demands. There, for the moment, matters are apparently at a standstill.

Japan is now fully prepared for war, and is disinclined to disarm until her years of preparation since the Chinese war have definitely and absolutely settled her dispute with Russia. A peaceful settlement is now considered likely, though it is admitted that weeks of suspense must precede any final adjustment. Lord Lansdowne is for the first time slightly optimistic, while Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister, still takes a gloomy view of affairs.

The French foreign minister, Delcasse, had an interview with the Japanese minister yesterday, and is said to have made definite suggestions for the basis of a peaceful settlement. M. Delcasse's reputation gives his optimistic view much influence in continental diplomatic circles.

The Russian foreign office quietly set aside the noisy interview of Alexieff's agent, Plancon, with the statement that Russia made no reservations in her pledge to recognize our new treaty rights in Manchuria. There remains ample ground for delay, however, in the declaration that Russia must have a voice, with China, in the decision of questions arising over the foreign settlements.

Korean affairs are still threatening. The emperor has ordered a reorganization of the government, and is reported to be inclined to a restoration of the Chinese suzerainty. Reports that the American guards were boisterous and offensive are disproved by ample evidence.

Korean Prince Out of Sight

Washington, Jan. 22.—The Korean minister at Washington and his staff are guarding zealously the whereabouts of Prince Euiwha, who, according to a report, will replace his father on the throne in the event of the Korean emperor is dethroned. The prince had some trouble at Delaware, O., where he was attending college, and left there some time ago.

Female Students Lost Clothing

Charlotte, N. C., Jan. 22.—Fire which broke out in the kitchen destroyed the main dormitory, the kitchen and dining rooms and laundry and boiler buildings of the state normal college for girls at Greensboro. There were about 300 students in the burned dormitory and all escaped without injury. Some of the students, however, had exceedingly narrow escapes. Over 100 of the students lost all their clothing. The loss is estimated at $70,000.

Carried to His Death by Coal

Providence, Jan. 22.—Men working in the dumping room of a coal pocket here were surprised by the dead body of Frank O. Pearson, aged 22, shooting into the car into which the coal was being loaded for removal. Pearson's office was to overturn the coal scoop into the pocket and he is supposed to have lost his footing.

Iroquois Club For Miles

Chicago, Jan. 22.—The Post says: The Iroquois club, to which prominent Chicago Democrats belong, is preparing to boom General Miles as the man to nominate for president on the Democratic ticket this year. General Miles has been invited to attend a banquet and has accepted.

Fire With Mercury 35 Below

Dawson, Alaska, Jan. 22.—A fire occurred here when the thermometer was 35 degrees below zero and water was used with difficulty. The Ladue company, in whose warm storage quarters the fire started, lost $75,000, and the Ames company lost $30,000.

Hanna Again Laid Up

Washington, Jan. 22.—Senator Hanna is suffering from a recurrence of grip and is confined to his bed. It is stated that his illness is not serious.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EASTMILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

The Sword of Damocles.

The Tyrant—Ha! Thou art afraid, Damocles.

Damocles—Oh, no; not a bit. But I was thinking it would be awfully annoying if that hair dropped into my soup.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	24	32	50	34	37
Monday,	16	30	19	37	45
Tuesday,	10	33	10	51	10
Wednesday,	26	42	25	48	22
Thursday,	34	39	45	32	45
Friday,	35	34	40	44	40
Saturday,	—	30	39	52	38

New Advertisements Today.

Wanted—Rooms with board.
State House Hearing.
Business or Real Estate sold for cash.
For Sale—Glenwood Parlor Stove.
Wanted—Three Reliable Teamsters.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Mr. Leon A. Turner of Hill street is able to attend to his duties in Boston once more.

The City Council Committee on Streets, Fire Department and Police will meet tonight.

Miss Eva L. Feltis formerly of Quincy, but now of Pittsfield, Mass., has been spending a few days this week with friends in Quincy.

Miss Gale of the Ruggles Street church of Boston, will speak Sunday evening at the Wollaston Baptist church on "Relief work in the South End."

Rev. Henry G. Megathlin of Park and Downs church will preach Sunday morning at the Washington Street church in exchange with the pastor.

Everything considered, it is about time for a let up in winter weather. Very seldom do we have week after week when the thermometer registers so low.

A series of evangelistic services is being held at the Pilgrim church, North Weymouth, this week. Rev. L. H. Austin gave the address on Wednesday evening.

Please don't send news to the Daily Ledger written on both sides of the paper, and don't crowd the sheet. There should be a blank space of an inch at the top of each page.

The Wollaston Foundry Company secured a verdict of $1,139 in the Suffolk Superior court on Thursday against the United States Scales Company on a suit to recover $1,046, an alleged balance.

Herbert B. Sellar, the popular marketman at the Point, had the misfortune, early in the week, to step on a nail, making a painful wound. He has however kept at work every day and the foot is rapidly improving.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Washington street Congregational church met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. E. H. Bushnell. Excellent papers were read on the Danes, Scots, Italians and Greeks. At the close of the meeting light refreshments were served.

Miss Caroline Newcomb was tendered a home warming at her new home on Wibird street, Thursday evening by the Paul Revere W. R. C. Owing to the storm only twenty ventured out, but those who did, spent a very pleasant and enjoyable evening in social intercourse, card playing and story telling. A fine collation was served.

FAIRCLOTH WINS

Both His Cases for Libel at Dedham.

The Verdict, However, a Surprise.

Motions to be Filed by Defendants for New Trial.

Verdicts were reached on Thursday afternoon in the cases of G. F. Faircloth vs. P. J. Williams and G. W. Prescott, both actions for libel, which have engrossed the attention of the Norfolk Superior court since Monday.

The jury awarded the plaintiff a verdict of $500 against Mr. Williams, and $250 against Mr. Prescott.

The action was founded on the publication of charges preferred by P. J. Williams, chief engineer of the Quincy Fire department, against Mr. Faircloth, who was a member of the permanent force of the department. The charges were published in the Daily Ledger without comment, and the testimony showed that no one connected with the paper had any ill feeling against Mr. Faircloth. That the publisher should have been found guilty of libel is therefore a surprise.

P. R. Blackmur, Esq., counsel for both defendants, will move at once for a new trial on ground that the verdict was against the evidence, against the weight of the evidence, against the law and the evidence, and against the instructions of the law as given by the court to the jury. E. J. Parker, Esq., appeared for the plaintiff.

Postmasters Salaries.

Quincy did not suffer in the postoffice investigation in the vicinity of Boston, because Postmaster Hammond is doing a legitimate business, and the increases in the postal business in this city are natural. Salaries were reduced at Medford, Melrose, Lexington, Waverley, Peabody, Franklin, Walpole and Concord Junction. At some places the salaries were increased.

Breaking It Gently.

His Cousin—We sent off the dispatch to stop your model coming. But you had put one word too many, so we struck it out.

Real Artist—Oh, indeed! What word did you strike out?

His Cousin—You had written, "He is not to come, as I have only just discovered I cannot paint today." So we crossed out "today."—Punch.

Brought Trouble.

White—What is the matter with Plunger's head?

Green—Yesterday was his wooden wedding, and he gave his wife a rolling pin for a present, and when he returned from celebrating the event she returned the present with a speech suitable to the occasion.—Butte Inter-Mountain.

More Thrilling.

Ruyter—I'm writing a sequel to my book "How to Live on Five Hundred a Year."

Scribbler—What do you call the sequel?

Ruyter—"How to Get the Five Hundred."—Indianapolis Journal.

The Safeguard of Ideals.

To live in the presence of great truths and eternal laws, to be led by permanent ideals—that is what keeps a man patient when the world ignores him and calm and unspoiled when the world praises him.—Honore de Balzac.

—A petition has been presented to the Legislature by Arthur M. Stone and others, a committee of the 34th regt., Massachusetts volunteer veterans' association, for an appropriation for the erection of a monument at Winchester, Va., in memory of the members of the regiment who were killed during the Shenandoah valley campaign.

TO PREVENT THE GRIP.

Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause. To get the genuine, call for the full name. 25c.

MARRIED.

DUANE—BURKARD—In Quincy, Jan. 20, by Rev. J. B. Holland, Mr. John J. Duane to Miss Mary C. Burkard, both of Quincy.

DIED.

MORSE—In Quincy, Jan. 20, Mr. Stephen Morse, aged 78 years, 5 months and 10 days. Funeral from the residence of his son, Mr. Joseph C. Morse, 215 Goffe street, Quincy, Saturday, Jan. 23, at 1.30 P. M.

KEYES—In Quincy, Jan. 21, at residence of daughter, Mrs. Horace O. Souther, 26 Edison street, Mrs. Mary A., widow of Douglas Keyes, aged 72 years and 5 months. Funeral Private.

KERRIGAN—In Atlantic, Jan. 20, Mrs. Margaret, wife of Mr. John J. Kerrigan, of Walnut street, aged 56 years.

OWENS—In Boston, Jan. 21, Helen M., daughter of Mrs. Minnie and the late William R. Owens, aged 6 years and 2 months.

FURNESS—In Milton, Jan. 21, Mrs. Aura A., widow of George W. Furness, of Eliot street, aged 59 years and 11 months.

SHEPARD—In Randolph, Jan. 21, Mr. Frederic C. Shepard of Howard street, aged 31 years.

REILY THE MAN

Who Threatened Pote, the Victim of the Shooting.

James Reiley, the man who was arraigned in court on Thursday, for threatening Winfield S. Pote, the foreman at the Fore River Works who was shot on Tuesday, was taken to the emergency hospital at the works that afternoon and was fully identified by Pote as the man who threatened him.

The Post prints the following interview with W. S. Pote, the injured man:

"I positively identify him (Reilly) as being the man that has been uttering threats against me since I have been working at the Fore River Ship and Engine Company.

"I cannot state definitely whether this man Reilly shot me or not.

"What have I done to any of the employees of the yard that they should injure me?

"I worked for the Cramp company in Philadelphia for 27 years.

"I came to Quincy at the request of the manager.

"I do not wish to make trouble for anyone in the works in which I am working. Last Tuesday I was working in the shop and was about to cross the yard on an errand when I felt something strike me in the right side of the back.

"About 20 minutes after I was taken to the hospital. After the house surgeon had examined my wound I was placed in bed, and later on it was found that I had been shot.

"Yes, I brought on seven men from Philadelphia to work in the shops, and I had their wages increased from $2.50 to $3 a day."

A Fine Gentleman.

The Duc de Richelieu, the beloved of ladies, the breaker of hearts, was the perfect fine gentleman of a studiously elegant epoch. The suave repose of his manner was immovable. When his second wife lay dying he came in to see her, stepping softly, hat in hand. Though she was expiring, her fading eye lit up at the sight of him.

"How sweet it would be for me to die in your arms," she murmured.

He held her as she wished till she died, then went out again, stepping softly, hat in hand. One of his spiteful chroniclers—a woman, needless to say—suggests that he was off to a rendezvous with the lady of the moment, and that the graceful manner in which he bore the delay caused by his wife's death was proof of the perfect breeding of one of the finest gentlemen in Europe.—Geraldine Bonner in The Reader.

Paganini's Idea of the Sabbath.

An incident in the life of Paganini comes to us from Liverpool. The great violinist was visiting friends in the suburbs of that city at the house of a lady whose religious ideas were severely strained by her guest venturing to play on the Sabbath day.

"Vy," asked the musician, "eef ze Sabat mos be so holie that nosing mos be done at all, vy does Proveedence permit ze leetel birds to sing on dat day and ze leaves of ze forest to clap zere hands for joy, making ze rustling music, and ze vaters of ze great deep to sound zeir mysterious harmonies?"

Paganini's stay at that house, we are told, was brief.—London News.

The Blooming Thorn Tree.

There is a legend to the effect that the thorn blooms on Christmas day. It is said that St. Joseph of Arimathæa landed near Glastonbury and stuck his staff in the ground. It took root, grew and blossomed every Christmas day thereafter. The tree was hewn down by a Puritan of the time of Cromwell, but in doing this deed he cut his leg, and chips flying from his ax blinded him. The trunk, though separated from the root, grew and flourished, and for many years slips and blooms from the tree of St. Joseph were sold by the merchants of Bristol.

TODAY'S COURT.

Gregory Cronin was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until Feb. 8.

The continued case of Emma Peterson, for violation of the liquor law at Quincy, was heard, and again continued until Jan. 30.

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

PICTURES
FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

MAIN SPRINGS
Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.
Work called for and delivered.
SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

VICEROY ALEXEIEFF.

THE GREAT WHITE RULER OF NORTHERN ASIA.

From Humble Rank This Russian Has Risen, Unaided by Family or Fortune, to a Post Second Only to That of the Czar Himself.

[Special Correspondence.]

Peking, Dec. 29.—The eastern situation seems to have produced already a man of destiny in the person of Vice Admiral Alexeieff, Russian viceroy of the far east, commander in chief of the Russian forces on land and on sea and Pooh Bah of Manchuria. Whether it be war or peace, he is fated to be a maker of history. Formerly aid-de-camp general to the czar, he is now a czar himself. Within the wide limits of his jurisdiction he is supreme. He is the only Russian viceroy and is responsible to the czar alone.

VICEROY ALEXEIEFF.

Vice Admiral Alexeieff has risen to his present eminence from obscurity without the aid of fortune or family influence. His remarkable advancement should be of especial interest to Americans since it was in that country that he laid his first claim to consideration. He had landed in San Francisco in 1878 a navy lieutenant from a tour of sea duty along the then almost unpopulated shores of Siberia. The air was full of rumors of war between Russia and England. Hostilities seemed inevitable. It was a time when few underofficers would have dared address the minister of the navy even by cable except to ask for orders. But Alexeieff cabled to the ministry for power to buy in America commerce destroyers. The answer came that his idea was regarded with approval, but that the time was too short. He persisted in his request and was given the power he asked. As he rushed across the continent he bought fast ships by telegraph. Three days after his arrival in Philadelphia he was able to inform the minister of the navy that he had six ships ready to sail and two others would be ready within four days.

The war cloud blew over, and Alexeieff was ordered to sell his ships, but his capacity and activity were not forgotten. When he returned to St. Petersburg he was given a ship, with the rank of captain. In three years he was an admiral. Seven years ago came his chance in the far east. Ordered to the Asiatic station, he built up the great naval centers, Port Arthur and Vladivostok, and Dalny, the wonderful city erected before its inhabitants arrived, was also his creation. By diplomacy and by force he extended Russia's sphere of influence until Manchuria had been practically absorbed into the empire.

When the Boxer rebellion broke out Alexeieff dropped his administrative duties for those of the field. He led the attack on the Taku forts and relieved Tientsin, rescuing the British Admiral Seymour. He was for a time commander of the allied forces. The war over, he continued his work at Port Arthur, Dalny and Vladivostok with such success that the czar has conferred on him distinctions and powers no other Russian outside the imperial family has ever enjoyed.

Many predicted that Alexeieff's elevation meant war with Japan. The new viceroy has, however, done more to avert such a war than any other man could have done without abandoning Russia's fixed policy regarding northern China. He does not want war, but he will fight if necessary with the same vigor with which he does everything else.

He has already prevented one war. In the spring of 1895, when Russia demanded of Japan the evacuation of the Liautong peninsula, there was a moment when war seemed certain. The time set in Russia's ultimatum had expired. Russian and Japanese men-of-war confronted each other in the harbor of Chefu in battle array. The frenzy of fighting possessed the officers and men of both fleets. Tyrtoff, Alexeieff's fellow admiral, wanted to begin the fight, but Alexeieff insisted on a final delay of twenty-four hours. One hour before that time was up word came that Japan had yielded.

Alexeieff is a man of magnificent physique. He is six feet tall and broad shouldered in proportion. His health is perfect. Though so many years of his life have been spent on the frontier, he is thoroughly cosmopolitan and is well known at Nice and on the Riviera and in most continental capitals.

CHARLES DAVIS ANDERSON.

SIRES AND SONS.

Dr. H. F. Swanback of Nebraska wears the iron cross of Prussia, given him by Frederick IV.

Samuel J. Crawford was the youngest governor of Kansas and is now the sole survivor of the Union war governors.

The Duke of Norfolk might vote eight times in the house of lords, as he has eight titles, but it happens that the rule is "one man, one vote."

General James Barnett, president of the Cleveland First National bank since 1877, has retired from active business. He is eighty-five years of age.

Sergeant Julius Fredericks, who accompanied Greely on his expedition to the arctic regions, from which only six men returned alive, died in Indianapolis on Jan. 6.

Driving with his wife, ex-Governor W. H. Upham of Wisconsin narrowly escaped being run down by a freight train. He exclaimed to the engineer, "You came very near killing a good woman!"

Grover Cleveland has lived in the time of more administrations than any other citizens who has ever been president, beginning with that of Martin Van Buren and coming down to that of Theodore Roosevelt—in all, eighteen, exclusive of his own two.

E. W. H. Cogley is probably the oldest telegrapher in actual service in the world. He is manager of the Western Union office at Lewistown, Pa. He was one of the field telegraphers during the civil war and was taken prisoner by the Confederates, but escaped and reached the Union lines in safety.

Mr. Gorman of Maryland is "a senator of the United States;" Mr. Morgan of Alabama is "a senator of a sovereign state." At least they have both so represented themselves in debate on the floor of the senate. Morgan has even gone so far as to declare himself "an ambassador from the sovereign state of Alabama."

GOWN GOSSIP.

The elbow sleeve for dinner and evening gowns continues in favor.

Leaves and flowers of cut velvet, satin and cloth, painted and embroidered, are favorite decorations on handsome gowns.

There are indications of a return to very small toques and even bonnets. White hats are to be worn more than ever, especially those of malines and lace.

The three cornered, the tricorne, and the marquis shapes in hats will continue popular, and also those wide hats with the brim flat in front and sloping downward in the back.

Three types of skirts are seen—the plaited, the circular, with five, seven or eleven gores, and the triple skirt. Combinations of the triple and the plaited or shirred skirts are often made.

Very pretty are the slashed sleeves so much worn this winter. These are usually plain and close fitting at the front and have fulled pieces joined on at the back, sometimes with buttons, usually with braid or trimming of some kind.—New York Post.

CHURCHMEN.

Dr. Robert Collyer says that a man's best friends are his ten fingers.

Rev. Archibald Ian Campbell of Perth cathedral has accepted the bishopric of Glasgow, in succession to Bishop Harrison, resigned.

The Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott is to deliver a course of lectures in April next at the Pacific Theological seminary, Berkeley, Cal. He will also lecture in other parts of the Golden State.

The Rev. Edward Everett Hale is quoted as having said, when he heard of his appointment as chaplain of the senate: "All my life I've been praying for those Washington fellows. Now I'll pray at 'em, and may God help 'em!"

Rev. E. H. Brewster, said to be the youngest settled pastor in the United States, has resigned the pastorate of the Free Baptist church at Whitman, Mass. He is but eighteen years old and is intending to complete his studies at Harvard next fall.

THE WRITERS.

The English novelists, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leighton, are collaborators in story writing.

Katherine Tynan, the novelist, is in private life Mrs. Hinkson. Her husband is also a writer, but not so renowned as his wife. Katherine Tynan is an Irishwoman living in England.

Mrs. C. N. Williamson, the novelist, usually signs her maiden name—Alice Livingstone—in her stories. She is an American married to an Englishman, founder of the London periodical Black and White.

It is a strange coincidence that the name of the hero in Mr. Justin McCarthy's first literary effort, a short love story, was Parnell, the name of the Irish leader with whom he was afterward to be associated.

POWDER AND BALL.

The wage bill of the English navy is $28,800,000 a year.

The Italian government has for sale 600,000 rifles made in 1887, together with 1,370 obsolete cannon.

During the official year the army lost 7 per cent of its enlisted men by desertion, or enough to make six full regiments. Half as many were dishonorably discharged.

The heat developed by the firing of heavy guns is remarkable. During some recent trials in Germany a gun that had been fired seventy-five times melted solder placed upon it, while another was hot enough to soften lead.

THE TIGER MAN

[Copyright, 1903, by C. B. Lewis.]

Recently there died in India a Hindoo who was known as the Tiger Man. He was a high caste native, given to his books, and much of his philosophy has been quoted in European countries. He lived in the ruins of an old temple on the outskirts of a dense jungle, and there he made and maintained his fame as a tamer of wild beasts, particularly tigers. He did not actually tame them, but the influence he exercised over them was no less than wonderful. Even with a thousand witnesses to corroborate facts one finds it hard to believe in some of his doings.

Had he been so minded he could have cleared the whole province of tigers in two or three years and enriched himself with the bounty offered for their heads and the heads of other dangerous beasts and deadly serpents, but he positively refused to bring harm to a single denizen of the jungle. He would throw no obstacle in the way of hunters, and he expressed no sorrow when he looked upon a tiger slain by others, but he had laid down a rule, and nothing would induce him to swerve from it. It often happened that natives who had lost relatives or oxen by the hunger of the king of the jungle came to him and prayed for vengeance, but in every instance his reply was:

"I am sorry for you, but tigers must have food as well as men. I will not help you to kill one, but I will talk to the beasts and ask them to be more careful hereafter. I am sure they will do this for me."

As soon as the Tiger Man's reputation began to spread there were many who desired to put him to the test, and during the long years of his life it was seldom that he refused. A hundred times over he has gone out into the jungle alone at night and called a tiger to him and led the beast to the ruins for all to see. Sometimes the tiger would crouch and creep and whine, and again he would be fiercely defiant and menace the spectators.

If the report came that a tiger in a certain district had killed a human being, the man would set off for the place without asking for fee or reward. He would learn all he could about the beast and then enter the jungle to search him out. Sometimes he would be seeking for several days, and when night overtook him he made his camp among the beasts and serpents of the thickets. When the tiger had been found, which was nearly always the case if he had not left for another locality, he would be taken by the ear to the village in which he had seized his victim and then be made to roll in the dust by way of apology for his misdeed. He would then be told that he must go at least fifty miles away and live on the game of the jungle for the next month, and it has been proved over and over again that the tiger never failed to disappear.

It was with the knowledge and active participation of a governor of India and not more than fifteen years ago that the Tiger Man was put to the hardest test of his life. He claimed immunity from every species of wild beast and serpent, and he was sent into a jungle in which three full grown tigers had taken refuge from some sportsmen, one of whom was the governor. The hunt had ended at dusk, and the Tiger Man would have darkness against him as he pushed his way through the jungle. The locality was known to be infested with cobras, and just as the hunt was called off one of the party caught sight of a "rogue" elephant stealing through the thicket.

No money would have hired a white man to penetrate into the jungle at night, and a native would have lain down in his tracks and refused to stir, no matter what punishment threatened.

There were more than forty people left behind as the Tiger Man set forth upon his errand. He bowed before the governor and said he would bring in at least one of the tigers—one which had been slightly wounded by a bullet. He was heard whistling and chanting as he penetrated the thickets, and he was absent about three hours. When he returned there were both commotion and consternation. He was leading the wounded tiger by the ear and was followed by the two others, and after the tiger came the elephant. There was yet more. Around the man's left arm was twined a huge cobra with glittering eyes, and across his neck and shoulders was another.

"Sahib, I bring you these presents from the jungle," said the Tiger Man as he halted a few yards away.

But the governor didn't want them. What he wanted was to see them restored to their native wilds as fast as possible, particularly as the elephant evinced a disposition to charge the crowd. The Tiger Man had the advantage, and he kept it for a long half hour. He played with the deadly cobras as if they had been twigs of willow, and they made not the slightest attempt to bite him. He spoke to the tigers in a dialect they seemed to understand, and though they growled and showed their teeth they did his bidding as he asked them to leap over each other. The elephant was ordered to march back and forth and to pick up things with his trunk, and he was as obedient as an ox.

When the crowd of spectators had been kept on edge for many moments and everybody feared a tragedy of some sort and was ready to beat a retreat, the Tiger Man placed the writhing serpents on the ground and raised his arm and spoke to the elephant and the tiger. The next moment he stood alone, bowing to the governor, while his strange pets were in full retreat to the jungle. M. QUAD.

WANTED.
Young Man 16 to 20 years o
— IN A —
Grocery and Provision Sto
In this City.
One with some experience preferr
Address in own hand writing gi
age and references.
"B.," Ledger Offi
Jan. 19.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENT
Advertisements in this column inserted a
following rates:
Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cen
" " three days, - - - 50 cen
" " one week, - - - - 75 cen
Additional lines will be charged for pro
Seven words equal a line. Long term rate
nished on application.

WANTED.
WANTED—Three Reliable Team
Steady job; pay $12.00. Ad
"CONTRACTOR," Ledger Office.
Quincy, Jan. 22.

WANTED—Two Furnished or U
nished Rooms with board at Wol
Address 320 Farrington street.
Jan. 22.

WANTED—In a Quincy centre store
assistant book-keeper with some
perience. Address, stating experience an
ary willing to work for, BOOK-KEE
Ledger office.
Quincy, Jan. 15.

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, on
machines, steady work. Appl
MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Qu
Jan. 13.

FOR SALE.
VICTOR TALKING MACHINE for s
at a bargain with forty records. A
at 16 Jackson street.
Quincy, Jan. 19.

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom made
built for the Grocery and Provision
ness; double runner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILS
Quincy, Jan. 12.

BARGAIN.
FOR SALE—Glenwood Grand Parlor St
Used one winter. Sale price $30. Pre
price $28. Selling on account furnace. In
X Ledger Office. Jan. 20

TO LET.
WOLLASTON, near R. R. Station
Electrics. To Let—Tenement of
rooms, in good repair, on second floor, cir
and screened. Small family preferred. In
to L. W. NASH, opposite station.
Jan 21.

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms
improvements, at 22 Blake street. P
$15 per month. Apply to F. M. TOR
Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston.
Dec. 30.

TO LET—48 Revere road, a large
Room, nicely furnished for
$3.00 per week. Nice large bath room in
house, heated also. Quincy, Jan. 15-tf

TO LET—Nice tenement containing
rooms and bath, furnace heat, situa
837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAM
F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Ba
Building, Room 4. Dec. 15-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improve
Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Fair
dence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-4
Dec. 29.

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or
furnished. Apply 26 School street.
Quincy, Nov. 23.

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Po
recently occupied by L. C. Emer
Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Gran
street. Oct. 14

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.
ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 r
and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minut
Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.0
year. Will be leased for one or two
References required. Apply at the off
FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut s
Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-t

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.
HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all mod
improvements, electric lights, with
at Quincy Point. Within one minute o
electric cars and within ten minutes wa
the Fore River Ship and Engine Comp
Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRA
4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass.
Dec. 24.

TO LET.
Excellent Offices in the
Hancock Building, City Square. A p
opportunity for lawyers.
Hall and Ante-Rooms in
Greenleaf Block. These are all furnish
and heated, and will be let permanen
with the privilege of sub-letting, or
several nights each month.
Furnished Lodging Rooms
the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most co
venient.
Two Offices in the Durgin-Mer
Block, only one flight up, and right at
head of the stairs. These will be let sep
ately or together. A good chance for
dentist.
A Store in Music Hall Block.
Part of a Store. Price
reasonable.
A Tenement—recently papered-
good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.
water—on Granite street, in the rea
Hotel Greenleaf.
An Office in Hancock Chambers
one flight and at the head of the stairs.
Unfurnished Lodging Roo
New and convenient.
Factory or Shop on Granite st
in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.
Foundry or Shop—Just put in g
repair.
A Shop on the ground floor, in
rear of Music Hall Block.
Quincy Real Estate Trust
Music Hall Block, QUIN

WANTED.

Young Man 16 to 20 years old
— IN A —
Grocery and Provision Store
In this City.
One with some experience preferred.
Address in own hand writing giving age and references.
"B.," Ledger Office.
Jan. 19. 6t

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:
Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents
Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—Three Reliable Teamsters. Steady job; pay $12.00. Address "CONTRACTOR," Ledger Office.
Quincy, Jan. 22. 6t

WANTED—Two Furnished or Unfurnished Rooms with board at Wollaston. Address 820 Farrington street.
Jan. 22. 3t

WANTED—In a Quincy centre store, an assistant book-keeper with some experience. Address, stating experience and salary willing to work for, BOOK-KEEPER, Ledger office.
Quincy, Jan. 15. tf

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines, steady work. Apply to MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy.
Jan. 13. tf

FOR SALE.

VICTOR TALKING MACHINE for sale at a bargain with forty records. Apply 16 Jackson street.
Quincy, Jan. 19. 3t

YOUNG FOR SALE—A Custom-made pung, built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILSON
Quincy, Jan. 12. tf

BARGAIN.

FOR SALE—Glenwood Grand Parlor Stove. Used one winter. Sale price $10. Former price $28. Selling on account furnace. Apply Ledger Office. Jan. 22-1t

TO LET.

WOLLASTON, near R. R. Station and Electrics. To Let—Tenement of six rooms, in good repair, on second floor, curtained and screened. Small family preferred. Apply L. W. NASH, opposite station.
Jan 21. 6t

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston.
Dec. 30. 1p-tf

TO LET—48 Revere road, large Front Room, nicely furnished and heated, $3.00 per week. Nice large bath room in the house, heated also. Quincy, Jan. 16-6t

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 37 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES L. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street.
Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point recently occupied by L. C. Emtree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 8-tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable, Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass.
Dec. 24. tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Music Hall Block, QUINCY

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 20. QUINCY, MASS., SATURDAY, JANUARY 23, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

The Social Realm of Quincy and Vicinity.

van Houten's Cocoa

Pure and Unmixed.
Delicate Aroma.
Really Cheapest in Use.

Best & Goes Farthest

MEN'S BANQUET,
UNIVERSALIST VESTRY,
WEDNESDAY, JAN. 27, 6.45 P. M.
Turkey Dinner, Music and Reading.
MERRILL C. WARD, Toastmaster.
TICKETS, 35 CENTS.
Quincy, Jan. 16. 1p 2t

Hub Crumbs
better bread crumbs
makes all fried food better;
saves time and work while cooking;
as handy as salt to use;
made of bread from our own ovens;
totally different from other crumbs.
Makes better puddings. better stuffing. better fish-balls.
10¢ Better Digestion. 10¢
At your grocer's or S. S. Pierce Co. Cobb, Bates Yerxa Co.
Mrs. Howard's Cook Book and sample on request. 244½ Purchase St. Boston Mass.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF
Imported and Domestic Woolens
Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON
Beg to announce that they are now located at
No. 8 Faxon Block,
Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,
"LEADING TAILORS."
Quincy Dec. 28—tf

— OUR —
Capitol Shoe
FOR BOYS.
Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.
Sizes 12 to 2 $1.75
Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2.00
The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.
Every Pair Warranted.
GEORGE W. JONES,
Adams Building, - QUINCY.

It is not day, and yet the night is gone.
Look eastward. See! that is not black, but gray,
Cold gray, hard gray, dark gray; and yet, if one
Watches it, cold and hard, he hopes for day.
Whiter and whiter,—see, the night is done!
The stars are frightened, and they pale away.
Color that—color? Yes, 'neath Procyon
See the soft tinge, as new as it is old,
That nameless yellow of which Homer told;
And then, as those weird curtains are unrolled,
Cloud mixed with cloud, fold entangled in with fold,
That "faint, peculiar tint of yellow-green,"
And there the scarlet of the rays between.
Scarlet—no! crimson, flashing into gold,
One sea of gold, and then the sun! the sun!
—E. E. HALE.

* * *

The Study Club entertained on Thursday evening in the parish house of Christ church. Although stormy there were about 40 of the members and their friends present. The entertainment consisted of vocal solos by Miss Alice Dow of Braintree, whistling solo by Miss Thomas, and piano selections by Mr. Frank Sargent. Games and dancing were enjoyed and refreshments served. The committee on arrangements were: Miss Carrie Underwood, Miss Alice Porter, Miss Sadie Thomas, Mr. Frank Sargent, and Mr. Wendell Luce.

* * *

The young ladies of East Milton are arranging for a Leap Year dance to be given about the middle of February in Ellsworth hall.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burgess of Beach street received a pleasant surprise on Saturday evening last. It was the occasion of their wedding anniversary and they were remembered with a beautiful cut glass dish. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burgess and Rev. and Mrs. Webber of Wollaston, and relatives from South Boston.

* * *

Mrs. Fisher of Walpole has been the guest this week of her daughter, Mrs. Charles F. Harper of Putnam road.

* * *

Mr. J. A. Crowley, the new musical director of the Wollaston Glee club made his first public appearence with the club this week and showed himself a most efficient leader.

* * *

Mr. William T. Isaac and Miss Grace Isaac, entertain the Pickwick club next Wednesday evening at their home on Linden place. The study of the British Museum should prove interesting under the guidance of John O. Hall, Jr., and Mrs. Arthur W. Hall who have the meeting in charge.

* * *

One of the prettiest and most enjoyable affairs of the past week was the concert on Wednesday evening at Colonial hall given complimentary by Mr. L. D. Williams; the participants being Mr. Walter E. Loud, violin; Mr. Frederick Blair, 'cello and Mr. Williams, piano.

* * *

The engagement is announced of Miss Ruth Capen and Mr. Walter Farmer of Hartford, Connecticut. Miss Capen is the daughter of President Capen of Tufts college, who is well known to Universalists of this city,

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Burrell of North Weymouth are to observe quite informally the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage next Friday afternoon from three to five and in the evening from seven until ten.

* * *

Mrs. Nathaniel Thayer, (Pauline Revere) of Boston, is intending giving a large dance just before Lent, for her daughter Miss Sally Thayer.

* * *

The Ancients had a smoke talk last evening at the armory which was attended by Quincy members.

* * *

The Cadet theatricals at the Tremont theatre, Boston, early in February are eagerly anticipated by many Quincy people.

* * *

Master Robert Whiteacre celebrated his 13th birthday Tuesday by giving a party to twenty-four of his friends from 3.30 to 8 o'clock. Music and games were indulged in. Prizes were won by Lora Williams, Harry Murphy and Lydia Hennigar. Refreshments were served.

* * *

Mr. Robert Whiteacre left Saturday for New Hampshire and Vermont.

Prominent Society People at Quincy Music Hall.

Mrs. Charles Stebbins of Bigelow street was one of the matrons at the Alpha Chapter dance given on Thursday evening in the Goddard gymnasium at Tufts college. This annual dance is the social event of the year at Tufts and brought out all the pretty girls on the hill, among them the President's daughter, Miss Ruth Capen, who with her fiance, received the congratulations of all.

* * *

The engagement of Miss Mary Gardner and Mr. Fred Wigmore of Norwood was announced on Tuesday even- at a musicale given by Miss Gardner, at her home on Hancock street.

* * *

The Current Events club of Hyde Park will hold a gentleman's night, Tuesday evening, Feb. 9.

* * *

The Young Women's Whist club met with Miss Helen Hathaway of Central avenue, Braintree, Monday evening. Miss Agnes Locke won the prize.

* * *

Mr. Arthur Bradshaw sailed Tuesday for Europe where he expects to remain for three months.

* * *

The next meeting of the Study Club will be held on Tuesday evening, January 26, at the rectory, Elm street, with Miss Maria Morrison as chairman for the evening. "The book of Esther" will be continued at this meeting.

* * *

The engagement is anounced of Miss Ruth Horton and Dr. B. Arthur Bensley of the faculty of the University of Toronto. Miss Horton is the daughter of Rev. Edward A. Horton of Audubon road, Brookline a prominent and well known Unitarian minister noted for his witty speeches and who has recently been elected chaplin of the Senate at the State House, Boston.

* *

Friday evening, Jan. 15, Mr. and Mrs. Will Watson Mayhew of Braintree, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. Besides the neighbors there were friends present from Leicester and Needham. Mr. and Mrs. Mayhew received many very nice presents and the gathering enjoyed a social evening.

* * *

Mrs. John Johnson of Belmont street gave a dinner dance in honor of her daughter Katherine, Wednesday from 5 to 8 o'clock. It was the occasion of her birthday and about thirty little folks were present. It was a pretty affair, being a favor German. During the intermission dinner was served. The young miss received a number of pretty gifts.

* * *

Miss Katherine Garrity of the Stetson High school, Randolph, was the guest over Saturday and Sunday of Quincy friends.

* * *

Mrs. John J. Crawford of Randolph who is well known to Quincy people, especially to members of Adams Chapter and attendants at Christ church, has the sympathy of her friends, her husband dying on Thursday morning. Although ill for some time Mr. Crawford's death was a surprise and shock to Randolph people.

* * *

The Senior Middle class of Thayer academy hold their reception and dance this evening in the girls' gymnasium.

* * *

The most brilliant affair in Boston this week was the ball on Wednesday evening at hotel Somerset given by Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Quincy (Mary Adams) for their young debutante daughter, Dorothy Quincy, one of the prettiest of this season's buds. Miss Quincy received with her mother and was assisted by her cousin Miss Abigail Adams, daughter of Mrs. John Quincy Adams of Quincy. Among the ushers was Arthur Adams of Quincy. Boston's oldest and best families were in attendance. The favors were unique and of exceptional value; pretty souvenirs of a happy occasion. Miss Quincy's gown was of nile green satin, veiled with opalescent tulle, and Mrs. Quincy wore an elegant black jetted velvet gown with point lace and diamonds.

* * *

A few friends enjoyed "Pit" at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Stetson last Saturday evening.

(Continued on Page 5.)

TRAINS STALLED.

The Fog Makes Schedule Time on Railroad Impossible.

The thick fog and frozen rain made a great amount of trouble in the South Terminal yard at Boston this morning, and it was impossible to make schedule time. All of the inward and outward trains were late. Some of them being over an hour behind. A passenger on one of the outward trains that arrived in Quincy an hour late stated that he counted 23 trains stalled between South Boston and Savin Hill.

The grade crossing at South Quincy became a particularly dangerous place this morning, and at times when the fog was heaviest it was impossible to see much over 100 feet away. Two crossing tenders were constantly on duty. One watching for outward and the other watching for inward trains. They did not dare trust the accuracy of automatic signals. It was due to the watchfulness of these men that accidents were prevented.

The fog lifted a little at noon and for a time it looked as though it would burn off. The fog set in again, however, and at 2 o'clock it was quite thick again.

The temperature has been moderate today which has started the water to running. Although the sidewalks were sanded early this morning the melting snow has made the walking frightful. If it should freeze tonight walking would be extremely dangerous.

At Soldiers' Home.

The annual report of the Soldiers' home for Massachusetts at Chelsea shows that there are three inmates from Quincy, out of a total of 349, viz.:

Benjamin F. Bass, admitted June 28, 1893, who served as a private in Co. H, 4th Mass. infantry.

Charles M. Bent, admitted Jan. 1, 1901, who was a musician in the 20th Mass. infantry, and also the 2d brigade, first division, 2d A. C.

Seth F. Pray, admitted May 16, 1903, who served 26 months in the navy.

A Study of Quincy.

C. C. Michener of the International Committee and State Secretaries R. M. Armstrong and A. G. Bookwalter of the Y. M. C. A. are making a special study of the industrial conditions and needs in several cities and towns in Massachusetts and Rhode Island. Just at present the conditions in Brockton, Pawtucket and Quincy are being investigated. Thus it is that the Association is rising to meet the ever-varying demands of our age.

County Finances.

The Norfolk County Commissioners report the assets of the county to be $866,800.00. The total expenditures of the year, were $356,523.98, of which $85,000.00 were for debt and loans, and only $3,130.41 for interest. The receipts of the year included $2,105.43 from interest. The largest item of expenses was $90,932.75 for building county buildings.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 18th, 1904. The Joint Committee on Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 9, for legislation to provide for the release, on parole, of certain prisoners who served in the civil war, at room No. 227, State House, on Tuesday, Jan. 26th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. WILLIAM T. DANA, Chairman
WILLIAM A. KELLY, Clerk of the Committee. Jan. 20-2t-20-23

JOHN MAHON,
Teacher of Piano and Organ,
375 Franklin Street, Quincy.
Jan. 23. 6t

I Can Quickly Sell for Cash
Without local publicity, your Business, Real Estate or Partnership, no matter where located. Send me full particulars, price, etc.
Address CHARLES E. POWELL,
19 W. Mohawk St., Buffalo, New York.
Jan. 22. 1m

You can buy WEDNESDAY at
PRATT'S
3 5-cent Loaves for 10 cents
2 Packages Luck, 15 cents
L. M. PRATT & SON.

ASSEMBLY

Of the Quincy Home Science Association.

The Ladies Handsomely Gowned.

A Large Attendance and an Enjoyable Time.

Soul inspiring music, handsomely gowned ladies and gallant gentlemen. These were the three elements that combined to make the annual assembly, under the auspicies of the Quincy Home Science Association, last evening, at Quincy Music Hall, a delightful affair and the social event of the season.

The association has been unfortunate in the past in regard to weather and this year was no exception.

The fine rain which fell during the afternoon and evening in no way interferred with the attendance, which was fully as large as in other years.

In the receiving party were Mrs. Nathaniel S. Hunting, Mrs. Dexter E. Wadsworth, Mrs. Thomas L. Sturtevant, Mrs. Charles H. Porter Mrs. Eugene H. Sprague, Mrs. Frank P. Waterhouse. They were at the right of the platform.

The ushers were: Mr. Gordon Adams, Dr. F. Ramon Burke, Mr. William L. Dewson, Mr. George B. Dewson, Mr. Delcevare King, Mr. Carleton C. Lane, Mr. George E. Pfaffmann, Mr. Charles [illegible] and Mr. Harry E. Russell.

The front of the platform was decorated with palms and back of these was Daggett's orchestra which furnished music.

Frappe was served during the entire evening.

The patronesses were: Mrs. Clarence Burgin, Mrs. George H. Brown, Mrs. Charles M. Bryant, Mrs. Walter E. Blanchard, Mrs. Edwin E. Davis, Mrs. Howard P. Elwell, Mrs. Thomas Fenno, Mrs. Henry I. Hall, Mrs. Nathaniel S. Hunting, Mrs. Henry L. Kincaide, Mrs. Charles H. Porter, Mrs. Charles A. Price, Mrs. Harry E. Russell, Mrs. Russell A. Sears, Mrs. Thomas L. Sturtevant, Mrs. Eugene H. Sprague, Mrs. Dexter E. Wadsworth, Mrs. Frank P. Waterhouse.

☞ Main Spring while you wait. Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

CHOIR BOYS'
Fifth Annual Concert
By the combined Boy Choirs of St. Chrysostom's Church, Wollaston, and Christ Church, Quincy,
QUINCY MUSIC HALL,
Tuesday Evening, Feb. 16, 1904,
AT EIGHT O'CLOCK,
For the Choir Boys' Camp.
A Chorus of 70 Singers, assisted by Superior Soloists.
MR. E. LANDIS SNYDER, Director.
Reserved Seats, 50, 35 and 25 cents.
Quincy, Jan. 23. 1-tf--p-2w

Quincy Point Lecture Course
AT THE
Washington Street Cong. Church—1904
Feb. 10. GEO. W. PENNIMAN, Lecture
Plymouth Rock to the Golden Gate. (Illustrated.)
Feb. 24. Mrs. CHARLOTTE ADAMS DUNNE, Recital and Music
March 9. JOSEPH LEE, Lecture
Children's Play.
March 23. Rev. PETER MACQUEEN, Lecture
Servia. (Illustrated.)
April 6. Rev. WILLIAM HYDE. Lecture
The Lost Ten Tribes of Israel.
Course Tickets, $1.00
Single Admission, 25 cents
Children, 15 cents
Doors open at 7.30 P. M. Lecture at 8 P. M.
Jan. 16. 6t--16-23-30-6-8-9

The League of the Old Men

By ..... JACK LONDON

Copyright, 1903, by Jack London

AT the barracks a man was being tried for his life. He was an old man, a native from the Whitefish river, which empties into the Yukon below Lake Le Barge. All Dawson was wrought up over the affair and likewise the Yukon dwellers for a thousand miles up and down. It has been the custom of the land robbing and sea robbing Anglo-Saxon to give the law to conquered peoples, and ofttimes this law is harsh. But in the case of Imber the law for once seemed inadequate and weak. In the mathematical nature of things equity did not reside in the punishment to be accorded him. The punishment was a foregone conclusion, there could be no doubt of that, and, though it was capital, Imber had but one life, while the tale against him was one of scores.

In fact, the blood of so many was upon his hands that the killings attributed to him did not permit of precise enumeration. Smoking a pipe by the trail side or lounging around the stove, men made rough estimates of the numbers that had perished at his hand. They had been whites, all of them, these poor murdered people, and they had been slain singly, in pairs and in parties. And so purposeless and wanton had been these killings that they had long been a mystery to the mounted police, even in the time of the captains, and later, when the creeks realized and a governor came from the Dominion to make the land pay for its prosperity.

But more mysterious still was the coming of Imber to Dawson to give himself up. In was in the late spring, when the Yukon was growling and writhing under its ice, that the old Indian climbed painfully up the bank from the river trail and stood blinking on the main street. Men who had witnessed his advent noted that he was weak and tottery and that he staggered over to a heap of cabin logs and sat down. He sat there a full day staring straight before him at the unceasing tide of white men that flooded past. Many a head jerked curiously to the side to meet his stare, and more than one remark was dropped anent the old Siwash with so strange a look upon his face.

But it remained for Dickensen—Little Dickensen—to be the hero of the occasion. Little Dickensen had come into the land with great dreams and a pocketful of cash, but with the cash [illegible] and to earn his passage back to the States he had accepted a clerical position with the brokerage firm of Holbrook & Mason. Across the street from the office of Holbrook & Mason was the heap of cabin logs upon which Imber sat. Dickensen looked out of the window at him before he went to lunch, and when he came back from lunch he looked out of the window, and the old Siwash was still there.

Dickensen was a romantic little chap, and he likened the immobile old heathen to the genius of the Siwash race, gazing calm eyed upon the hosts of the invading Saxon. The hours swept along, but Imber did not vary his posture, did not move a muscle, and Dickensen remembered a man who once sat upright on a sled in the main street where men passed to and fro. They thought the man was resting, but later they found him stiff and cold, frozen to death in the midst of the busy street. To undouble him, that he might fit into a coffin, they had been forced to lug him to a fire and thaw him out a bit. Dickensen shivered at the recollection.

Later on Dickensen went out on the sidewalk to smoke a cigar and cool off, and a little later Emily Travis happened along. Emily Travis was dainty and delicate and rare, and whether in London or Klondike she gowned herself as befitted the daughter of a millionaire mining engineer. Little Dickensen deposited his cigar on an outside window ledge, where he could find it again, and lifted his hat.

They chatted for ten minutes or so, when Emily Travis, glancing past Dickensen's shoulder, gave a startled little scream. Dickensen turned about to see and was startled too. Imber had crossed the street and was standing there, a gaunt and hungry looking shadow, his gaze riveted upon the girl.

"What do you want?" Little Dickensen demanded, tremulously plucky.

Imber grunted and stalked up to Emily Travis. He looked her over keenly and carefully. Especially did he appear interested in her silky brown hair and in the color of her cheek, faintly sprayed and soft, like the downy bloom of a butterfly wing. He walked around her, surveying her with the calculating eye of a man who studies the lines upon which a horse or a boat is built. In the course of his circuit the pink shell of her ear came between his eye and the westering sun, and he stopped to contemplate its rosy transparency. Then he returned to her face and looked long and intently into her blue eyes. He grunted and laid a hand on her arm midway between the shoulder and elbow. With his other hand he lifted her forearm and doubled it back. Disgust and wonder showed in his face, and he dropped her arm with a contemptuous grunt. Then he muttered a few guttural syllables, turned his back on her and addressed himself to Dickensen.

Dickensen could not understand his speech, and Emily Travis laughed. Imber turned from one to the other, frowning, but both shook their heads. He was about to go away when she called out:

"Oh, Jimmy, come here!"

Jimmy came from the other side of the street. He was a big, hulking Indian, clad in approved white man style, with an El Dorado king's sombrero on his head. He talked with Imber haltingly, with throaty spasms. Jimmy was a Sitkan, possessed of no more than a passing knowledge of the interior dialects.

"Him Whitefish man," he said to Emily Travis. "Me savve um talk no very much. Him want to look see chief white man."

"The governor," suggested Dickensen.

Jimmy talked some more with the Whitefish man, and his face became grave and puzzled.

"I t'ink um want Cap'n Alexander," he explained. "Him say um kill white man, white woman, white boy, plenty kill um white people. Him want to die."

"Insane, I guess," said Dickensen.

"What you call dat?"

Dickensen thrust a finger figuratively inside his head and imparted a rotary motion thereto.

"Mebbe so, mebbe so," said Jimmy, returning to Imber, who still demanded the chief man of the white men.

A mounted policeman (unmounted for Klondike service) joined the group and heard Imber's wish repeated. He was a stalwart young fellow, broad shouldered, deep chested, legs clean built and stretched wide apart, and, tall though Imber was, he towered above him by a head. His eyes were cool and gray and steady, and he carried himself with the peculiar confidence of power that is bred of blood and tradition. His splendid masculinity was emphasized by his excessive boyishness—he was a mere lad—and his smooth cheek promised a blush as willingly as the cheek of a maid.

Imber was drawn to him at once. The fire leaped into his eyes at sight of a saber slash that scarred his cheek. He ran a withered hand down the young fellow's leg and caressed the swelling thew. He smote the broad chest with his knuckles and pressed and prodded the thick muscle pads that covered the shoulders like a cuirass. The group had been added to by curious passersby—husky miners, mountaineers and frontiersmen, sons of the long legged and broad shouldered generations. Imber glanced from one to another. Then he spoke aloud in the Whitefish tongue.

"What did he say?" asked Dickensen.

"Him say um all the same one man, dat p'liceman," Jimmy interpreted.

Little Dickensen was little, and because of Miss Travis he felt sorry for having asked the question. The policeman was sorry for him and stepped into the breach.

"I fancy there may be something in his story. I'll take him up to the captain for examination. Tell him to come along with me, Jimmy."

Jimmy indulged in more throaty spasms, and Imber grunted and looked satisfied.

"But ask him what he said, Jimmy, and what he meant when he took hold of my arm." So spoke Emily Travis, and Jimmy put the question and received the answer.

"Him say you no afraid," said Jimmy.

Emily Travis looked pleased.

"Him say you no skookum, no strong, all the same very soft like little baby. Him break you, in um two hands, to little pieces. Him t'ink much funny, very strange, how you can be mother of men so big, so strong, like dat p'liceman."

Emily Travis kept her eyes up and unfaltering, but her cheeks were sprayed with scarlet. Little Dickensen blushed and was quite embarrassed. The policeman's face blazed with his boy's blood.

"Come along, you," he said gruffly, setting his shoulder to the crowd and forcing a way.

Thus it was that Imber found his way to the barracks, where he made full and voluntary confession and from the precincts of which he never emerged.

* * * * * * *

Imber looked very tired. The fatigue of hopelessness and age was in his face. His shoulders drooped depressingly, and his eyes were lackluster. His mop of hair should have been white, but sun and weatherbeat had burned and bitten it so that it hung limp and lifeless and colorless. He took no interest in what went on around him. The court room was jammed with the men of the creeks and trails, and here was an ominous note in the rumble and grumble of their low pitched voices which came to his ears like the growl of the sea from deep caverns.

He sat close by a window, and his apathetic eyes rested now and again on the dreary scene without. The sky was overcast, and a gray drizzle was falling. It was floodtime on the Yukon. The ice was gone, and the river was up in the town. Back and forth on the main street, in canoes and poling boats, passed the people that never rested. Often he saw these boats turn aside from the street and enter the flooded square that marked the barracks parade ground. Sometimes they disappeared beneath him, and he heard them jar against the house logs and their occupants scramble in through the window. After that came the slush of water against men's legs as they waded across the lower room and mounted the stairs. Then they appeared in the doorway with doffed hats and dripping sea boots and added themselves to the waiting crowd.

And while they centered their looks on him, and in grim anticipation enjoyed the penalty he was to pay, Imber looked at them and mused on their ways and on their law, which never slept, but went on unceasing in good times and bad, in flood and famine, through trouble and terror and death, and which would go on unceasing, it seemed to him, to the end of time.

A man rapped sharply on a table, and the conversation droned away into silence. Imber looked at the man. He seemed one in authority, yet Imber divined the square browed man who sat by a desk farther back to be the one chief over them all and over the man who had rapped. Another man by the same table uprose and began to read aloud from many fine sheets of paper. At the top of each sheet he cleared his throat, at the bottom moistened his fingers. Imber did not understand his speech, but the others did, and he knew that it made them angry. Sometimes it made them very angry, and once a man cursed him in single syllables, stinging and tense, till the man at the table rapped his mouth shut.

For an interminable period the man read. His monotonous singsong utterance lured Imber to dreaming, and he was dreaming deeply when the man ceased. A voice spoke to him in his own Whitefish tongue, and he roused up, without surprise, to look upon the face of his sister's son, a young man who had wandered away years agone to make his dwelling with the whites.

"Thou dost not remember me," he said, by way of greeting.

"Nay," Imber answered. "Thou art Howkan, who went away. Thy mother be dead."

"She was an old woman," said Howkan.

But Imber did not hear, and Howkan, with hand upon his shoulder, roused him again.

"I shall speak to thee what the man has spoken, which is the tale of the troubles thou hast done and which thou hast told, O fool, to the Captain Alexander. And thou shalt understand and say if it be true talk or talk not true. It is so commanded."

Howkan had fallen among the mission folk and been taught by them to read and write. In his hands he held the many fine sheets from which the man had read aloud and which had been taken down by a clerk when Imber first made confession, through the mouth of Jimmy, to Captain Alexander. Howkan [illegible] to read, [illegible] listened for a space, when a wonderment rose up in his face, and he broke in abruptly:

"That be my talk, Howkan. Yet from thy lips it comes when thy ears have not heard."

Howkan smirked with self appreciation. His hair was parted in the middle. "Nay, from the paper it comes, O Imber! Never have my ears heard.

Disgust and wonder showed in his face.

From the paper it comes, through my eyes, into my head and out of my mouth to thee. Thus it comes."

"Thus it comes? It be there in the paper?" Imber's voice sank in whisperful awe as he crackled the sheets between thumb and finger and stared at the characters scrawled thereon. "It be great medicine, Howkan, and thou art a worker of wonders."

"It be nothing, it be nothing," the young man responded carelessly and pridefully. He read at random from the document: "'In that year, before the break of the ice, came an old man and a boy who was lame of one foot. These also did I kill, and the old man made much noise'"—

"It be true," Imber interrupted breathlessly. "He made much noise and would not die for a long time. But how dost thou know, Howkan? The chief man of the white men told thee, mayhap? No one beheld me, and him alone have I told."

Howkan shook his head with impatience. "Have I not told thee it be there in the paper, O fool?"

Imber stared hard at the ink scrawled surface. "As the hunter looks upon the snow and says, 'Here but yesterday there passed a rabbit, and here by the willow scrub it stood and listened and heard and was afraid, and here it turned upon its trail, and here it went with great swiftness, leaping wide; and here, with greater swiftness and wider leapings, came a lynx; and here, where the claws cut deep into the snow, the lynx made a very great leap; and here it struck, with the rabbit under and rolling belly up; and here leads off the trail of the lynx alone, and there is no more rabbit'—as the hunter looks upon the markings of the snow and says thus and so and here, dost thou, too, look upon the paper and say thus and so and here be the things old Imber hath done?"

"Even so," said Howkan. "And now do thou listen and keep thy woman's tongue between thy teeth till thou art called upon for speech."

Thereafter and for a long time Howkan read to him the confession, and Imber remained musing and silent. At the end he said:

"It be my talk and true talk, but I am grown old, Howkan, and forgotten things come back to me which were well for the headman there to know. First, there was the man who came over the ice mountains with cunning traps made of iron, who sought the beaver of the Whitefish. Him I slew. And there were three men seeking gold on the Whitefish long ago. Them also I slew and left them to the wolverenes. And at the Five Fingers there was a man with a raft and much meat."

At the moments when Imber paused to remember Howkan translated and a clerk reduced to writing. The court room listened stolidly to each unadorned little tragedy till Imber told of a red haired man whose eyes were crossed and whom he had killed with a remarkably long shot.

Imber's head drooped once more, and his eyes grew dull, as though a film rose up and covered them from the world. And he dreamed as only age can dream upon the colossal futility of youth.

Later Howkan roused him again, saying: "Stand up, O Imber. It be commanded that thou tell why thou didst these troubles and slew these people and at the end journeyed here seeking the law."

Imber rose feebly to his feet and swayed back and forth. He began to speak in a low and faintly rumbling voice, but Howkan interrupted him.

"This old man, he is crazy," he said in English to the square browed man. "His talk is foolish and like that of a child."

"We will hear his talk which is like that of a child," said the square browed man. "'And we will hear it word for word as he speaks it. Do you understand?"

Howkan understood, and Imber's eyes flashed, for he had witnessed the play between his sister's son and the man in authority. And then began the story, the epic of a bronze patriot which itself might well be wrought into bronze for generations unborn. The crowd fell strangely silent, and the square browed judge leaned head on hand and pondered his soul and the soul of his race. Only were heard the deep tones of Imber, rhythmically alternating with the shrill voice of the interpreter.

"I am Imber of the Whitefish people." So ran the interpretation of Howkan, whose inherent barbarism gripped hold of him and who lost his mission culture and veneered civilization as he caught the savage ring and rhythm of old Imber's tale. "My father was Otsbaok, a strong man. The land was warm with sunshine and gladness when I was a boy. The people did not hunger after strange things nor hearken to new voices, and the ways of their fathers were their ways. The women found favor in the eyes of the young men, and the young men looked upon them with content. Babes hung at the breasts of the women, and they were heavy hipped with increase of the tribe. Men were men in those days. In peace and plenty and in war and famine they were men.

"At that time there were more fish in the waters than now and more meat in the forest. Our dogs were wolves, warm with thick hides and hard to the frost and storm. And as with our dogs, so with us, for we were likewise hard to the frost and storm. And when the Pellys came into our land we slew them and were slain, for we were men, we Whitefish, and our fathers and our fathers' fathers had fought against the Pellys and determined the bounds of the land.

"As with our dogs, I say, so with us. And one day came the first white man. He dragged himself—so—on hand and knee, in the snow. And his skin was stretched tight, and his bones were sharp beneath. Never was such a man, we thought, and we wondered of what strange tribe he was and of its land. And he was weak, most weak, like a little child, so that we gave him a place by the fire and warm furs to lie upon, and we gave him food as little children are given food.

"And with him was a dog, large as three of our dogs and very weak. The hair of this dog was short and not warm, and the tail was frozen so that the end fell off. And this strange dog we fed and bedded by the fire and fought from him our dogs, which else would have killed him. And what of the moose meat and the sun dried salmon the man and dog took strength to themselves, and what of the strength they became big and unafraid. And the man spoke loud words and laughed at the old men and young men and looked boldly upon the maidens. And the dog fought with our dogs and for all of his short hair and softness slew three of them in one day.

"When we asked the man concerning his people he said, 'I have many brothers,' and laughed in a way that was not good. And when he was in his full strength he went away, and with him went Noda, daughter to the chief. Well do I remember my father, Otsbaok, a strong man. His face was black with anger at such helplessness, and he took a stone—so—and so—and there was no more helplessness. And two summers after that came Noda back to us with a man child in the hollow of her arm.

"And that was the beginning. Came a second white man, with short haired dogs, which he left behind him when he went. And with him went six of our strongest dogs, for which, in trade, he had given Koo-So-Tee, my mother's brother, a wonderful pistol that fired with great swiftness six times. And Koo-So-Tee was very big, what of the pistol, and laughed at our bows and arrows. 'Woman's things,' he called them and went forth against the bald face grizzly with the pistol in his hand. Now it be known that it is not good to hunt the bald face with a pistol, but how were we to know? And how was Koo-So-Tee to know? So he went against the bald face, very brave, and fired the pistol with great swiftness six times, and the bald faced but

"I am Imber."

grunted and broke in his head like it were an egg, and like honey from a bees' nest dripped the brains of Koo-So-Tee upon the ground. He was a good hunter, and there was no one to bring meat to his squaw and children. And we were bitter, and we said, 'That which for the white men is well is for us not well.' And this be true. There be many white men and fat, but their ways have made us few and lean.

"Came the third white man with great wealth of all manner of wonderful foods and things. And twenty of our strongest dogs he took from us in trade, also, what of presents and great promises, ten or our young hunters did he take with him on a journey which fared no man knew where. It is said they died in the snow of the ice mountains, where man has never been, or in the hills of silence, which are beyond the edge of the earth. Be that as it may, dogs and young hunters were seen never again by the Whitefish people.

"And more white men came with the years, and ever, with pay and presents, they led the young men away with them. And sometimes the young men came back with strange tales of dangers and toils in the lands beyond the Pellys, and sometimes they did not come back. And we said, 'If they be unafraid of life, these white men, it is because they have many lives, but we be few by the Whitefish, and the young men shall go away no more.' But the young men did go away, and the young women went also, and we were very wroth.

"It be true we ate flour and salt pork and drank tea, which was a great delight; only when we could not get tea it was very bad and we became short of speech and quick of anger. So we grew to hunger for the things the white man brought in trade. Trade, trade, all the time it was trade! One winter we sold our meat for clocks that would not go, and watches with broken works, and files worn smooth, and pistols without cartridges and worthless. And then came famine, and we were without meat, and twoscore died ere the break of spring.

"'Now we are grown weak,' we said, 'and the Pellys will fall upon us and our bounds be overthrown.' But as it fared with us, so had it fared with the Pellys, and they were too weak to come against us.

"My father, Otsbaok, a strong man, was now old and wise. And he spoke to the chief, saying: 'Behold, our dogs be worthless. No longer are they thick furred and strong, and they die in the frost and harness. Let us go into the village and kill them, saving only the wolf ones, and these let us tie out in the night that they may mate with the wild wolves of the forest. Thus shall we have dogs warm and strong again.'

"And his word was hearkened to, and we Whitefish became known for our dogs, which were the best in the land. But known we were not for ourselves. The best of our young men and women had gone away with the white men to wander on trail and river to far places. And the young women came back old and broken, as Noda had come, or they came back not at all. And the young men came back to sit by our fires for a time, full of ill speech and rough ways, drinking evil drinks and gambling through long nights and days, with a great unrest always in their hearts, till the call of the white men came to them and they went again to the unknown places. And they were

(Continued on page 7.)

TO-DAY

And Every Day until the Bankrupt Stock of

C. F. DERBY

Is Closed out we will sell

MEN'S and BOYS'

CLOTHING,

Furnishings and Hats

At Lower Prices than any other store.

COME AT ONCE

For Best Bargains.

You want good goods for a little money. We want the cash. Here is your opportunity.

BANKRUPT SALE,

Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

Hardware Supply Co.,

1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES

Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.

Dec. 29. tf

W. G. CHUBBUCK,

Furniture and Piano Mover

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up and Cleaned and Relaid.

JOBBING.

Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.

lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

Insured for $2,000,000

L. Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, the eminent merchant of New York and Philadelphia, has taken out a policy in

The Prudential Insurance Co.

for $1,000,000, paying an annual premium of over $50,000. This makes him the most heavily insured man in the world, with the single exception of King Edward VII.

Mr. Wanamaker's total insurance is now $2,000,000.

Ask yourself WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed one-half this great amount with The Prudential.

Your business judgment will at once reply: "Because after full investigation and comparison, Mr. Wanamaker found that the company which could give him the best insurance for a given amount of money was The Prudential."

Undoubtedly you will agree that Mr. Wanamaker does not pay over $30,000 per year except for most excellent reasons.

These reasons apply to YOU precisely as well as they do to HIM.

Better apply TODAY for information regarding Prudential policies to

FRANK CHESTER MANN,

General Agent for Eastern Massachusetts
209 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.

HENRY O. FAIRBANKS,

Aug. 27-eod-1y Special Agent.

Dr. Emmons'

Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively leaves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

TO-DAY

Every Day until the
nkrupt Stock of
C. F. DERBY
osed out we will sell
MEN'S and BOYS'
LOTHING,
hings and Hats
Lower Prices than
any other store.
ME AT ONCE
r Best Bargains.
want good goods for a
oney. We want the cash.
your opportunity.
KRUPT SALE,
gs Bank Block,
Quincy, Mass.

ware Supply Co.,
Hancock St., Quincy.
SKATES
s, Sharpeners.
LEDS,
' SLEDS,
NOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.
TERNS, 50 cts.
SHOVELS,
SIEVES.
HODS,
S and
HORSES.
tf

G. CHUBBUCK,
and Piano Mover
AND OUT OF TOWN.
ked Carpets Taken Up
Cleaned and Relaid.
JOBBING.
Page's Pool Room, or Nicker-
kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at
's, Revere Road.
Address, QUINCY, MASS.

d for $2,000,000
Wanamaker, son of John Wana-
ment merchant of New York and
as taken out a policy in
dential Insurance Co.
paying an annual premium of
This makes him the most heavily
n the world, with the single
ng Edward VII.
aker's total insurance is now
WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed
eat amount with The Prudential.
s judgment will at once reply:
r full investigation and com-
Wanamaker found that the com-
ld give him the best insurance
mount of money was The Pru-
you will agree that Mr. Wana-
ot pay over $50,000 per year
excellent reasons.
s apply to YOU precisely as
to HIM.
TODAY for information re-
tial policies to
CHESTER MANN,
for Eastern Massachusetts
gton Street, Boston, Mass.
FAIRBANKS,
y Special Agent.

Emmons'
ctor has brought happiness to
xious women. There is positive-
edy known to medical science
ickly and safely do the work.
ost obstinate irregularities from
ved immediately. Success guar-
ntee. No pain, danger, or inter-
rk. Have relieved hundreds of
ses have failed. The most diffi-
ssfully treated by mail, and be-
uaranteed in every instance. No
r. We treat hundreds of ladies
rence. Write for further particu-
nfidential advice. Do not put off
tters truthfully answered. F
medy is absolutely safe under
condition and positively leaves
t upon the health. Sent by mail,
$2.00. Money letters should be
J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tre
n, Mass.

4 for 1
Trading Stamps
AT THE
HOSIERY STORE.
LOW PRICES ON
BOYS' and GIRLS'
OUTING FLANNELS.
FINE LINE OF NECKWEAR.
LARGE ASSORTMENT
NEW LACES.
City Employment Office.
MRS. C. J. MILLER,
1383 Hancock Street,
CITY SQUARE.

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.
JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.
HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.
Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorater, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

PICTURES
FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

MAIN SPRINGS
Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.
Work called for and delivered.
SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

W. A. BRADFORD,
Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting,
Jobbing promptly attended to.
Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.
Open Monday and Saturday evenings.
Telephone 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

JOHN STREIFERD & SON,
FLORISTS.
Telephone 13-7 Braintree.
Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.
Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

Hotel Greenleaf
Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

HALL and BURGESS,
Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

LIMIT IS REACHED

Russia Unlikely to Make Further Concessions to Japan

WILL RETAIN MANCHURIA

Military Experts Say Japan Has Not the Power to Expel Her--First Concessions In Province Will Be to the United States

London, Jan. 23.—The delay in the Russian reply to the latest note from Japan is causing the customary crop of sensational statement, pointing to the imminence of war in the far east. The Daily Graphic says it understands that there is no likelihood of a compromise, owing to the unyielding attitude of Japan on the Manchurian question and the fact that in her last note to Russia Japan struck out the whole article in the draft of the reaty relating to the demand of Russia for a neutral zone.

The correspondent of The Morning Post at Chefco has sent in an alarming report that 12,000 Japanese troops have landed at Ma Sam Pho, in southern Korea, and the Port Arthur correspondent of the Paris edition of the New York Herald also refers in a dispatch to the fact that the news of the occupation of Ma Sam Pho is being received calmly. These reports are not confirmed from any other source and are discredited by Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister to Great Britain.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Daily Telegraph cables as follows: "I learn that a difficulty has arisen through reluctance to grant the same freedom to immigration into Manchuria to the Japanese as to other foreigners for fear that the Japanese would soon overrun the province. Whatever concessions Russia offers regarding Manchuria, however, will probably be in the first instance to the United States."

If, as hinted in the dispatches, Russia has agreed to recognize Japan's supremacy in Korea, to abandon her neutral zone proposition and to bind herself to the open door policy as regards Manchurian trade, standing firm only on her claim to political and strategic predominance in Manchuria, it would seem that she has made the maximum of concessions to be expected, according to the opinion in diplomatic circles.

No student of affairs in the far east believes for a moment that Russia will withdraw from Manchuria, where she has spent hundreds of millions of dollars in permanent improvements, and no military expert will be found who believes that Japan has the power to expel her from the province. For, even admitting for the sake of argument, that Japan won all the initial battles, and succeeded in breaking Russia's long line of communication, these reverses would be but temporary. The final outcome would be that which overtook the Boers in South Africa. Japan would be overborne by force of numbers.

Uneasy Feeling In Russia

St. Petersburg, Jan. 23.—The czar has not yet called the council to consider the Japanese reply, but it is said at the foreign office that the summons may be issued any day. The delay, coupled with dispatches from Tokio saying that Japan is armed and grimly waiting, has caused a slight renewal of public nervousness.

This alarm is seemingly not shared in the higher government circles, where it is insisted that the czar's pacific declarations were not idle words. The worst that is now anticipated is a breakdown of the negotiations in the event of Russia's response being unacceptable to Japan.

The papers publish prominently the statement that the United States Asiatic squadron will remain in Philippine waters. The Gazette, in pointing out the mischief caused by the erroneous statement that Rear Admiral Evans' destination was Yongampho, Korea, instead of Olongapo, near Manila, welcomes the correction as evidence that the United States will not meddle in the quarrel.

Chinese Honor Russian Flag

London, Jan. 23.—A dispatch from New Chwang says 6600 Russian soldiers entered New Chwang Jan. 19. The municipal affairs of New Chwang are managed by a Russian commissioner, and acting on his orders, the Chinese merchants displayed the Russian colors when the troops marched into the city.

Powers Unwilling to Mix In

Washington, Jan. 23.—It is learned that the United States government has been cautiously and quietly making inquiries at the various foreign capitals supposed to be particularly interested in a peaceful solution of the eastern problem with a view to ascertaining whether anything could be done toward bringing Russia and Japan together. It soon developed that neither of these principals was willing to solicit the good offices of outside powers in the adjustment of their difficulties, so the proposition was never formulated.

Halls Must Be Made Safe

Providence, Jan. 23.—Three halls have been ordered closed by the inspector of buildings until they shall have complied with the new building law passed by the legislature a week ago. Alterations are also in progress in a number of other halls in compliance with the law.

WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW

Record Prices In Cotton and Wheat Furnish Sensations

New York, Jan. 23.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: Weather conditions have furnished the chief influences in the general trade situation. To some extent traffic has been hindered, especially at the east. Consumption of fuel was increased, and retail trade in coal greatly expanded, but no commensurate gain at first hands is reported, owing to the large supplies held by dealers. Mills relying upon water power suffered interruption. Retail distribution of footwear and heavy wearing apparel felt the stimulus, and annual clearance sales removed accumulations of dry goods, millinery, etc.

All records since 1885 have been surpassed in the quotation of spot cotton and compared with the corresponding date last year there has occurred an advance of $28.25 a bale, which is more than the total value of 500 pounds of cotton at the lowest record a few years ago. It is not possible to designate any event of the week as the definite cause of the advance. The consumption is restricted, the people gradually adjusting themselves to the idea of a short crop.

Scarcely less remarkable was the sudden upward tendency of grain in the face of more pacific news regarding the situation in the far east. Wheat rose to much the highest price of the season at Chicago, and corn also developed a firmer tone.

Iron and steel plants that resumed at the turn of the year have obtained sufficient business to continue operating, and thus far the adjustment of wages has not produced the threatened strikes.

Relatives Want a Share

Portland, Me., Jan. 23.—A petition has been filed in the probate court asking for the probate of a will and codicils made by the late Solomon N. Chandler of New Gloucester, who left an estate valued at $750,000. The will originally left all the property to the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions. The codicils revoke all other wills and provide that the property shall be equally divided between the American Board and relatives of the testator. The American Board has retained counsel and will oppose the probating of the codicils on the ground that Chandler was not capable of managing his affairs at the time they were made.

Bechtel Children Testify

Allentown, Pa., Jan. 23.—In the trial of Mrs. Catherine Bechtel, charged with being an accessory after the fact to the murder of her daughter, Mabel, the cross-examination was ended and the examination of three of her children, Martha, Charles and John, who are also charged with being accessories after the fact, was taken up. Each denied any personal knowledge of the murder.

New York Has Floods

Buffalo, Jan. 23.—With the temperature a good many degrees above the freezing point and a continuous fall of rain for nearly 24 hours, the immense quantity of snow throughout western New York rapidly turned into water which soon filled the river banks and sent them swirling out of bounds, flooding large areas. Railroad traffic is badly crippled.

Landon Commits Suicide

South Norwalk, Conn., Jan. 23.—Harry Landon, charged with passing counterfeit half dollars, and having eight in his possession, committed suicide during the night. His body was found suspended from the bars of his cell at police headquarters. He had used his suspenders and garments to hang himself.

Action Regarding Boy Miners

Indianapolis, Jan. 23.—At the miners' convention President Mitchell's recommendation that the organization endeavor to secure legislation prohibiting the employment of boys under 16 years old in mines was agreed to. An amendment extending the employment of boys to "in and around the mines" was defeated.

Vote Continues Without Change

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 23.—In joint session of the Maryland legislature the vote for United States senator was as follows: Democrats—Rayner, 38; Smith, 28; Carter, 11; Jackson, 7; Miles, 4. Republican—McComas, 37. Necessary to a choice, 63.

Rivers and Harbors Must Wait

Washington, Jan. 23.—The house committee on rivers and harbors has decided that there should be no river and harbor appropriation bill at the present session of congress, although a few surveys may be authorized.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Harry J. Jordan, who acted for many years as advance agent for theatrical companies, died at Chelsea, Mass., after a three months' illness.

Bishop Thomas U. Dudley of Louisville, Ky., died at New York of heart disease.

Senator Hanna, who has had another attack of grip, is reported much better.

A mausoleum has been erected close to the Peter-Paul cathedral in St. Petersburg, where in future all the members of the czar's family will be buried.

The temperance movement which began in Japan in 1873 with a society of foreign residents of Yokohama has grown until now there are 46 of these societies united in a National Temperance league.

Nevada boasts that she has the largest tree in the world. The only trouble with it is that it is petrified, and in a defile far out of the way of travellers. It is said to be 666 feet tall.

THE ISLE OF NOBLES.

A Famous Historic Site, the Cradle of Saxon Liberty.

The isle of Athelney, or the "isle of nobles," as the name signifies, is one of the most famous of historic sites. A thousand years ago it was a low islet covered with willows and alders and surrounded by fens and overflowing marshes, altogether inaccessible except by boats. There King Alfred sought refuge with a swineherd, and there he lay concealed from the invading Danes for the space of a whole year. The resort of his chieftains to this place caused it to be known as the "isle of nobles," which may be regarded as the cradle and stronghold of Saxon liberty. After Alfred regained the possession of his throne he erected a Benedictine abbey on this spot and "endowed it with all the lands in the isle of Athelney." The monastery has entirely disappeared, but its site is marked by a stone pillar erected in 1801 by the owner of Athelney. The pillar bears this inscription: "King Alfred the Great in the year of our Lord 879, having been defeated by the Danes, fled for refuge to the forest of Athelney, where he lay concealed from his enemies for the spell of a whole year. He soon after regained possession of his throne, and in grateful remembrance of the protection he had received under the favor of heaven he erected a monastery on this spot and endowed it with all the lands contained in the isle of Athelney. To perpetuate the memory of so remarkable an incident in the life of that illustrious prince this edifice was founded by John Slade, Esq., of Maunsell, the proprietor of Athelney, A. D. 1801."—London News.

THE MAN WITH THE ADZ.

Wonderful Accuracy of His Aim at the Butcher's Block.

Outside a butcher shop twenty or thirty persons stood watching a man at work with an adz. He stood on a large oaken block, such as meat is chopped on, which he had taken from its legs and placed on the curb, sloping toward the street. The surface of the block had become scarred and roughened from use. With clean, accurate strokes of the adz the man soon made it as smooth as a mahogany table. It was the wonderful accuracy of his aim that made passersby stop to look at him. He paid no attention to them. A single false blow would have ruined the block. When the job was done, the man helped the butcher mount the block, collected $5 and went off to keep another appointment.

"It has taken me twenty-three years to learn to chop like that," he said to a reporter. "My charge is from $5 to $10, according to the size of the block. A block requires evening off in that way every three or four years. I have customers now that I had when I first began business, twenty-five years ago. In all that time I have spoiled only two blocks, and they were during the two years of my apprenticeship. The butchers can get their chopping blocks put in condition by sending them to the sawmill. But it is more expensive, and they can't spare them so long from the shops. There is enough work of this kind in New York to keep myself and half a dozen others busy."—New York Press.

Korean Men's Hats.

The quaintest feature of the picturesque costumes of the Korean men is their hats. They are mousetrap-like arrangements made from the hair of the wearer's ancestors. This priceless possession is handed down from father to eldest son, who reaches the goal of his ambition at the moment when the family hat is placed upon his head. Another grotesque form of Korean headdress is the mourning hat that is worn in rural districts by the eldest son for three years after the death of either of his parents. This conical shaped affair of rushes or rice straw is as large as a bushel basket and extends to the shoulders.

The Value of Exercise.

The brain that never calls upon itself for work must become dull and stupid, and it is the same way with the muscles of the body. They are filled with blood vessels that should be up and doing. The blood has several purposes, and one is to carry away the waste fluids of the body. The lungs are a sort of refinery, and the blood is a distilling agent. If the blood becomes thick and unhealthy and sluggish the body does not keep its youthful state. Eyes grow dull, lips lose their redness, and the complexion is sallow and unlovely. It is an easy and simple matter to make exercise a habit.

Wart Cures.

Vinegar and cooking soda in solution are said to make a capital cure for warts. If the wart is kept moist with it for ten minutes several times a day it will disappear in the course of a week or so in ordinary cases.

Another cure is to touch frequently with acetic acid or nitric acid, but one must be careful not to irritate the surrounding skin by dropping either acid.

Why They Spoke.

"We had known each other slightly," said Miss Evvy Waite, "but never to speak to until one day while out skating I fell down quite near him, and"—

"Ah, yes!" replied Miss Peppery. "That broke the ice, of course."—Philadelphia Press.

Choosing a Minister.

Dean Everett used to say that parish committees had no more ability choosing a minister than a minister showed in buying a horse.—Boston Christian Register.

The man who becomes his own doctor has a fool for a patient as truly as the man who acts as his own lawyer has a fool for a client.

SPORTING NOTES.

We will see The Rajah (3), 2:14¾, at the races again this year.

Young Corbett has written an interesting book entitled "How to Punch the Bag."

Jockey H. Phillips, the leading winner at New Orleans, was unknown a year ago. He will clear $25,000 this year.

George Schmidt, the new auto racing star, hopes to lower the sensational French records of Fournier and Angieres.

An echo of the Elderone scandal of 1902 was heard when the board of review refused to reinstate Driver Tom Stuard.

Next season, say the knowing ones, will bring about the lowering of many athletic records. College athletes are doing splendid work indoors.

"Philadelphia Jack" O'Brien has fought so many battles during the last two years that physicians state he is in danger of dropping dead from heart disease.

Colonel Pepper, by Director, 2:17, dam Emulation, 2:21, by Onward, was destroyed recently at Pittsburg, where he was owned, owing to an injured stifle.

Harvey Tobias, who raced Belle V., 2:22¼, and Magnolia, 2:24¼, and was in the money fourteen times with them, will retain a public stable at Pana, Ill., next season.

M. H. Reardon, Indianapolis, Ind., has sold the green three-year-old pacing filly Alice Brooks, by Princeton, 2:19¾, to George D. Sherman, Port Henry, N. Y.

OVER THE OCEAN.

In Finland, for the first time, a woman has been appointed factory inspector.

The Belgian city of Liege, with a population of 150,000, maintains 10,000 drink sellers.

During a recent locust plague in the Transcaucasus some truck loads of sacks of flour standing on a siding were devoured in about a quarter of an hour.

The right of selling tickets for the ascent of the roof of the Milan cathedral was sold the other day for $5,000 a year. Until a few years ago the sum paid was only $2,000.

Ferocious sharks, which have not been seen in the Baltic for more than a century, have again appeared off the Danish and German coasts and give the fishermen much trouble.

Many complaints are made in France because of the inadequate number of postal, telegraph and telephone officials. There are only 77,000 in the whole country, whereas England has 179,000 and Germany 223,176.

Many buildings in Motherwell, Scotland, look like the leaning tower of Pisa. The little town is built over the site of a coal mine. Some houses have collapsed, business is at a standstill, and the town will probably soon be deserted.

COLLEGE AND SCHOOL.

Chicago now pays her superintendent of schools $10,000 a year.

How to raise chickens will be taught at the University of Missouri. The curators have decided to offer a full course in poultry raising.

An unusual course that is to be offered at the University of Chicago is that of training young men and women to become practical servants. The course is to extend through four years.

Rev. H. B. Frissell, principal of the School For Negroes at Hampton, Va., says it requires $80,000 a year for the support of the school. There are 1,200 scholars living on the ground and between 3,000 and 4,000 coming directly under his care.

Yale has property worth $6,899,000 on the books of the treasurer, and $1,646,000 of this is in realty mortgages, $1,665,000 in railroad bonds, $643,000 in corporation bonds other than railroads, $285,000 in various stocks and $2,453,000 in real estate.

LAW POINTS.

The surrender and cancellation of an old note are a sufficient consideration for the execution of a new one given in lieu of the same. (73 S. W. 873.)

Where an agent acts for himself adversely to his principal in a given transaction neither notice to nor knowledge of the agent can be lawfully imputed to such principal. (120 Fed. Rep. 793.)

A contract for the sale of goods, "terms cash, less 1½ per cent," is an agreement for a cash sale at a specified price and not an agreement for a credit sale subject to a discount for cash. (54 Atl. Rep. 634.)

Where after the dissolution of a firm an account with it is carried on as a running account with the succeeding firm payments made to the latter, unless appropriated, will go to discharge the oldest items of the account. (54 Atl. Rep. 555.)

PROGRESS.

Now that cotton presses reduce the size of a bale until it weighs forty-five pounds to the square foot one ship will carry the product of 40,000 acres of average cotton land.

A ship's pump has been invented. It consists of a normally horizontal lever, with a vertical pump rod at each end and a weighted pendulum at the center. The roll of the ship swings the pendulum and drives the pump rods.

In a new meat and vegetable chopper a simple device makes it possible to regulate the degree of fineness to which any article may be chopped. One important claim for this build of chopper is the simplicity of its construction.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Oct. 18, 1903, trains will run as follows:

[Subject to change without notice.]

TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r *5 19	abcdefghi	5 47	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 23	ad	7 42	8 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp.	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 42	a l c	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	12 45	Exp.	1 02
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 58	cba	1 19 r
r 9 42	abc	10 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	1 58	cba	2 19 r
r 10 42	abc	11 02	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	a t c	11 32	2 45	cba	3 06 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 45	coa	4 06 r
r 1 42	abc	2 02	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 16	dba	5 36 r
r 3 42	abc	4 02	5 26	a	5 45 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 46	ihgfdcba	6 15
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
6 59	Exp.	7 15	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	8 28	fedcba	8 58 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32			

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 43	Exp.	9 00
9 00	Exp.	9 15	9 28	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
10 18	Exp.	10 33	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 22	abcdefghi	10 50			

• The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Nortolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.46 6.16 6.46 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—6.16 8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6.21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 7.21 9.21 P. M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A. M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P. M.

Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

Corrected to Nov. 20th, 1903.

(Subject to change without notice.)

LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 AM. 12.00 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 810 A. M. then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON 7.15, 7.45 A M. then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M. Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

J. T. CONWAY, Division Supt
H. E. REYNOLDS, Asst. Gen. Supt.
Quincy, Mass., Nov. 20, 1903.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
And to increase our trade we offer for cash
Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple, $8.00
Dry Pine Wood, 7.00
Dry Pine Slabs, 6.00
Green Hard Wood, 7.00
Delivered in any part of Quincy.
THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,
Yard between Miller and West Streets.
Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.
Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

F. S. BUXTON,
TEACHER OF VIOLIN
WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.
Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

An illustrated Washington letter will appear in the Ledger about once a fortnight. The one today will be found of interest.

The Ledger novelette today is of seven columns, an interesting story by Jack London entitled "The League of the Old Men." Novelettes are now a regular feature of the Saturday eight-page Ledger.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ The real test of a teacher's ability is found in the progress of the dull pupils. Yet few investigating parents or committees are allowed to know much about this, even where there is anything to be known, and in a large number of cases so little special and intelligent work is done with the dullards that there is nothing to be shown to an interested visitor. On all show occasions only the brightest pupils are brought forward and the deficiencies in the teaching are discreetly smoothed over. Where a pupil is bright and well qualified in one study and backward in another, he is too often allowed to show off in the line of his strength, and to become more confirmed in the weakness of his deficiencies. Probably there are few educated people who cannot look back and see in their own experience errors that were tolerated in their early educational years that might easily have been eradicated, but which, being tolerated, have handicapped them and lowered the average of their culture all through life.—Education.

☞ It was a great industrial trust company and the small boy was asking for the treasurer. "I've got to see him It's an important case." So the clerk finally yielded, and escorted the boy into the presence of the busy man. What is it?" came the greeting sharp and crisp. "I want a job. I've got to have a job." "You! what can you do?" "Anything." Why your in short pants" "I can wear long ones.,, Every condition was met by an instant response, but there was no vacancy. However, the man of affairs had been deeply impressed with the energy and resources of the boy, and sometime later when a boy was needed he asked for the little fellow and gave him his chance. At seventeen he was in charge of a department, and he is going on and up. This is not a Youth's Companion yarn, but today I overheard two men talking about the boy.—Sciolus in the Milford Gazette

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate sales in Quincy:

Lizzie P. Dean to Lucy F. Leonard, (2).
George W. Taylor to Edward W. Taylor.
Eliakim Byard et al, to Rachel S Hewiston, $1060.
Julius Johnson to William R. Thomas.
James Thompson et al, trs to Charlotte L. Crane.
James Thompson et al, trs to George A. Sidelinger.
Clifford S. Drake to Eben C. Stanwood.
Daniel Clark et al, to Olaf P. Lindberg.
Emma M. Cummings to Willard Welsh.
Nellie A. Parker to Willard Welsh, $38.
Lizzie Lorman to Alice S. Blackwell, $500.
Helen E. Dugey to James Malcolm $1000.
Lora C. Merrill to James R. Oxner.
David A. Newcomb to Frank O. Wellington.
Thomas A. Watson to Fore River Ship & Engine Co.
David A. Newcomb to Frank O. Wellington.
Frank O. Wellington to Fore River Ship & Engine Co.
Frank F. Crane to Fore River Ship and Engine Co.
John H. Dinegan to Harkins Bros., (2).
Winthrop H. Chick to Kate Ryan.
Charles King to John H. Dinegan, $21.
George E. Haskins to William A. Cochran.
John H. Storer et al, trs to George E. Haskins.
George E. Haskins to William A. Cochran.
Carl T. Ahlstrom est. to Calvin S. Tilden, $1600.
Calvin S. Tilden to George S. Littlefield.
Mary Malone to Sarah A. Malone.

—Edward H. Harriman, the new president of the Union Pacific R. R., will draw an annual salary of $50,000, a sum equal to the stippend given the President of the United States. There are few careers which open so alluring vistas to ambitious young men as that of railroading.—Barre Telegram.

THE UNITY CLUB.

Interesting Talks on the Art of Japan.

The audience that was present at the Unity Club last evening seemed to appreciate the excellent program. Although their was an absence of gas light as has been the case for the past three meetings of the club, yet it wasn't long before lamps were procured and the meeting called to order by President Curtis. The Secretary's report was read and accepted

Miss Elizabeth Thayer, who had the program in charge, introduced as the first essayist, Mrs. George G. Saville of Quincy, who gave an interesting paper on "Hokusai" She began with the history of Japanese Art up to the modern school.

She then followed with the life and career of Hokusai, the most famous of Japanese painters (from the American standpoint.) Professor Morse accords him the highest rank. His career was a remarkkale one, for he lived to be ninety years and he worked from six to eighty-six years.

Mr. Funihashi was next introduced, who kept his listeners interested in his descriptions of "Art" and "Pottery" in Japan. He spoke of the highest art in Japan according to their ideals, and had on exhibition a chart and samples of the different schools of art, begining with the religious period at Kioto, which was then the centre of art: then to the feudal period and so on up to the modern period.

He said the chief characteristic of Japanese Art is not to be faithful to details and the only criticism made against Rosetti was that he resembled the Japanese in lack of detail. The Japanese feel that there must be personality as well as use in all art and that one must be subservient to the other in order to achieve great success.

Mr. Funikashi's descriptions of the potteries was interesting. He mentioned Tokio as the centre of decorations and designs, and told the difference between the real and imitations in pottery. He appeared to be thoroughly familiar with his subject, and spoke easily, giving his hearers a comprehensive idea of the art of Japan.

The club was disappointed in not having its usual music but were entertained otherwise.

The meeting adjourned at 9.45 o'clock, with a good attendance for so unpleasant a night.

Choir Boys' Concert.

Tuesday evening, February 16th, the popular Choir Boys' concert, given by the choirs of St. Chrysostom's and Christ church will be given in Music hall, Quincy.

As this will be the fifth annual concert, Choirmaster Snyder is preparing an especially attractive and pleasing program. The boys are working and hoping for a big house, as they are desirous of going to one of the New Hampshire Lakes this summer for their outing.

They will be assisted by Mrs. Follett as the soprano soloist, little Miss Alice Eldredge as the piano soloist, who has been receiving special coaching from the famous young pianist Harold Bauer, during his winter's sojourn in Boston, and they expect the assistance of Quincy's popular young woman composer Mrs. Edith Rowena Noyes Porter as accompanist as well as that of a first class reader and a very fine bass singer.

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you, in 6 to 14 days. 50 cents.

The days have increased thirty minutes, mostly in the afternoon.

A Severe Case.

Kid—Heavings! Why, you've got the mumps worse than I have!—New York American.

YOUR PERSONAL APPEARANCE

depends upon the condition of your face. What a satisfaction in the morning to know that you have a clean shave. You can shave yourself quickly and with comfort if you use "EASY-SHAVE," the new lather. Try it today. At Druggists, 15c.

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
Tuner in Quincy 25 y.

Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession. Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.

Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marten's store.

Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence.

AT THE SHIPYARD.

Anonymous Writer Shows That a Feeling Exists.

Generally, the Daily Ledger does not pay any attention to anonymous letters, but perhaps the writer of the following may know something about the shooting of Mr. Pote at the shipyard. It certainly shows that a feeling exists.

QUINCY, MASS., Jan. 23, 1904.

MR. EDITOR:

In regard to the item that was in your paper last night about Mr. W. S. Pote, we wish to call your attention that Mr. Pote has misrepresented things. The wages have been $3 a day right along. He wanted to reduce the wages. Mr. Pote brought me here at the rate of $2.50. When they came here and found out that the wages were $3 per day they would not under those conditions start to work for him, but returned to Philadelphia.

I hope this short note will receive your kind consideration. A CITIZEN,

And a daily reader of your paper.

Mrs. Lucy J. Rodgers.

Mrs. Lucy J. Rodgers, who died in Buffalo, N. Y., on Monday, resided for many years in West Quincy, and probably is remembered by many of the older citizens of that village. She lived to the good old age of 85, and has resided during her declining years with her son, Charles H. Rodgers, a prominent citizen of Buffalo. She also leaves one daughter, Mrs. Henry C. Rodgers who is well known in this city. The funeral services were held in Buffalo, and her remains were brought to this city and placed in the receiving tomb at Mount Wollaston cemetery. The family has a private lot in these beautiful grounds.

Y. M. C. A. Directors.

The monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A., will be held next Tuesday evening, Jan. 26, at 7.45. At the December meeting it was voted to change the time of the regular meeting from the first Monday to the fourth Tuesday in the month. Some very important matters will be discussed at this meeting. The directors have every reason to be encouraged with prospects of building in the spring. The community is interested in giving to its young men a suitable equipment as is attested by gifts and words of sympathy on every hand.

Mrs. Lovilla Johnson Plaisted.

Mrs. Lovilla E. Plaisted who died at Concord, N. H., on Jan. 6th, aged seventy-five years, will be remembered by many of the older Quincy residents as she lived in Quincy for twenty years. Her maiden name was Woodman and in 1847 she married Joseph G. Johnson and they made Quincy their home until 1867 when they moved to Concord. Her second husband died about a year ago. Soon after his death Mrs. Plaisted was stricken with a fatal disease and she endured much pain and suffering which she bore with great resignation.

Presentation.

At the meeting of Pride of Granite Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Ladies, Manchester Unity, held Monday evening at Farnum's Hall, West Quincy the physician of the lodge, Dr. John H. Ash, was presented with a handsome solid oak rocker as a token of the high esteem in which he is held by the members of this branch of the order.

The presentation speech was made by Caroline Bowton, P. N. G., to which Dr. Ash responded in a few well chosen and fitting remarks in acknowledgment of the appreciation of his efforts in behalf of the order.

Dr. Ash, who is fast building up an extended practice, is very popular among the members of the many societies in which he is interested as medical adviser.

Revival Meetings.

The all-day conference yesterday at United Presbyterian church was fully carried out and was most interesting and helpful, some remaining for six hours during the entire conference without anything to eat.

The attendance was very good, considering the weather, but the addresses were worthy of a much larger hearing. It seems to be the forerunner of greater blessings. And so the meetings will be continued next week. It is hoped that the public will come and get a blessing. These services ought to be enjoyed by hundreds and all are welcome.

A very impressive meeting was also held at the church last evening.

TODAY'S COURT.

John H. Geeson of Quincy and Paul J. Dudley of Milton were arraigned upon two complaints each for selling renovated butter not properly marked. They were each fined $25 upon one complaint, the second complaint being placed on file.

—There is general approval among travelling people of the recommendation in the annual report or the Massachusetts railroad commissioners, "that steps be taken at once to build a temporary connection" between the elevated railway station at Causeway street and the North Union station.

CITY BREVITIES.

Clear and cold weather is predicted.

The Registrars of Voters met last evening to revise the jury list.

Rev. Edward Norton preaches on Sunday morning at the First Congregational church, Randolph.

A winter like this would not be complete without sleet; there was a thick coat on the snow this morning.

Rev. F. W. Pratt of the Wollaston Unitarian church will speak Sunday morning on "The mystery of human life."

Miss Jennie N. Whitcher returned to her duties as a teacher at the Coddington school this week, after a few weeks illness.

Edward Southworth has been appointed executor of the will of Abigail H. Hill who died recently in this city; bond $13,000.

Then will be a meeting of the Fragment Society with Mrs. Edward B. Marsh, Irving place, on Wednesday, Jan. 27, at two o'clock.

Rev. Edwin N. Hardy of Bethany church preached on Thursday evening at the special service at the Pilgrim church, North Weymouth.

The Rt. Rev. Lemuel H. Wells of the diocese of Spokane, State of Washington, will speak at the seven o'clock service at Christ church Sunday evening.

The walking last evening was something frightful, especially on the brick sidewalks that had been cleared of snow. The fine rain had made them one glare of ice.

Please don't send news to the Daily Ledger written on both sides of the paper, and don't crowd the sheet. There should be a blank space of an inch at the top of each page.

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret W. Kerrigan was held this morning from the Sacred Heart church, Atlantic. Requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. John P. Cuffe. The burial was at Mt. Calvary.

The members of the Quincy W. C. T. U. have been invited to meet with the Wollaston W. C. T. U. next Tuesday at 3 P. M. at the residence of Mrs. Brown No. 263 Farrington street.

Arthur Lewis, an employe of the firm of L. M. Pratt & Son was held up in Boston Thursday afternoon on Kneeland street, and relieved of about $10 in money. Fortunately his watch was not taken.

Agents from the State dairy bureau have been making a round of the stores in Quincy and neighboring towns and storekeepers who sold renovated butter not so marked have been subjected to fines of $25 in court.

Charles W. Hinckley, the president of the Federation, will read a paper at the Young People's Religious Union meeting at the Wollaston Unitarian church Sunday evening on "The Boston Federation and its objects."

The annual meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian church will be held Monday evening. Supper will be served at 6.30. The business meeting will be held at 7.45, the first business coming before the meeting, being the voting in of new members, who will then be able to participate in all that follows. Reports will be listened to and officers elected for the coming year.

Father Field will preach at St. Chrysostoms church, Sunday afternoon. He has become well kuown in the church through his successful work among the colored people at the West and South Ends of Boston. The church Militant, the Diocesan paper, devotes a large part of the December number to a description of the various sides of this work. The people should improve this opportunity of hearing him.

Marie Grosse the celebrated tambourine artist has been secured for Mrs. Stetson's Hurdy-Gurdy party on February fifth.

Peptiron Pills

(Chocolate-coated)

Are an easily assimilated and remarkably effective and agreeable combination of pepsin, iron, celery, and other great tonics, nervines and nutrients.

Peptiron Pills

(Chocolate-coated)

Nourish, strengthen and quiet the whole nervous system, aid digestion and assimilation, give color, flesh and vigor, curing nervousness, nervous dyspepsia, anemia, neuralgia and sleeplessness.

Peptiron Pills

(Chocolate-coated)

Are a blessing to delicate women, worn-out mothers, tired housewives, overtasked school boys and girls, overworked business and professional men, and to the aged and infirm.

Peptiron Pills

(Chocolate-coated)

Are pleasant to take. Price, 50c. or $1.
C. I. HOOD CO., Lowell, Mass.
Selling Agent in Quincy:
E. J. Murphy, 1657 Hancock St.

JANUARY
MARK DOWN
PARLOR STOVES and BLANKETS.

Nearly three months more of cold weather. The greatest opportunity ever offered to buy

PARLOR STOVES, WINTER BLANKETS OR COMFORTERS.

We have cut the price of our Parlor Stoves 1-4 to 1-3 from regular prices. The same saving on comforters and blankets, making prices less than the goods cost to make.

PARLOR STOVES, $3.25 and up.
BLANKETS, 45c. and up.
COMFORTERS, 75c. and up.

Prices here on House Furnishings are lower than in any other store.

Cash or Credit. Green Trading Stamps.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store,
Hancock Street, Quincy.
We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

CONFERENCE

Shows Atlantic M. E. Church to be Prospering.

One year ago Rev. B. D. Beck became pastor of this church and his year's work has been most gratifying. During the year he has received into the church on probation 32, and 18 in full connection. The church has twice increased his salary and $300 has also been raised towards the church debt thus reducing it to $1600.

During the revival services held the first of the month some 215 or more expressed a desire to begin a new life eleven of whom were received on probation last Sunday and more are soon to follow.

Rev. W. T. Perrin, D. D., the presiding elder held the quarterly conference Sunday evening and elected the following officials for the current year.

Trustees,—Herbert O. Cassidy, John Ramsdell, J. A. Zwecker, John C. Ward, Everett A. Barber, C. F. Letteney, Louis Crosscup, John F. Sutherberg and George K. Tudhope.

Stewards,—Herbert O. Cassidy, John Ramsdell, Mrs. James Burr, Miss Mabel Burr, Miss Mattie Dutton, John Chase, John C. Ward, Elliott L. Greene, John F. Sutherberg, Louis Crosscup and Mrs. Everett A. Barber.

The other officials previously elected are: Louis Crosscup Superintendent of the Sunday school; John Ramsdell president of the Epworth league, and Miss Edith Greenwood superintendant of the Junior league.

It was a unanimous vote that Mr. Beck should be returned for another year and he consented to do so at least until fall.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

How to Make a Campfire.

An absurd and reprehensibly destructive practice is the building of fires beneath a tree "in order to get the draft." The fools that do this kill great trees for nothing but a campfire. There is no sense in that wretched practice. A fire for camp cooking should be built in the open, and nothing is easier. A bare rock is the best place, and if you are to cook by it put up a barrier of loose stones just extensive enough to make a fire as large as a kitchen stove would hold, put a flat stone over these walls, and you will have all you want. You can fry bacon and your corn cakes and boil your coffee on that stone. This is as good for winter as for summer. And if you want a hot old campfire clear a place of all combustibles and begin small, gradually adding a stick or two, and the heat beneath will soon grow so strong that you can keep it up for as many hours as you please. But be sure that you let it get down to the ashes before you leave. Nobody knows what may happen after you leave a blazing fire.—Springfield Republican.

Shorthand and Mental Discipline.

The mental discipline which may be derived from the practice of stenography is permanent. Speed may be lost, word signs may slip away, but the power of concentrating the attention persists. Nor is the increased power of analysis confined to the analysis of spoken words. It is brought into play in all kinds of mental work. Possibly the truth may be that only persons with minds naturally analytic can become expert stenographers and that the faculty is a cause rather than an effect of such proficiency. However that may be, the man who has a mind of that sort can select a topic at random, analyze it rapidly into its natural subdivisions and make a speech or write an essay on it while the other men would be groping around for an introduction. The value of this sort of discipline to a lawyer or preacher or writer is obvious. Mathematics is the only study that can be compared to a scientific system of shorthand for the development of analytical powers.—The World Today.

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER,
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.
OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday. Jan. 31. tf

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

JANUARY
MARK DOWN SALE
—OF—
COATS.

New up-to-date Coats
Were $7.98, now **$5.00.**
Were $7.98, now **$6.98.**

We have only 2 Zibeline Coats left.
Prices, $17.98 and $25.00.
Choice now, **$12.98.**
Every Coat in the store Marked Down.

D.E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

You can buy THURSDAY at
PRATT'S
2 lbs. Good Steak, 25 cents
Smoked Shoulders, 8 cts. pound
L. M. PRATT & SON.

DANCING.
COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.
BASKET BALL
AND DANCING
THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all ormer pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For further particulars apply to ELMER W BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

BLANKETS.

more of cold weather.
ver offered to buy

TS OR COMFORTERS.

Parlor Stoves 1-4 to 1-3
ring on comforters and
e goods cost to make.

up.
and up.
TERS, 75c. and up.
ngs are lower than in

en Trading Stamps.

DE & CO.
Furniture Store,
Quincy.
Saturday Evenings.

WIS N. CURTIS,
NTER, GLAZIER,
ADED STAINED GLASS.
ator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
rd Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

LAYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
755 Hancock St., Quincy.
Hours: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5
7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
tf

SHIRT WAIST STORE.

JANUARY
RK DOWN SALE
— OF —
COATS.

w up-to-date Coats
e $7.98, now $5.00.
e $7.98, now $6.98.

ve only 2 Zibeline Coats left.
rices, $17.98 and $25.00.
ce now, $12.98.
Every Coat in the store
Marked Down.

Wadsworth & Co.

SHIRT WAIST STORE.

an buy THURSDAY at
PRATT'S

od Steak, 25 cents
houlders, 8 cts. pound
. PRATT & SON.

NCING.
SEUM HALL, QUINCY.

SKET BALL
ND DANCING
RSDAY EVENINGS.

ildren, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
very Saturday night.
dults Tuesday Evenings.

Lessons or Classes
d by Appointment.

TERMS.

Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2.
ts, good for all Public Classes and
Nights and Annual Events from
to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies
$5. A discount of 50 cents to all
and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

Wilson will furnish music for all of
nd Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of
play at the Saturday Night assem
ll large parties.

HALL.

the largest in this vicinity and is
balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will
Shaw, the former occupant, in his
store in City Square, with a full
Household Furnishings.
r particulars apply to ELMER W
cher of Ball Room Dancing, Coli-
, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

Secret of English Ladies' Complexion

Year in and year out English families keep Beecham's Pills on hand for minor ailments, which are consequently checked in time to prevent severe illness. Women have peculiar weaknesses and ailments, and English women find Beecham's Pills combat and correct their troubles as nothing else will do. The secret is that Beecham's Pills keep their entire system in perfect working order and give nature the slight help needed.

Beecham's Pills

do the same for thousands of American women and are fast becoming as popular here. Health, strength and beauty follow Beecham's Pills whenever they are used. Happiness and comfort are within the reach of all. See special instructions with each box.

Sold Everywhere in Boxes, 10c. and 25c.

Head-Ease

I want every man and woman in Quincy who may be subject to Headache to call at my store and get a Free Sample of the above

For

the purpose of trying it and being convinced of what I claim, viz.: that they are an infallible cure for

Headache

CHAS. C. HEARN,
DRUGGIST,
1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

THE VERY BEST
VERMONT BUTTER,

25 cts. per lb. 5 lb. box $1.25.
BEST ELGIN BUTTER, 23 cts. per lb.
5 lb. box, $1.10.

Meadowbrook Creamery,
1399 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass.

SAVE THIS COUPON . . DAILY LEDGER PREMIUM.
SOLID GOLD FOUNTAIN PEN.

For TWO of these coupons and SIXTY-NINE CENTS we will furnish for a time LEDGER readers with a SOLID GOLD, fully warranted Fountain Pen, Polished barrel, rubber cap screw section, beautiful delivery, worth $2. Satisfaction guaranteed.
Present coupons at McCONNELL'S FRUIT STORE, 1414 Hancock St. Quincy, or
Hiram A. Hayden, Agent, 118 Washington St., Quincy.
Mail Orders Promptly Attended to. We Pay Postage.

GET YOUR

Job Printing

AT THE PATRIOT OFFICE,

Where it will be done Promptly and
At Reasonable Prices.

You Had Better Write Down

TELEPHONE No. 114-4.

AND CALL UP

The Hancock Fish Market,

Formerly C. H. BROOK'S Market,

Cor. Saville and Hancock Streets.

Everything of the **Very Best.** Fish orders taken and delivered by the

CONSOLIDATED
GROCERY & PROVISION CO.,

PROPRIETORS,
Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

DELIGHTFUL TALK.

Mrs. Eugenia Jones-Bacon Tells of the Real Stone Face.

A delightful talk was given at "The Manchester," Quincy Mansion school Thursday before the pupils and friends of Dr. and Mrs. Willard by Mrs. Eugenia Jones-Bacon, of Atlanta, Georgia, upon the story of the "Real Stone Face.

While on a visit to Oberammergau to witness the passion play in 1880, Mrs. Bacon gathered from the mountain Koptel two specimens of the mineralogical formation of the country. One small fragment from the Bavarian mountain is an inch long and three quarters wide, and is composed of chert and limestone.

It has no lines of color, nor markings of any kind, but is of a rugged nature. The excrescence, however, cast shadows when in a certain angle with the light so as to delineate features which we associate with those of Christ.

Nature herself has so fashioned it that the face flashed out in all the vivid exquisiteness of the famous painting of the face of Christ made familiar by the old masters. No Kooh-i-noor from India or Ruby from Burmah equals the power possessed by this piece of limestone.

In April, 1894, by command of her Majesty, the Queen, Mrs. Bacon took the curio to the Royal Palace in Rome.

In June 1901, by Royal request, it was also submitted to their majesties King Edward VII and Queen Alexandria.

The little stone was blessed by His Holiness, Pope Leo XIII.

The clergy, savants, geologists and scientists of the entire world agree that it is the most remarkable natural curiosity. The Rev. Canon R. Duckworth of Westminster Abbey, says:—"No cameo engraved by the best of artists could have presented a more impressive picture of the sacred heart."

Mrs. Bacon had the stone in exhibition during her talk.

The Philergians.

Jan. 19th The Philergians met with Mrs. C. F. Hill Crathern, South Braintree. An interesting letter was read from Mary Putnam Gridly, chairman Library Extension South Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs, thanking The Philergians for the gift of a library, which was received in Greenville, S. C. at Christmas. Articles of interest, describing the condition and needs of the Tennessee mountaineers, were read and The Philergians uniting with other Massachusetts Women's clubs, will contribute toward the work of sending teachers to that locality.

A short sketch of the life of Richard Brinsley Sheridan was read by Mrs. Carolyn Bill, followed by reading of "The Rivals," by club members, Mrs. Albert E. Avery reading the part of Sir Anthony Absolute; Mrs. T. R. Newell, Capt. Jack Absolute; Mrs. R. E. Morrison, Mrs. Malaprop; Miss Margery White, Bob Acres; Mrs. W. H. Reynolds, Lydia Languish; Mrs. Carolyn Bill, Sir Lucius O'Trigger; the remaining parts by Mrs. O. W. Allen, Mrs. E. W. Colton, Mrs. W. E. Harding, Mrs. Laurens Maynard, Mrs. C. S. Bates.

Refreshments and a social closed a pleasant and entertaining afternoon.

Vacancies at the Greenleaf.

The republican town committee of Weymouth has organized for the year: Gordon Willis, chairman; George L. Barnes, secretary; Russell B. Worcester treasurer.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

SOCIAL REALM.

(Continued from Page 1.)

Cards have been received announcing the marriage of Mr. Harry Hall Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Rogers formerly of this city and Miss Lillian May Magoon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Magoon of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers are at home to friends at 959 Park avenue, Chicago.

* * *

The Chromatic club of Boston has invited friends to subscribe to two concerts to be given by them in Chipman hall, for the benefit of the Music Students fund. The first one will be on Wednesday evening, January twenty-seventh. Mrs. Edith Noyes Porter and her protege Miss Alice Eldridge are to take part.

* * *

Miss Edith Coyle, formerly of South Quincy, but now of Norfolk Downs, has been appointed a teacher at Royalston.

* * *

Miss Ella M. Freeman has been in New York this week.

* * *

An interesting meeting of the Women's Alliance is promised for next Monday afternoon in First Church chapel, when the study of the women of the Bible will be continued by papers on Leah and Rachel. Mrs. Arthur E. Sproul is the committee for the afternoon.

* * *

Tickets are out for a Hurdy-Gurdy party at Faxon hall, on Friday evening, February fifth, in aid of the organ fund of First church. Mrs. James H. Stetson who is always active in social affairs of the church is getting up the dance which is sure to be a success under her leadership.

* * *

Miss Morrison is chairman of the Study club at its next meeting on Tuesday evening at Christ church rectory. The study of the book of Esther is to be continued by papers on authorship, date and time, moral and religous value.

* * *

The Junior Friday club will be entertained on Monday afternoon at the home of Miss Alice Keith Prescott, Spear street. Mrs. Charles A. Price is chairman for the afternoon and the subject of papers is the "First year of the Revolutionary War, 1775.

* * *

Mrs. Marie Moore of Newton gave a talk on London on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Theodore Hardwick, Chestnut street; the fifth in her series of travel talks. The last one will be on Stratford-on-Avon, Canterbury and Chester; all interesting English towns.

* * *

"Pit" parties are becoming quite the rage in Quincy.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Morton of Spear street entertain their whist club next Wednesday evening.

* * *

A very pretty home wedding was observed Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Luther, Weymouth, when their son Wallace C. was united in marriage to Miss Sadie L. Bunker of Middle street, Braintree, Rev. F. R. Griffin officiating. Fred Drown of Weymouth was best man and Miss Elsie Bunker, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. The groom received from his shop mates at the Fore River Co. a costly set of dining room furniture, and the bride was showered with numerous gifts.

* * *

The second dance in the First Church Social club course will be held next week Friday evening at Faxon hall at half after seven o'clock.

* * *

Many Quincy people are looking forward with much pleasure to the annual ball and banquet of the Cochato club, Braintree, which is to be on Tuesday evening of next week at the club house.

* * *

On Thursday evening in response to an invitation from Mrs. Abrams of hotel Greenleaf, the guests of the hotel assembled in the parlors. As a surprise and to add to the jollity the ladies came en masque. After a game of Progressive Hearts, refreshments were served. Then Priscilla, the Illustrated Press, Dolly Varden and others mingled with beautiful Grecian maidens, while Kate Greenaway and the Flower Girl walked hand in hand with Maraquita the gay Spanish senorita. The treat of the evening was the reading of "A Race for a Life" by Mrs. L. D. H. Fuller of South Framingham, who with Dr. Fuller, is visiting at the Greenleaf. In response to an encore Mrs. Fuller gave James Whitcomb Riley's, "An Old Sweetheart of Mine." Music dancing and mirth reigned supreme until a late hour and the occasion will be remembered as one of the most delightful of the winter social life at The Greenleaf.

TRIMMINGS AND MATERIALS

Horizontal Tuckings and Pipings. Crushed Plush In Moleskin Shades.

Trimmings and tuckings have grown horizontal instead of vertical on gowns. The most fashionable skirt of the moment is made full around the waist line, and it begins to be trimmed at the knees with wide entredeux of lace sometimes edged with fur and wide tucks.

The full skirt and the round bertha, together with the decolletage drooping off the shoulders, are reminiscent of the early Victorian period. The shawl is to be revived, experts say, but just now it takes the form of graceful cape effects trimmed with fringe, and these are seen even in fur, notably ermine trim-

GRAY CLOTH DRESS.

med with black and white chenille fringe or, better still, a fringe made of the tails.

Velvet gowns are the thing for evening and afternoon wear. They are made quite plainly, with a touch of fine lace at the neck and at the big sleeve puffs.

Crushed plush in moleskin shades forms some of the smartest costumes. These are made quite simply, with a little, loose hanging coat having wide sleeve ruffles of yellow lace. Sometimes a coat of this description is worn with a skirt of gray cloth similar in shade. The picture shows a gray cloth gown trimmed with rosettes of gun metal velvet and rows of dyed lace. There is a cape effect bordered with fur. With this is worn a picture hat of black velvet.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

FASHIONABLE COLORS.

Purple From Deep to Pale Tones All the Rage—Kid Trimmings.

There is a great vogue of purple now, from the pale shades to the deepest tones of violet, in cloth or velvet for street wear. Pale heliotrope crepe de chine is one of the dressiest costumes a woman can have, and this should be trimmed with chiffon and touches of embroidery.

There are some new materials in cream and white. They have a very rough surface and are embroidered in spots, either blue or black.

Red cloth and velvet of all shades are still much seen, and this is trimmed with bands of fur and oriental embroideries.

Muffs and stoles are if anything increasing in size. They are certainly becoming more fantastic, for the muffs are shirred into jeweled buckles, and

PURPLE CLOTH COSTUME.

the stoles droop far over the shoulders and are trimmed with jeweled clasps, lace and even artificial flowers.

Ruchings are used on hats as well as gowns, and the favorites, made of satin, chiffon velvet and chiffon, ornament the brims of otherwise plain hat shapes.

Odd shapes in pale tinted felt are considered smarter than velvet in the millinery world. They are trimmed with shaded velvet bows or flowers.

Leather is used as a trimming on many of the smart walking suits. The kid and suede is of course very pliable and makes very smart belts of five folds held together by a jeweled buckle.

The illustration shows a deep purple cloth costume having a bolero trimmed with tails. The hat is of rough felt trimmed with a single large bird. The muff is of yellow lace and sable.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

WHY WINE FIRST TO HOST.

In America a Mere Formality, but In Italy a Real Necessity.

The wine was opened dextrously by the waiter, who before serving the guests poured a few drops into the host's glass.

"Why did this waiter give you a little wine before helping the rest of us?" asked a man of curious mind.

"Oh," said the host, "that's always done."

"I know it's always done. That does not answer my question, though. Here, waiter," the man persisted, "you tell me why when you open a bottle of wine you pour a few drops into the host's glass before serving the guests."

The waiter smiled and answered:

"It's a matter of form, sir; an old custom, a politeness. Its origin lies in the fact that after the removal of the cork there might be left in the neck of the bottle a little dust or a few specks of cork. The first drops poured out would in that event contain the dust or the cork, and thus the guest were he served first might get this refuse; hence the host is given the first drops.

"As a matter of fact, if you know how to open wine you have no difficulty in keeping the bottle's neck clean. The custom, therefore, is a formality in America. In Italy, though, it is a real necessity, for over there they pour a little oil in the necks of their bottles of native wine before corking on the ground that this makes the wine air tight. No doubt it does, but it also in some cases gives to the first glass from the bottle a decidedly oily flavor. Therefore the first glass the host gallantly takes."—Philadelphia Record.

HE WON THE AUDIENCE.

The Way Fred Douglass Got the Best of Captain Rynders.

The inexhaustible sense of humor in Frederick Douglass kept him clear of any sense of gloom, as was never better seen than on the once famous occasion when the notorious Isaiah Rynders of New York, at the head of a mob, had interrupted an antislavery meeting, captured the platform, placed himself in the chair and bidden the meeting proceed. Douglass was speaking and, nothing loath, made his speech only keener and keener for the interference, weaving around the would be chairman's head a wreath of delicate sarcasm which carried the audience with it, while the duller wits of the burly despot could hardly follow him. Knowing only in a general way that he was being dissected, Rynders at last exclaimed, "What you abolitionists want to do is to cut all our throats!" "Oh, no," replied Douglass in his most dulcet tones; "we would only cut your hair." And, bending over the shaggy and frowzy head of the Bowery tyrant, he gave a suggestive motion as of scissors to his thumb and forefinger with a professional politeness that instantly brought down the house, friend and foe, while Rynders quitted the chair in wrath and the meeting dissolved itself amid general laughter. It was a more cheerful conclusion perhaps than that stormier one—not unknown in reformatory conventions—with which Shakespeare so often ends his scenes, "Exeunt fighting."—Thomas Wentworth Higginson in Atlantic.

Which Is the Larger Income?

Here is an interesting problem in mathematics: Two clerks are engaged, one at a salary which begins at the rate of $100 a year, with a yearly rise of $20, and the other at a salary commencing at the same rate, but with a half yearly rise of $5. In each case payments are made half yearly. Which of them has the larger income?

Who is not tempted to say the former?

Yet the latter is the correct answer, for in the first year the first clerk receives $100, but the second clerk receives $50 and $55, which amounts to $105 in the year. The first clerk in the second year gets, to be sure, $120, but No. 2 gets $60 for the first half year and $65 for the second, or $125 in all.

Gin In England In the Old Days.

Before intoxicating liquor was made dear by taxes and its sale was regulated by licenses the use of it in England was astonishingly common. Not only were there in London 6,000 or 7,000 regular dramshops, but cheap gin was given by masters to their work people instead of wages, sold by barbers and tobacconists, hawked about the streets on barrows by men and women, openly exposed for sale on every market stall, forced on the maidservants and other purchasers at the chandler's shop, until, as one contemporary writer puts it, "one-half of the town seems set up to furnish poison to the other half."

In the Nursery.

"Mamma, why do landladies object to children?"

Mother—I'm sure I don't know. But go and see what baby is crying about and tell Johnny to stop throwing things at people in the street and make George and Kate cease fighting and tell Dick if he doesn't stop blowing that tin trumpet I'll take it away from him.—Tit-Bits.

Their Celebrations.

Hicks—Going to celebrate your wooden wedding, are you?

Wicks—Yes.

Hicks—Well, I guess I'll celebrate my wouldn't wedding. It was just five years ago that that girl from Chicago said she wouldn't marry me.—Somerville (Mass.) Journal.

Properly Diagnosed.

Lushman—I'm troubled with headaches in the morning. It may be on account of my eyes. Perhaps I need stronger glasses.

Dr. Shrude—No: I think you merely need weaker glasses and fewer at night.—Exchange.

FURY OF ELEMENTS

Lives and Property Suffer From Cyclone and Flood

ALABAMA TOWN RUINED

Thirty-Seven Persons Killed In Wind Storm Which Swept Moundsville--Floods In Pennsylvania Rivers Cause Alarm

Tuscaloosa, Ala., Jan. 23.--The most disastrous cyclone that ever swept over this section visited Moundsville, a town of 300 inhabitants, and as a result 37 persons were killed and more than 100 injured, and every business house in the town, with the exception of a small drug store, was completely destroyed.

The cyclone struck the town from the southwest. Its pathway was a quarter of a mile wide right through the town. By the force of the storm persons were blown hundreds of feet from their beds in the blackness of the night. Bedding, carpets and wearing apparel are scattered a distance of 10 miles throughout what was a forest, but which is now as clear as if it had been cut by the woodman's axe. Freight cars were torn to splinters, the trucks under them being hurled hundreds of feet.

The depot, hotel, warehouses, gins, 30 homes, and five storehouses, together with their stocks, were completely destroyed. Where they stood it is impossible to find even the pillars on which these structures rested.

Bales of cotton stored in warehouses were blown to atoms. The fragments of lint, together with the debris, lodging in the trees, made it appear as if that section had been visited by a snowstorm. Heavy iron safes were carried away by the storm, and the doors torn from their hinges.

A young clerk employed by W. P. Phifer, hearing the terrible roaring of the approaching cyclone, let himself down into a well in the centre of the store. He no sooner had found his place of safety when the store was completely demolished. Later he was drawn up uninjured.

DAMAGE BY FLOODS

Monongahela and Allegheny Rivers on the Rampage

Pittsburg, Jan. 23.--Lulled into a sense of security in the early evening by the rapidity with which the Allegheny was carrying the ice and water from the upper stream into the Ohio, Pittsburg went to sleep last night with the belief that the warning of danger from the rivers had been exaggerated, but a new danger has arisen. The Monongahela has broken loose. Huge masses of ice are choking the harbor. Both rivers are steadily rising, the Allegheny being already 3 feet higher than her consort stream, and as a consequence a dangerous ice gorge is now forming between the Wabash and Smithfield bridges, just above the confluence of the two rivers.

From all points the streams are still rising. The worst is to come and the flood will not have reached its height until late today. The poor in some of the lowlying sections of the two cities may be hemmed in their homes until late Sunday night.

Owing to the vigorous warning sent out in regard to the danger from the Allegheny, all of the coal barges and steamboats were sent into the Monongahela to gain the better protection of the pools and consequently stiller waters. Already a barge containing 40,000 bushels of coal has been sunk and the whole fleet, with nearly 275,000 bushels on board, is likely to go down. The ice is ramming it with terrific force and the steamboats and tugs are powerless now to go to the rescue if the fleet is torn from its moorings.

It is stated by a riverman that the losses by ice will amount to hundreds of thousands of dollars. This, coupled with the losses sustained by railroads, business houses, manufacturers, street car companies, government works and residents, will likely put the loss above the $1,000,000 mark.

Loss of $1,000,000 In Ohio

Cleveland, Jan. 23.—The flood situation in Cleveland and vicinity is brighter because of a fall in the temperature which will lessen the probability of a dangerous gorge about 10 miles up the Cuyahoga river breaking and letting loose a great mass of water held in check by it. The entire loss in Cleveland is estimated at $500,000, while that at Lorain is placed at the same amount.

Steamers Caught In Gorge

Lorain, O., Jan. 23.—The worst flood ever known in this section has wrought great damage to shipping along the Black river, resulting in damage to vessels and the washing away of the Nickle Plate railroad bridge. Steamer E. M. Peck broke her moorings and now lies in a big ice gorge at the mouth of the harbor. The fine new steamer Hendrick S. Holden, a dredge and several scows also lie in the gorge. The swift water has formed a new channel for the river and several scows have been swept into the lake. A number of fish tugs were badly broken up. Immense quantities of lumber is being swept into the lake.

Further Loss For Rebels

Montevideo, Jan. 23.—The government has received advices that General Saraiva, the revolutionary leader, has again been defeated near the Brazilian frontier by General Muniz. The revolutionists lost heavily.

IGNORANT OF LAWS

Managers of Iroquois Theatre Testify at Coroner's Inquest

Chicago, Jan. 23.—W. J. Davis and H. J. Powers, managers of the Iroquois theatre, made their appearance before the coroner's jury, but neither was disposed to accept any responsibility in connection with defective construction, faults of management, or neglect to provide proper fire protection.

Powers placed the responsibility for the management of the theatre upon Davis, who was the active manager, while he was but passive in the conduct of its affairs. The blame for the fire and the consequent loss of life he put upon employes, who, he said, did not perform their full duty."

When it came the turn for Davis to testify he refused to place the blame upon any particular person. Personally, he said, he knew nothing whatever of what the laws demanded in the construction of a theatre, although he had been managing theatres in Chicago for 20 years. He said he did not know whether there was fire protection in the theatre or not and that he had employes there in whom he had every confidence that they would do what was required of them.

No Interference With Funerals

St. Louis, Jan. 23.—Chief of Police Kiely had three officers of the Carriage Drivers' union taken to the four courts, where they were told that interference with funerals would not be permitted. He said that if necessary he would place policemen on the drivers' seats and detail others to carry caskets to the hearses. The strikers replied that they had not interfered with funerals and had no intention of doing so.

Hubbard Starved to Death

Quebec, Jan. 23.—Word was received here last night from Chateau bay, Labrador, that a courier had arrived there with the information that Leonidas Hubbard, Jr., of the exploring party sent out by Outing of New York, had died from starvation in the wilds of Labrador on Oct. 18. The remains are on their way to Quebec by dog train and are expected to reach Chateau bay sometime in March.

Receiver For Insurance Order

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 23.—A temporary receiver has been appointed by the supreme court for the Bankers' Union of the World, an insurance order, under an allegation that it is insolvent, that $30,000 due policy-holders remains unpaid and that the assets are only $2500. The company has been doing business in 25 states and has in force about $25,000,000 of insurance.

Morales' Presidency Recognized

San Domingo, Jan. 23.—United States Minister Powell has recognized the provisional government of General Morales as the de facto government of Santo Domingo, and he has informed the members of the diplomatic and consular corps to this end. The officers of the United States cruiser Columbia paid an official visit to the provisional president.

Pardon For Life Prisoner

Augusta, Me., Jan. 23.—The governor and council have pardoned Benjamin W. Chadbourne, who was sentenced to state prison for life in 1883 for the murder of Alvin Watson at Parkman. He has been in the prison hospital for some time with Bright's disease. His father, who was sentenced with him for the same crime, died in prison.

Statement Withdrawn

Washington, Jan. 23.—In the postal trial, after counsel for the defense briefly had touched on the statement that Machen, on a salary of $3500 a year, had managed to make $20,000 a year, Mr. Conrad withdrew his remark, saying that he would not convict the defendant on any statement that fell unguardedly from his lips.

Wright to Live In Worcester

Washington, Jan. 23.—Carroll D. Wright, commissioner of labor, announces that he intends to resign his present office by the end of 1904 and then to remove to Worcester, Mass. He was elected to the presidency of Clark college some time ago and he expects to reside there permanently.

Perished In the Wabash

Sullivan, Ind., Jan. 23.—Four people were drowned in the Wabash at Merm. A man, his wife and two children occupied a houseboat tied at Lindsay island. The breaking of the ice gorge near Terre Haute swept the boat away and nothing has been seen of it or the occupants.

Inmates Fled In a Hurry

Greenland, N. H., Jan. 23.—The old Penhallow house, built during the early part of the last century, was destroyed by an early morning fire. The house was occupied by W. T. Peterson, whose family escaped with what little clothing they could quickly gather up.

Wentworth Again In Custody

Portland, Me., Jan. 23.—Ernest Wentworth, who escaped from a police officer while under arrest, was recaptured in a pawn shop, where he was trying to sell a ticket punch. The boy is wanted for robbery at Newhall and at Westbrook.

Death In the Chair For Bonier

Buffalo, Jan. 23.—Charles Bonier, 75 years old, the murderer of Franz and Johanna Frehr, was sentenced to be electrocuted in the week beginning Feb. 29. A formal motion for a new trial was denied.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Sunday, Jan. 24.
Sun rises—7:06; sets—4:47.
Moon sets—11:40 p. m.
High water—3:30 a. m.; 3:45 p. m.
The weather will clear in New England and become fair and colder.

MODERN BUSINESS IS LIKE WARFARE.

And Although
The Sinews
Are of a
Peaceful Character

The Contest Depends
On Good Generalship,
Modern Weapons
And a Strategy

That Goes
Hand in Hand
With Constant
Vigilance.

ADVERTISING

Skilfully and
Rightly Directed

Always Taking Advantage
Of Changed Conditions

Is One of
The Modern Weapons

That Carry Within
The Elements of
Commercial Victory.

Such Advertising

Must Be Well Planned
Well Written
And Well Placed.

You Will Make No Mistake
When You Select

The Daily Ledger.

The Paper That Is Read
By Quincy People
And Brings Results.

Stories of Washington

Speaker Cannon and the Hat. Senator Quay and the Age of Discretion

Pleasing and Humorous Incidents at the White House and National Capitol

[Special Correspondence.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Speaker Cannon was lately the recipient of a somewhat mysterious package bearing the postmark of Manila, Luzon, P. I. It had lain with other official documents on Mr. Cannon's desk since last summer. During a lull in callers the other day the speaker was "ridding up" his desk and throwing away accumulated trash when the package was discovered. He was about to toss it into the waste-basket when Neil, his colored messenger, suggested that it might be something of value.

"WELL, THAT IS A PEACH!"

"Open the thing, then," said Mr. Cannon, and Neil gingerly untied the strings, while the speaker chewed the end of a cigar and looked on.

"Well, that is a peach, as my little granddaughter would say," remarked the speaker as out came a beautiful Manila hat. It was reversible, capable of being folded in any shape and weighed exactly one ounce. The speaker put it on and was delighted.

"Good notion to wear it uptown," he said, but in view of the vigorous breeze that was blowing over Capitol hill he concluded to wait for milder weather before airing his new headgear, of which he is very proud.

Senator Quay and a friend were recently discussing the doings of a gay youth with whose family both Mr. Quay and his friend are well acquainted. The friend was disposed to be severe in his criticism of the youngster's conduct, but the senator smilingly remarked that, as the boy was all right at heart, it would be well to reserve judgment and give him a chance, and he added that he thought the lad would pull up when he reached the age of discretion.

"True," rejoined Mr. Quay's friend. "But what would you call the age of discretion?"

"As a rule," answered the senator, "I should say that a young fellow has reached the age of discretion when he removes from his walls the pictures of actresses and substitutes therefor a portrait of his wealthy bachelor uncle."

Representative Hull of Iowa was recently entertaining a constituent from Des Moines who was anxious to be introduced to Senator Hanna.

Mr. Hull called at the Arlington hotel and inquired for Mr. Hanna. He was told that the prominent Ohioan was in the barber shop. When Mr. Hull entered the shop with his friend he found

"SORRY TO BOTHER YOU, SENATOR."

the Ohio senator well lathered, and the barber was just beginning to shave him.

"Sorry to bother you, senator, but Mr. X. of Iowa, who isn't looking for any favors, wanted to shake hands with you," Mr. Hull remarked apologetically.

Senator Hanna motioned to the barber to stop. He threw the towels from about his neck and jumped to his feet without favoring his rheumatic ankle.

"Glad to know you, glad to know you!" the senator exclaimed as he grasped the Des Moines man's hand. "You're the only Iowan I ever saw who wasn't looking for office."

Representative Hunter of Kentucky, who was elected by a narrow margin, was discussing the case with some Republican members.

"It was a narrow squeak," he said. "The local courts enjoined me from having my name printed on the ballots, but with it all the voters wrote my name in, and I was elected."

"Huh!" said Colonel Ike Hill, who heard the conversation. "If anybody contested Hunter's seat it 'd be an easy matter to beat him. Any lawyer can take the census returns and show there ain't enough people in the district that can read and write to elect anybody to congress."

At the close of a cabinet meeting the other day a boy about ten years of age dashed into the executive office and rushed toward Arthur Simmons, the negro messenger.

"Throw up your hands!" shouted the youngster, leveling a toy pistol at the round and bald head of Simmons.

Four or five secret service men and two uniformed city policemen were in

ARCHIE ROOSEVELT AND THE REVOLVER.

the room, but they made no attempt to restrain the young desperado nor to check this flagrant display of negro intimidation within a few feet of the president of the United States.

The lad was attired in a sailor suit form and had a bluestocking cap drawn over his head and ears, which almost concealed his face.

When the pistol was placed in close proximity to his ebony nose Simmons obediently threw up his hands and patiently awaited the next move. He looked sufficiently scared to please the boy, who was Archie Roosevelt exhibiting one of his most cherished Christmas presents, a toy revolver.

Young Roosevelt, however, lost all interest in a toy that would not shoot when one of the policemen showed him the handle of a real seven chamber revolver, such as patrolmen carry.

"What would you do with one like that, Archie?" asked the policeman.

"I wouldn't do a thing but go round behind the house and shoot it, sure," exclaimed the boy.

By the way, Archie Roosevelt is a great friend of the White House police. One of them got into a little trouble recently over some slight neglect of duty and went to young Roosevelt about it.

"Archie," he said, "I want you to see what you can do to square this trouble for me."

"All right," answered Archie; "we'll see what can be done."

"Speak to your father for me," suggested the officer. "He'll fix it all right."

"That won't do," Archie objected. "We'll see what Lodge can do about it. He's the man to see."

Senator Spooner of Wisconsin was recently walking past a Washington theater where Amelia Bingham and her company were giving a production of "The Frisky Mrs. Johnson." Although the senator was not in evening dress, he hesitated before the handsome pictures displayed in the entrance to the theater and finally made his way into the lobby.

SENATOR SPOONER HESITATED.

"How much are the seats?" he asked as he went up to the ticket seller's window.

"Two dollars," the ticket seller replied.

"Your prices are too high," Senator Spooner protested, in an indifferent sort of a way.

"Miss Bingham wears a $6,000 gown," was the sarcastic reply.

The Badger State senator offered no further objection. The box office conception of art was too much for him.

FRANCIS M. ADAMS.

ashington

...sing and Humorous Incidents
...he White House and National
...pitol

...but with it all the voters wrote
...me in, and I was elected."
...h!" said Colonel Ike Hill, who
... the conversation. "If anybody
...ted Hunter's seat it 'd be an easy
...r to beat him. Any lawyer can
...he census returns and show there
...nough people in the district that
...d and write to elect anybody to
...s."

...he close of a cabinet meeting the
...day a boy about ten years of age
...l into the executive office and
...l toward Arthur Simmons, the
... messenger.
...ow up your hands!" shouted the
...ster, leveling a toy pistol at the
... and bald head of Simmons.
... or five secret service men and
...niformed city policemen were in

...E ROOSEVELT AND THE REVOLVER.

...om, but they made no attempt to
...m the young desperado nor to
... this flagrant display of negro in-
...ation within a few feet of the
...ent of the United States.
... lad was attired in a sailor uni-
...and had a bluestocking cap drawn
...his head and ears, which almost
...led his face.
...n the pistol was placed in close
...nity to his ebony nose Simmons
...ntly threw up his hands and pa-
... awaited the next move. He
... sufficiently scared to please the
...ho was Archie Roosevelt exhib-
...ne of his most cherished Christ-
...esents, a toy revolver.
...g Roosevelt, however, lost all
...t in a toy that would not shoot
...one of the policemen showed him
...ndle of a real seven chamber re-
... such as patrolmen carry.
...at would you do with one like
...Archie?" asked the policeman.
...ouldn't do a thing but go round
... the house and shoot it, sure,"
...ied the boy.

...he way, Archie Roosevelt is a
...friend of the White House po-
...One of them got into a little
... recently over some slight neg-
...duty and went to young Roose-
...out it.
...hie," he said, "I want you to see
...ou can do to square this trouble
..."
...ight," answered Archie; "we'll
...t can be done."
...k to your father for me," sug-
... the officer. "He'll fix it all

...t won't do," Archie objected.
...see what Lodge can do about it.
...e man to see."

...or Spooner of Wisconsin was
...walking past a Washington
... where
... Bing-
...nd her
...y were
... a pro-
... of "The
...y Mrs.
...n." Al-
... the sen-
...us not in
...r dress,
...tated be-
...he hand-
... pictures
...ed in the
...ce to the
...er and
... made
...ay into
...by.
... much
... seats?"
...ed as he
...p to the
...seller's

SENATOR SPOONER HESITATED.

... dollars," the ticket seller re-

...r prices are too high." Senator
...r protested, in an indifferent sort
...y.
... Bingham wears a $6,000
... was the sarcastic reply.
...Badger State senator offered no
... objection. The box office con-
...of art was too much for him.

FRANCIS M. ADAMS.

The Taffy Pull

Karo

The Great Spread — CORN SYRUP — *for Daily Bread.*

is far superior to any other syrup for making taffy or candy of any kind. Try the following recipe. It is convincing.

Pour a small tin of Karo Corn Syrup into a kettle holding four times the amount of syrup used and boil over a slow fire for half hour, stirring all the time to prevent boiling over and burning. When a little dropped in cold water becomes hard, snappy, add ½ of teaspoonful of carbonate of soda, stir quickly and thoroughly, then pour on greased platters. When cool enough to handle without burning the hands, pull. A little butter rubbed on the hands will keep it from sticking. The more it is pulled the whiter it becomes. Flavor to suit.

Karo Corn Syrup is *good* for all home uses from griddle cakes to candy. Sold in airtight, friction-top tins, 10c, 25c, 50c. All grocers.

CORN PRODUCTS CO.,
New York and Chicago.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in al. parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

NOVELETTES

Will be a Feature for Several Weeks

OF THE

SATURDAY EIGHT-PAGE LEDGER.

EVERY STORY

IS

COPYRIGHTED AND ILLUSTRATED

AND ARE BY

Distinguished Writers.

Some Are 6 and 7 Columns in Length.

HEALTH

In Childhood

means health in later years. As the child builds the adult shall be. Weakly, neglected children do not grow to vigorous man and womanhood. Childhood complaints yield easily to proper treatment—*but they do not correct themselves.* The weak stomach, pallid complexion, listless bearing, irritable temper, disturbed sleep, speak plainly of the ailments common to children, most of which have their origin in disordered stomach and bowels.

The greatest safeguard to children's health is

Dr. True's Elixir

For indigestion, irritability, constipation, poor appetite, peevishness, fevers, stomach and liver troubles, and worms it is unequaled. Parents of two generations have relied upon it. It restores sound, vigorous health when nothing else will. First it removes the cause, then aids nature to repair the damage; builds anew the waste, enriches the blood and sends a glow of health and vigor to every organ and tissue of the body. At all druggists, 35c. Write for free booklet: "Children and Their Diseases."

DR. J. F. TRUE & CO.,
Auburn, Maine.

MILITARY FORCE

President Questioned as to Its Use on Isthmus of Panama

THE GORMAN RESOLUTION

Senate Agrees to Inquire Into the Part the United States Has Played In Affairs of Colombia Since the Treaty of 1846

Washington, Jan. 23.—The senate adopted resolutions of inquiry concerning affairs in Panama, introduced on Jan. 5 by Mr. Gorman, and in addition listened to a speech on the Panama question by Mr. Dolliver and another on the subject of recess appointments to office by Mr. Tillman. Mr. Tillman's address had special reference to the nomination of Collector Crum of Charleston, but the fact that it also bore on the nomination of Brigadier General Wood added to its interest.

Following is the text of the Gorman resolution as adopted:

"Resolved, that the president be requested, if not in his judgment incompatible with the public interest, to inform the senate:

"First: The date when and the circumstances under which the United States used for the first time, and each succeeding time, a military force in the internal affairs of New Grenada, or Colombia, under the treaty of 1846; whether such use of military force was on the initiative of the United States or by the request of New Grenada or Colombia, or in consequence of any official representation of either; and also to transmit to the senate copies of the letters, or notes in the department of state, and of the orders by the navy department relating to such use of military force.

"Second: Also to inform the senate whether or not the United States has been asked by New Grenada or Colombia or any official representative of either to execute, by armed force, either the guaranty of the neutrality of the isthmus or of the sovereignty of New Grenada or Colombia over the same; and if the United States has been so asked, then the dates and circumstances thereon, and to send to the senate copies of the letters or notes, in each case, conveying the application and what was done thereunder by the United States.

"Third: And also to inform the senate in which, if any, of the disturbances on the isthmus of Panama referred to by the president in his last annual message, the United States employed a military force, solely on its own initiative and uninvited by the government owning the isthmus, and also to inform the senate of the circumstances in each case which required such use of military force and transmit copies of the orders issued by the navy department for such purpose.

"Fourth: And also that he will inform the senate of the dates when and the circumstances under which the United States has employed military force in the internal affairs of New Grenada or Colombia, on account of any revolt or rebellion or disturbance of the peace therein."

The senate adjourned until Monday.

House Seeks Information

Washington, Jan. 23.—The house devoted Friday to consideration of pension bills, passing 209. Resolutions calling on the secretary of war and the attorney general for information as to the number of horses and carriages maintained at government expense for officers of these respective departments were passed.

Made False Certificates

Trenton, Jan. 23.—Albert C. Twining, former president of the defunct First National bank of Asbury Park, was convicted on the charge of making false certificates to the comptroller of the currency as to the bank's condition. A number of other indictments are hanging over Twining. The minimum penalty for the charge of which he has been convicted is five years.

Washington Police Want Her

Boston, Jan. 23.—Mrs. Isabel M. Dewey, aged 27, fashionably dressed, was extradicted to Washington by action of the United States circuit court. She was arrested at the request of the federal authorities at the capital on the charge of obtaining goods under false pretences. Accompanied by a 1-year-old baby, Mrs. Dewey left last night for Washington in custody of a deputy marshal.

Nantucket Is Again Free

Nantucket, Mass., Jan. 23.—Softened and broken by a warm southeast rainstorm, the ice which has hemmed in the island for some days was swept out to sea. Nothing but clear water can now be seen north of the island. In the inner harbor the ice is very soft and can easily be broken.

Will Relieve Money Market

London, Jan. 23.—The government has decided to postpone indefinitely the issue of the first instalment, amounting to $50,000,000, of the Transvaal loan, totalling $150,000,000. The anticipated issue of this instalment has been seriously oppressing the market for some time past.

Hanna's Credentials Presented

Washington, Jan. 23.—Senator Forraker has presented the credentials of Senator Hanna for the term of six years, beginning March 4, 1905.

DEMANDS REJECTED

Thousands of Team Drivers at Boston May Go on Strike

Boston, Jan. 23.—The Master Teamsters' association last night rejected the demands of the team drivers for a new working agreement. As a result of this action it is said that unless some arrangement satisfactory to both employers and employes is made soon a strike of more than 6000 team drivers and helpers will follow.

For the past two years the team drivers and helpers have been working under an agreement which the association was willing to renew, but an agreement proposed by the men was positively rejected on the ground that it was unreasonable. The main points in the agreement rejected last night were as follows:

Eleven hours in 12 to constitute a working day, with one hour for dinner; all overtime to be paid for at 25 cents an hour except Sundays and legal holidays, paid for at double time; all outside helpers to receive 40 cents an hour, with time and a half for over time; regular helpers to have at least $14 a working week and laborers $12 a week. The most important change proposed was that the drivers of all single horses be paid $12 a week, the same as drivers of double teams. The present schedule is $11 a week.

Stamp Cases Settled

Boston, Jan. 23.—Special advices from Washington to The Transcript say that the records of the postoffice department show that a draft on Postmaster Cushing of Hingham was sent to the Boston postmaster on Dec. 28, which has not yet been paid, for $2704.35. The rules give him 15 days in which to pay it and then demand is made on his sureties. That, it is assumed, has been done. Fifteen days are allowed them. At the end of that time the postmaster at Boston is required to report. This period will not expire for several days. The other stamp cases have been settled. The postmaster at Waverley paid $2139.61, at Lexington $1776, at Medford $1275, to reimburse the department.

Firemen's Heroic Work

Chelsea, Mass., Jan. 23.—Three firemen dashed bravely into a burning tenement last night and carried out three children, the eldest 6 years and the youngest 15 months old. The youngest died in the arms of a fireman as he reached the street, but the other two will recover from the effects of the smoke. The mother, Mrs. Noftaine, had gone on an errand, leaving the children in the kitchen. It is believed that the children accidentally set the fire and ran upstairs to hide, as they were found there by the firemen.

Means Release of Vessels

New Haven, Jan. 23.—The rain and sleet storm which has had Connecticut in its grasp has played havoc with trolley cars, and telegraph and telephone wires throughout the state are in a crippled condition. Many country roads are blocked by falling trees. Provided there is not a decided drop in the mercury the towns along the coast will be benefited by the storm. Many vessels are frozen in the harbors along the coast, but the heavy and continued fall of rain will undoubtedly break up the ice and release the vessels.

Snowplow Wrecked Freight

Bowdoinham, Me., Jan. 23.—A heavy freight train plowing through blinding snow broke apart just east of the station here and a few minutes later a snowplow crashed into the rear section. Both the engineer and conductor escaped injury by jumping. When the trains came together the engine attached to the snowplow forced the caboose from the rails and piled a dozen freight cars in a splintered heap. Wreckers worked on the debris nearly six hours before the track finally was cleared.

Women Are Less Consumptive

Boston, Jan. 23.—At a meeting of the American Statistical association Dr. S. W. Abbott, secretary of the state board of health, declared that the greater decrease in consumption mortality in New England has been among females. The improvement among females, he said, has probably resulted from change of fashion and from the fact that they are out of doors more than they used to be.

Long Sentence For Small Theft

Boston, Jan. 23.—Martin Dunn and Edward Murphy, convicted of robbery, were sentenced to a term of not more than 15 nor less than 10 years in the state prison. In the robbery with which they were connected only a small sum of money was taken and there was no evidence that any violence had been committed, but they had previously committed offenses.

Exciting Midnight Blaze

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 23.—The upsetting of an oil stove in a tenement building on Charles street at midnight started a lively blaze. Mrs. Joshua Bennett was rescued from the third-story stairway by police officers. Mrs. Kate Lyons was awakened by the fire and made a dash through the blazing hallway, sustaining serious burns.

Body Found In Ruins

Stafford Springs, Conn., Jan. 23.—In the ruins of the Rockwell block workmen found the body of Michael McNamara, who had a room in the block. The body was so badly burned as to be almost unrecognizable. McNamara was 47 years old and unmarried.

Twenty Horses Burned to Death

Presque Isle, Me., Jan. 23.—Twenty horses were burned in a fire that destroyed Taylor's livery stable and a nearby dwelling house early this morning. The loss is about $7000.

The League of the Old Men . . .

(Continued from page 2.)

without honor and respect, jeering the old time customs and laughing in the faces of chief and shamans.

"As I say, we were become a weak breed, we Whitefish. We sold our warm skins and furs for tobacco and whisky and thin cotton things that left us shivering in the cold. And the coughing sickness came upon us, and men and women coughed and sweated through the long nights, and the hunters on trail spat blood upon the snow. And now one and now another bled swiftly from the mouth and died. And the women bore few children, and those they bore were weak and given to sickness. And other sicknesses came to us from the white men, the like of which we had never known and could not understand. Smallpox, likewise measles, have I heard these sicknesses named, and we died of them as die the salmon in the still eddies when in the fall their eggs are spawned and there is no longer need for them to live.

"And yet—and here be the strangeness of it—the white men come as the breath of death. All their ways lead to death. Their nostrils are filled with it, and yet they do not die. Theirs the whisky and tobacco and short haired dogs; theirs the many sicknesses, the smallpox and measles, the coughing and mouth bleeding; theirs the white skin and softness to the frost and storm, and theirs the pistols that shoot six times very swift and are worthless. And yet they grow fat on their many ills and prosper and lay a heavy hand over all the world and tread mightily upon its peoples. And their women, too, are soft as little babes, most breakable and never broken, the mothers of men. And out of all this softness and sickness and weakness come strength and power and authority. They be gods or devils, as the case may be. I do not know. What do I know, I, old Imber, of the Whitefish? Only do I know that they are past understanding, these white men, far wanderers and fighters over the earth that they be.

"As I say, the meat in the forest became less and less. It be true the white man's gun is most excellent and kills a long way off, but of what worth the gun when there is no meat to kill? When I was a boy on the Whitefish there was moose on every hill, and each year came the caribou uncountable, but now the hunter may take the trail ten days and not one moose gladden his eyes, while the caribou come no more at all. Small worth the gun, I say, killing a long way off when there be nothing to kill.

"And I, Imber, pondered upon these things, watching the while the Whitefish and the Pellys and all the tribes of the land perishing as perished the meat of the forest. Long I pondered. I talked with the shamans and the old men who were wise. I went apart that the sounds of the village might not disturb me, and I ate no meat so that my belly should not press upon me and make me slow of eye and ear. I sat long and sleepless in the forest, wide eyed for the sign, my ears patient and keen for the word that was to come. And I wandered alone in the blackness of night to the river bank, where was wind moaning and sobbing of water and where I sought wisdom from the ghosts of old shamans in the trees and dead and gone.

"And in the end, as in a vision, came to me the short haired and detestable dogs, and the way seemed plain. By the wisdom of Otsbaok, my father and a strong man, had the blood of our own wolf dogs been kept clean, wherefore had they remained warm of hide and strong in the harness. So I returned to my village and made oration to the men. 'This be a tribe, these white men,' I said, 'a very large tribe, and doubtless there is no longer meat in their land and they are come among us to make a new land for themselves. But they weaken us and we die. They are a very hungry folk. Already has our meat gone from us, and it were well, if we would live, that we deal by them as we have dealt by their dogs.'

"And further oration I made, counseling fight. And the men of the Whitefish listened, and some said one thing and some another, and some spoke of other and worthless things, and no man made brave talk of deeds of war. But while the young men were weak as water and afraid I watched that the old men sat silent and that in their eyes fire came and went. And later, when the village slept and no one knew, I drew the old men away into the forest and made more talk. And now we were agreed, and we remembered the good young days, and the free land, and the times of plenty, and the gladness and sunshine, and we called ourselves brothers and swore great secrecy and a mighty oath to cleanse the land of the evil breed that had come upon it. It be plain we were fools, but how were we to know, we old men of the Whitefish?

"And to hearten the others I did the first deed. I kept guard upon the Yukon till the first canoe came down. In it were two white men, and when I stood upright upon the bank and raised my hand they changed their course and drove in to me. And as the man in the bow lifted his head so, that he might know wherefore I wanted him, my arrow sang through the air straight to his throat, and he knew. The second man, who held paddle in the stern, had his rifle half to his shoulder when my spear smote him.

"'These be the first,' I said when the old men had gathered to me. 'Later we will bind together all the old men of all the tribes, and after that the young men who remain strong, and the work will become easy.'

"And then the two dead white men we cast into the river. And of the canoe, which was a very good canoe, we made a fire, and a fire also of the things within the canoe. But first we looked at the things, and they were pouches of leather, which we cut open with our knives. And inside these pouches were many papers, like that from which thou hast read, O Howkan, with markings on them which we marveled at and could not understand. Now I am become wise, and I know them for the speech of men as thou hast told me."

A whisper and buzz went around the court room when Howkan finished interpreting the affair of the canoe, and one man's voice spoke up: "That was the lost '91 mail—Jeter James and Delaney bringing it in and last spoken at Le Barge by Matthews going out." The clerk scratched steadily away, and another paragraph was added to the history of the north.

"There be little more," Imber went on slowly. "It be there on the paper the things we did. We were old men, and we did not understand. Even I, Imber, do not now understand. Secretly we slew and continued to slay, for with our years we were crafty, and we had learned the swiftness of going without haste. When white men came among us with black looks and rough words and took away six of the young men, with irons binding them helpless, we knew we must slay wider and farther. And one by one we old men departed up river and down to the unknown lands. It was a brave thing. Old we were and unafraid, but the fear of far places is a terrible fear to men who are old.

"So we slew, without haste and craftily. On the Chilcoot and in the delta we slew, from the passes to the sea, wherever the white men camped or broke their trails. It be true they died, but it was without worth. Ever did they come over the mountains, ever did they grow and grow, while we, being old, became less and less. I remember, by the Caribou crossing, the camp of a white man. He was a very little white man, and three of the old men came upon him in his sleep. And the next day I came upon the four of them. The white man alone still breathed, and there was breath in him to curse me once and well before he died.

"And so it went; now one old man and now another. Sometimes the word reached us long after of how they died, and sometimes it did not reach us. And the old men of the other tribes were weak and afraid and would not join with us. As I say, one by one, till I alone was left. I am Imber of the Whitefish people. My father was Otsbaok, a strong man. There are no Whitefish now. Of the old men I am the last. The young men and young women are gone away, some to live with the Pellys, some with the Salmons and more with the white men. I am very old and very tired, and, it being vain fighting the law, as thou sayest, Howkan, I am come seeking the law."

"O Imber, thou art indeed a fool!" said Howkan.

But Imber was dreaming. The square browed judge likewise dreamed, and all his race rose up before him in a mighty phantasmagoria—his steel shod, mail clad race, the lawgiver and world maker among the families of men. He saw it dawn red flickering across the dark forests and sullen seas; he saw it blaze, bloody and red, to full and triumphant noon, and down the shaded slope he saw the blood red sands dropping into night. And through it all he observed the law, pitiless and potent, ever unswerving and ever ordaining, greater than the motes of men who fulfilled it or were crushed by it, even as it was greater than he, his heart speaking for softness.

With the Mind's Eye.

A man blind from birth, speaking to a writer in London Answers of the mental pictures which unfortunates like himself have of external things, said:

"We get some idea of shape, more than we do of size. Of color we have an idea of black and white and of red, but I think few if any of us can comprehend any other hue. We picture the sun as an immense mass, with red rays shooting about it, and daylight as a million white shafts floating above the earth.

"A blind man's dreams are not like those of other people, but consist almost entirely of sensations of sound. He cannot dream of scenes and places, for he has never seen them.

"The sensation of sound and motion takes the place in the dreams of the blind of the objects which appear in the visions of the night to those who can see. I speak of those who have been blind always, for of course with those who once could see their dreams may be filled with visions of people and places which their waking eyes cannot now behold, but which may appear vividly in sleep. But one who has always been blind cannot dream of seeing."

CARD.

Mrs. F. H. Hewins,

—: Formerly in the :—

Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations

METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.

Offices:

128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.

Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903 tf

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EASTMILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

A Good Excuse.

Manager of the Crawlalong Railway Company—Late again, Jones!

Clerk—Can't help it, sir. I came by one of your company's trains.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	24	32	50	34	37
Monday,	16	30	19	37	45
Tuesday,	10	33	10	51	10
Wednesday,	26	42	25	48	22
Thursday,	34	39	45	32	45
Friday,	35	34	40	44	40
Saturday,	35	30	39	52	38

New Advertisements Today.

Choir Boys' Concert.
Meadowbrook Creamery—Vermont Butter.
John Mahon—Teacher of Piano.
To Let—Desirable Rooms.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Mrs. Charles A. Price of Whalley road has recovered from her recent illness.

The Old Colony Association of Universalists meets at South Weymouth, morning and afternoon, Jan. 27.

The next meeting of the Hospital Aid Association will be held Thursday, Jan. 28, at 2.30 P. M. at the home of Mrs. G. S. Keyes, 15 Alleyne terrace. A large attendance is desired.

The Ledger has received a lengthy letter from T. F. Merrill, complaining of the bowling alley near his residence at Quincy Point, and his inability to get redress from city officials.

Have you secured one of those fountain pens yet? If not, get one now, as this offer lasts for a short time only. They are beauties. Two Daily Ledger coupons, found in another column, and 69 cents gives you the pen.

Rev. and Mrs. Merrill C. Ward are moving this week, to Southbridge, Mass., to the Universalist parsonage on Hamilton street. Rev. Mr. Ward will preach his farewell sermon here Sunday at 2.30 P. M.

J. F. Sheppard & Sons have issued a very attractive calendar which pictures their extensive coal wharf. The clear half tone picture, reproduced from a photograph shows a barge at the wharf being unloaded by the labor saving steam scoop.

The regular meeting of the Wollaston W. C. T. U., will be held Tuesday, Jan. 26, at three P. M., with Mrs. Brown 263 Farrington street. Mrs. Brown will report doings of the late National Convention. Members of Quincy Union are invited to be guests.

The funeral on Thursday of Irene Ames, the beautiful child of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ames of Cross street, was largely attended. Rev. Edwin N. Hardy officiated and Mrs. A. G. Worster and Mrs. Emma S. Moore sang. Irene was a remarkably promising child and her sudden death is a loss to the happy home.

Prof. Frederic B. Jacobs will give three exhibits of Hypnotism at Faxon hall next week. Mr. Jacobs resides in Wollaston and as this is his first public appearance in Quincy the outcome is watched with a great deal of interest by his many friends. It is his intention to give interesting exhibitions and to explain fully just what hypnotism is.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

BRAINTREE.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Glover of Mayflower Park will remove to Framingham about Feb. 1, he having accepted a position as foreman of a large farm.

The Farmers' ball, under the auspices of the Braintree club, South Braintree, was held in the Town hall, Wednesday evening, January 20. A large number of the members and friends appeared as farmers and prizes were awarded to Miss Gertrude Maher of Braintree and Mr. H. A. Simonds of South Braintree.

Puritan lodge, I. O. O. F., held its regular meeting Tuesday evening. The first degree was worked on one candidate. Next week the second degree will be worked.

Imperial Herald George A. Howe of New Dorchester, installed the officers of Court Autumna No. 9, L. K. & L., Wednesday evening. January 20. The next meeting of the court will be held at the home of Mr. C. A. Hobart.

The many friends of Lewis Porter of Brockton were shocked to hear of his sudden death after a week's illness. Of the large Porter family one sister alone survives.

Mr. and Mrs. Margison and daughter Edna of Hyde Park, formerly of Braintree were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Spinney on Sunday.

The annual meeting of All Souls' church parish will be held in Cochato hall on Monday evening, January 25 at 7.30 o'clock, for the election of officers.

Leon Collins of Swanton, Vermont has secured a position in the electrical department at the Fore River Ship and Engine Co. and will make his home here for the present.

Mrs. George Hamblett returned Wednesday from the hospital in Boston, where she went two weeks ago for an operation and treatment.

Afternoon whist was enjoyed last Tuesday at the Cochato club. Eleven tables were occupied. Mrs. H. F. Kneeland, Mrs. W. E. Dow and Mrs. G. H. Arnold received souvenirs.

The teachers of All Souls' Sunday school met last Tuesday evening with Mrs. L. B. Porter. Assisted by their pastor, Rev. F. R. Griffin, they are studying the gospel of Mark.

Mr. H. F. Arnold entertained the Penniman School association last Wednesday evening in his usual hospitable manner.

The Jonas Perkins School Association were pleasantly entertained at their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Loring on Front street. The quotations of the evening were from Lord Chesterfield's sayings. Mrs. Ludden read a very interesting original paper on Women as trained nurses and physicians. At the close of the meeting the hostess served a dainty unch. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. C. O. Miller, Feb. 3. Quotations from Rev. Phillips Brooks.

Arthur Dean has resigned his position with the Jenkins M'f'g Co. and he and his wife are to return to their former home in Maine.

The funeral of Mrs. Caroline V. (Moulton) Hollis was held on Friday afternoon at two o'clock from the residence on Middle street, Rev. Samuel Morrison officiating.

Is it possible, considering how the coal has disappeared from your coal-bin, that you can't find a hod full of ashes to put on the icy sidewalk?

The Rev. C. F. Hill Crathern preached the annual sermon before the Helping Hand Society, in Park street church, Boston, last Tuesday evening. The Rev. Dr. Withrow, pastor of the church conducted the devotional service.

The King's Circle of Willing Workers met at the parsonage on Thursday afternoon and spent the hour in sewing and planning work for their forthcoming sale. Nearly all of the members were present.

The thank offering meeting of the Norfolk and Pilgrim branch, W. B. M. will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 26, at the Union church, South Weymouth. Session at 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. Mrs. E. D. Harding of Sholapur. India, will speak.

BORN.

WHITCOMB—In South Braintree, Jan. 13, a son to Percy A. and Elizabeth M. (Collins) Whitcomb of Central avenue.

PITTS—In Braintree, Jan. 15, a daughter to Augustus and Mary J. (Frazer) Pitts of Pleasant street.

MARRIED.

LUTHER—BUNKER—In Weymouth, Jan. 20, by Rev. F. R. Griffin, Mr. Wallace C. Luther of Weymouth and Miss Sarah L. Bunker of Braintree.

DIED.

PETTEE—In Charlestown, Jan. 22, Mrs Amanda M., widow of Dean H. Pettee, aged 70 years. Burial at Quincy on Sunday.

PLAISTED—In Concord, N. H., Jan. 6, Mrs. Lovilla E. Plaisted, formerly of Quincy, aged 75 years.

MURPHY—In Scituate, Jan. 21, Mr. Patrick Murphy, aged 84 years, 7 months, and Mary Kane Murphy, his wife, aged 78 years and 5 months.

The Late Mrs. Masson.

Mrs. Isabelle Masson, wife of John Masson of Franklin street, who died at her home on Friday morning, the 15th inst., was buried at Mount Wollsoton cemetery last Sunday afternoon. The Rev. Edwin Hardy of Bethany Congregational church conducted the funeral services at the house, after which the Loyal Ladies of Clan McGregor, of which Mrs. Masson was a member, took charge. They attended in a body at the grave and conducted the burial service of the order over their late sister.

The casket was surrounded with many flowers, beautiful tokens of kindly respect and friendship. Among the pieces were a beautiful pillow marked "Husband," a crescent from her children, a "Lyre," from Mr. and Mrs. F. Drake and Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Henry; a pillow from Loyal Ladies, a crescent from Mr. and Mrs. William Birnie, a wreath from Mr. and Mrs. P. Williams, a wreath from Mr. Masson's employees, a lyre from T. R. & S. Co., a wreath from Mr. Duncan, bouquets from Miss B. Smith, Miss E. McKay, Mr. and Mrs. William McIntosh, Mr and Mrs. A. McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. William Spargo and Miss B. Keely.

—Maori women of New Zealand know nothing about kissing. The Maori form of affectionate salutation is nose rubbing. When Maori meets Maori, they hold each other by the hands, bend their heads till noses touch, and then rub them gently from side to side. When the little blind god Love smites a Maori lad and lassie, they know not the delights of the smack. No. They bend forward gracefully, and rub; gently, with ecstacy. In times of lamentation the Maori women sit for hours with noses touching. In this position they will rend the air with moans and howlings over the death of a chief whom, in all probability they have never seen.—Boston Home Journal.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE.

On Monday evening next, January 25, Mary Mannering will begin a special engagement at the Hollis Street theatre, Boston, which is limited to one week only. Under the management of Frank McKee, Miss Mannering is presenting "Harriet's Honeymoon," a new modern comedy in three acts by Leo Ditrichstein. This comedy has scored a most positive success and comes direct from the Garrick Theatre, New York City, where it has been one of the hits of the season. The production is an elaborate one. The scene is placed in a mythical German watering place, and the comedy deals with the tribulations of a young American stock broker and his wife on their honeymoon trip, and who, having lost their letters of credit and money, find themselves penniless. The husband knowing that his wife is an excellent vocalist, proposes that she give a concert, hoping to realize sufficient money to take them to the nearest city where they can obtain funds. The wife consents; impersonating an Italian prima'donna, but by a strange fatality the Crown Prince of the principality is reported to have eloped with an Italian singer and the police have been notified. Mistaken identity gets the young Americans into all kinds of difficulties before matters are straightened out.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE

For next week's attraction at the Castle Sqare Theatre "Hoodman Blind" is announced, a play that has held favor with English and American audiences for nearly twenty years. It it the work of Henry Arthur Jones and Wilson Barrett, two experts, who in this play, gained a decree of success quite in keeping with their skill in dramatic construction. The story of "Hoodman Blind" is always interesting and in the development of their plot the authors have planned many striking contrasts with a constant succession of stirring scenes and incidents leading up to effective climaxes. Many strongly drawn characters are introduced and the action of the play affords splendid opportunities for clever work in the way of scenic and mechanical effects. The principal characters have been cast as follows: Jack Yeulett, Howell Hansell; Mark Lezzard, John Sainpolis; Mr. Kridge, John F. Webber; Ben Chibbles, Thomas MacLarnie; Jo Swirrup, Edward Wade; Tom Lattiker, Louis Theil; Mr. Frederick Lennon, William C. Mason; Noah Quadling, Lindsay Morison; Mad Willy, William J. Hassen; Nanee and Jess, Lillian Lawrence; Polly Swirrup, Mary Sanders; Granny Quadling, Mabel Colcord; Liz, Grace Olin; Kitty, Marion Priest. "Hoodman Blind" is announced for only a single week and the usual distribution of boxes of chocolate bonbons will be made at the Monday matinee.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

For the week of Jan. 25 the following entertainers have been engaged at Keith's: Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Crane, presenting a comedy sketch entitled "Am I Your Wife;" Chas. M. Ernest, popular blackface comedian and singer; Mary Desmond, vocal soloist; Reno and Smith, comedy acrobats; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Murphy, in the screamingly funny farce, "Why Doogan Swore off;" Dillon brothers, the noted parody singers who write their own songs; Adolph Zink, the lilliputian singing comedian, who fills in the time between his selections by exhibiting motion pictures showing how he makes his quick costume changes in his dressing room, and Howard's trained ponies and dogs, a most attractive act for the juveniles. Laura Millard, who will be pleasantly remembered as the prima donna of the Castle Square opera company, is underlined for the week of Feb. 1.

CARD OF THANKS.

To my friends and neighbors:

Please accept my sincere gratitude for the many attentions and kindness to me and my family in the hour of our late bereavement, the death of my wife.

JOHN MASSON.

Quincy, Jan. 22, 1904. 23-1t

CARD OF THANKS.

I take this opportunity to thank the Loyal Ladies of Clan McGregor for the prompt and kindly manner in which they fulfilled their duties and rendered to me much thoughtful attention and assistance at the death of my late wife. JOHN MASSON.

Quincy, Jan. 22, 1904.

SPENCER'S EAR PLUGS.

The Way the Great Philosopher Rid Himself of Small Talk.

"Years ago," says William H. Hudson in the North American Review, "Herbert Spencer found that the effect of following ordinary conversation became frequently too much for him. But he liked to have people about him to watch the play of expression on their faces, to feel that, though he could not himself share much in the merriment, he was, as it were, a part of the normal and healthy social world. For this reason he objected to withdrawal into solitude and evolved a plan by which he might secure the partial isolation which he required. He had a circular spring made to go round the back of his head, and this carried pads which fitted firmly upon the ears, effectively deadening the noise about him and reducing the surrounding chatter to a mere hum. I have often seen him, stretched at length upon his couch, follow with apparent interest the gossip over the afternoon tea cups up to a certain point and then, reaching under his pillow, draw forth and adjust his instrument, thus suddenly detaching himself from his environment. The effect of this movement with comparative strangers was always to cause an instant cessation of the conversation. But this was precisely what Spencer did not wish. 'Go on talking,' he would exclaim, with a quizzical look. 'I can't hear what you are saying, you know!'"

COSTLY LANTERNS.

The Fancy Lamps That Passenger Conductors Used to Carry.

Modern railroading has driven the passenger conductor's lantern almost out of use. Years ago the pride of a passenger conductor was his lantern. Then the cars were not so brilliantly illuminated as they are now, and the ticket taker was obliged to carry his light on his left arm in order to see the pasteboards as he passed through the dimly lighted car.

At one time the conductors indulged in considerable extravagance in the matter of lanterns. Some of them were gold and silver plated. The upper part of the glass globe was colored blue, and the name of the owner was cut in old English letters. At the meetings of the Conductors' association manufacturers would arrange a great display of costly lights at one of the hotels in the city in which the meeting would be held. Some of the conceits in the lights were unique, and the prices ranged from $25 to ten times that figure. The glass and plating were kept in a highly polished state, and none dared to meddle with this part of the ticket puncher's equipment.

Conductors still carry their own lanterns—that is, they are on the train ready for use—but there is nothing like the need of them that formerly existed. —Chicago Tribune.

SHELLFISH LANGUAGE.

Curious Clicking Sounds Heard on the Water at Night.

Most seamen will tell of curious clicking sounds heard on calm nights at sea, and the origin of the noise seems so altogether unaccountable that it has often created some alarm among superstitious fishermen.

A distinguished naturalist made a careful study of the sounds on many occasions and found that it was not a sustained note, but made up of a multitude of tiny ones, each clear and distinct in itself and ranging from a high treble down to a bass. When the ear was applied to the gunwale of the boat the sound grew more intense, and in some places as the boat moved on it could not be heard at all.

On other occasions the sounds resembled the tolling of bells, the booming of guns and the notes of an æolian harp.

For a long time he was unable to trace the cause, but at length discovered that the sounds were made by shellfish, hundreds of them opening their shells and closing them with sharp snaps. The noise, partly muffled by the water, sounded indescribably weird. He was finally led to the conclusion that as the shellfish made the sounds they probably had some meaning and that the clicks might possibly be a warning of danger when the shallow water was disturbed by the boat.

Girls Kept In Cages.

It is said that the people of New Britain have a peculiar custom of confining their girls in cages until they reach marriageable age. These cages are built of wood cut from the palm tree and are inside the rude houses. Outside each house is a fence of wickerwork made of reeds. The girls are caged at the age of two or three and are never allowed to go out of the house, yet they seem strong and healthy.

Where Three Is a Crowd.

Tom—I suppose you spent a pleasant evening with your best girl.

Dick—Pleasant? Huh! A fellow can't make love to his girl in a crowd.

Tom—Oh, was there a crowd there?

Dick—Yes, and the chump didn't have sense enough to realize that he wasn't wanted.—Chicago Tribune.

Perverse.

He—Won't you let me give you just one kiss before I go?

She—Will just one satisfy you?

He—Yes, darling.

She—Then I won't give it to you.—Standard.

One Sweetly Pleasant Thought.

Georgiana—We are not old.

Juliana—Oh, yes, we are, my dear.

Georgiana — Well, we are just as young as any girls of our age in town. —Indianapolis Journal.

Some people pick their company—to pieces.—Schoolmaster.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

3d SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "No discount on brains." Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. Subject: "The souls' radium." Suggestions from the latest great scientific discovery. Free seats and every one invited to the services.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Service of divine worship at 2.30 P. M. Sermon by Rev. Merrill C. Ward. Subject: "Be thou faithful." Communion service. Sunday School at 3.45 P. M.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Leon H. Austin, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by Rev. H. G. Megathlin. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7.30. Y. P. S. C. E. Tuesday evening at 7.30. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. All are cordially invited.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street,—Rev. William Alva Brady, pastor. Residence 25 Pleasant street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M. Preaching at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue—Rev. W. E. Gardner, rector. 8.30 A. M., holy communion. 10.30 morning prayer and sermon. 12.05 M., Sunday School. 7 00 P. M., prayer and address by Rt. Rev. Lemuel H. Wells of the diocese of Spokane in the State of Washington.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Fort Square—Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor. Service at 10.30 A. M., preaching by Evangelist Kenyon. Sabbath School at 11.45. An address to men and women on the Holy Ghost, by Rev. Kenyon at 3 P. M. Session meeting at 6 P. M. Y. P S. C. E. meeting at 6 P. M. will be led by Evangelist Downs. Admission and baptism of members followed by administration of the Lord's Supper and an exhortation by Rev. Kenyon at 7 o'clock. The revival meetings will be continued next week. The public is invited.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S CHURCH—Rev. Carlton P. Mills, rector. 10.45 morning prayer, ante-communion and sermon. 12.20 P. M., the Sunday School. 4.30 o'clock, evening prayer and address.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "The place of law." Sunday School at 12.10. Junior Endeavor meeting at 3.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15 P. M. At 7.30 Miss Gale of the Ruggles Street church will speak of "Relief work in the South End. The Junior C. E. Glee club will sing.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "God in man." Soloist, Mrs. E. J. Barnes. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. You are cordially invited.

ATLANTIC METHODIST CHURCH, corner Newbury avenue and Squantum street. Rev. B. D. Beck, pastor. Morning service at 10.45 o'clock. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "Man-made religion." Sunday School at 12 M. Junior League at 3.30. Epworth League at 6 P. M. Subject: "What if Christ came to our town." Edith Greenerd, leader. Evangelistic service at 7 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Expenses." All seats free. Every one invited.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue. — Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Love." Golden Text: "If I have the gift of prophecy, and know all mysteries and all knowledge; and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing." 1 Corinthians 13: 2. (Revised Version). Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings. All are welcome.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Nov. 2. 6mos.

☞ Eyeglasses fitted scientifically. No guess work.—Williams.

Cracker Sale
THIS WEEK,
PRATT'S
Get our Prices for
Kennedy's Crackers.
Largest Assortment in Quincy
L. M. PRATT & SON.

LIPPINCOTT'S
MONTHLY MAGAZINE
A FAMILY LIBRARY
The Best in Current Literature
12 COMPLETE NOVELS YEARLY
MANY SHORT STORIES AND PAPERS ON TIMELY TOPICS
$2.50 PER YEAR; 25 CTS. A COPY
NO CONTINUED STORIES
EVERY NUMBER COMPLETE IN ITSELF

WANTED.
Young Man 16 to 20 years old
— IN A —
Grocery and Provision Store
In this City.
One with some experience preferred.
Address in own hand writing giving age and references.
"B.," Ledger Office.
Jan. 19. 6t

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:
Four lines, or less, one day, - - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents
Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—Three Reliable Teamsters. Steady job; pay $12.00. Address "CONTRACTOR," Ledger Office. Quincy, Jan. 22. 6t

WANTED—Two Furnished or Unfurnished Rooms with board at Wollaston. Address 320 Farrington street. Jan. 22. 2t

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines, steady work. Apply to MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy. Jan. 13. tf

FOR SALE.

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom-made pung built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition. GEORGE H. WILSON
Quincy, Jan. 12. tf

TO LET.

TO LET—Some Desirable Rooms now vacant at Hotel Greenleaf.
Quincy, Jan. 23. 1t

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent, $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30. tf

WOLLASTON, near R. R. Station and Electrics. To Let—Tenement of six rooms, in good repair, on second floor, curtained and screened. Small family preferred. Apply to L. W. NASH, opposite station. Jan. 21. 6t

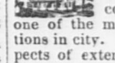
TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point recently occupied by L. C. Emery & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

TO LET.



House of 8 rooms and bath, No. 240 Goffe St. Furnace, gas, sewer connections, in complete repair and one of the most convenient (yet retired) locations in city. Only small families, with prospects of extended occupancy, need apply. A permanent occupant for one room is obtainable.
R. D. CHASE,
Savings Bank Building.
Quincy, Jan. 12 eod 16 P tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.
ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.
HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24. tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

WANTED.

ng Man 16 to 20 years old
— IN A —
cery and Provision Store
In this City.
with some experience preferred.
dress in own hand writing giving
d references.
"B.," Ledger Office.
19. 6t

SSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

rtisements in this column inserted at the
ng rates:
lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
" three days, - - - 50 cents
" one week, - - - - 75 cents
tional lines will be charged for pro rata.
words equal a line. Long term rates fur-
on application.

WANTED.

ANTED—Three Reliable Teamsters.
Steady job; pay $12.00. Address
TRACTOR," Ledger Office.
y, Jan. 22. 6t

ANTED—Two Furnished or Unfur-
nished Rooms with board at Wollaston.
329 Farrington street.
22. 2t

ANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power
machines steady work. Apply to
WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy.
13. tf

FOR SALE.

NG FOR SALE—A Custom-made pung
suit for the Grocery and Provision bus-
ouble runner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILSON
y, Jan. 12. tf

TO LET.

LET—Some Desirable Rooms now vacant
Hotel Greenleaf.
y, Jan. 23. 1t

LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all
improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent,
r month. Apply to F. M. TORREY,
22 Blake street, Wollaston.
30. lp-tf

OLLASTON, near R. R. Station and
Electrics. To Let—Tenement of six
in good repair, on second floor, curtained
creened. Small family preferred. Apply
W. NASH, opposite station.
21. 6t

LET—Nice tenement containing five
oms and bath, furnace heat, situate No.
ancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES
RKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank
ng, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

LET—Tenements, all improvements.
Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independ-
Avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
29. tf

LET—Two Rooms, furnished or un-
furnished. Apply 26 School street.
ncy, Nov. 23. tf

LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point,
recently occupied by L. C. Embree &
Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf
Oct. 5-tf

TO LET.

House of 8 rooms and bath, No.
240 Goffe St. Furnace, gas, sewer
connections, in complete repair and
the most convenient (yet retired) loca
city. Only small families, with pros
extended occupancy, need apply. A
ent occupant for one room is obtainable.
R. D. CHASE,
Savings Bank Building.
y, Jan. 12 eod 16 p tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

GANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms
and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of
Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per
Will be leased for one or two years,
ces required. Apply at the office of
K F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street,
, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

USE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern
improvements, electric lights, with stable
y Point. Within one minute of the
cars and within ten minutes' walk of
e Inner Ship and Engine Company
the office of FRANK F. CRANE,
nut street, Quincy, Mass.
24. tf

TO LET.

cellent Offices in the new
ck Building, City Square. A good
unity for lawyers.
ll and Ante-Rooms in the
leaf Block. These are all furnished
eated, and will be let permanently
the privilege of sub-letting, or for
l nights each month.
rnished Lodging Rooms in
Durgin-Merrill Block. Most con-
nt.
e Offices in the Durgin-Merrill
, only one flight up, and right at the
of the stairs. These will be let separ-
or together. A good chance for a
t.
Store in Music Hall Block.
rt of a Store. Price very
nable.
Tenement—recently papered—four
rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city
—on Granite street, in the rear of
Greenleaf.
Office in Hancock Chambers—up
ight and at the head of the stairs.
furnished Lodging Rooms
and convenient.
ctory or Shop on Granite street,
rear of Hotel Greenleaf.
undry or Shop—just put in good
.
Shop on the ground floor, in the
of Music Hall Block.

uincy Real Estate Trust,
e Hall Block, QUINCY.

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 21. QUINCY, MASS., MONDAY, JANUARY 25, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

Head-Ease
- FOR -
Headache

A powder for the cure of Headache, Neuralgia, Sleeplessness and Colds.

In Envelopes, 3 Powders for 10 Cents.
In Boxes, 12 Powders for 25 Cents.

MADE ONLY BY
CHAS. C. HEARN,
DRUGGIST,
1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

MEN'S BANQUET,
UNIVERSALIST VESTRY,
WEDNESDAY, JAN. 27, 6.45 P. M.
Turkey Dinner, Music and Reading.
MERRILL C. WARD, Toastmaster.
TICKETS, 35 CENTS.
Quincy, Jan. 16. lp 2t

OUR LARGE STOCK OF
Imported and Domestic Woolens
Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON
Beg to announce that they are now located at
No. 8 Faxon Block,
Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,
"LEADING TAILORS."
Quincy Dec. 28—tf

SAVE THIS COUPON . . DAILY LEDGER PREMIUM.
SOLID GOLD FOUNTAIN PEN.

For TWO of these coupons and SIXTY-NINE CENTS we will furnish for a time LEDGER readers with a SOLID GOLD, fully warranted Fountain Pen, Polished barrel, rubber cap screw section, beautiful delivery, worth $2. Satisfaction guaranteed.
Present coupons at McCONNELL'S FRUIT STORE, 1414 Hancock St. Quincy, or
Hiram A. Hayden, Agent, 118 Washington St., Quincy.
Mail Orders Promptly Attended to. We Pay Postage.

A STORY
---BY---
HERMAN WHITAKER
WILL BE
The Daily Ledger
NOVELETTE
FOR SATURDAY.
IT WILL BE ILLUSTRATED.

GREAT REVIVAL.

Three Largely Attended Meetings on Sunday

At United Presbyterian Church.

To be Continued Four Evenings This Week.

A great day of services was enjoyed at the United Presbyterian church Sunday. Three services, all largely attended and all of a most solemn and impressive character, were held.

The morning service struck the keynote for the day. Evangelist Kenyon was at his best and discoursed to an appreciative congregation.

The afternoon audience was very large and many of other churches took advantage of the hour to hear the noted evangelist preach on the Holy Ghost. He proved conclusively that the Holy Ghost was a person and not an influence, that he took up his abode in the clean man who had definitely accepted Christ when asked so to do. But the acceptance of the Holy Ghost was just as distinct an act as the acceptance of Christ. The mission of the one was to redeem and cleanse, of the other to keep and manage; token received he must be given sole control.

At the close of the sermon when a solemn stillness prevailed he asked who would accept of the Holy Ghost as an indwelling person, some thirty or more rose with whom he prayed the acceptance prayer.

The Sabbath school reached the highest attendance and contributions for years. Mr. Beecher Campbell was awarded the Bible for having brought in the most scholars during the quarter. Thirteen new scholars were added to the school. The contest ends next Sabbath.

The evening service was directed by the pastor, which was a solemn and impressive service. The largest number taking communion in the history of the church. Fifty new members made public confession and were added to the church, five of whom received baptism.

There are others to be admitted next Thursday evening when the session will convene.

Baptisms of children and adults next Sabbath.

The meetings will close next Thursday evening Evangelist Kenyon will preach each evening and on Thursday afternoon at 3.00 to women only. All the ladies of the City are cordially invited.

At the close of the revival, "A Bible Training Class" will be organized by the pastor for all who may desire to enter into a study of the Bible.

Also a "Catechetical Class" will be organized for 25 members of the Sabbath school who were not received into the church but accepted Christ, and will be received publicly later.

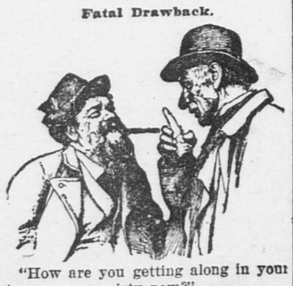
The Shaky Servian Throne

Belgrade, Jan. 23.—Servians and Montenegrins living abroad are engaged in a vigorous agitation against the Karageorgevitch dynasty, and have even planned a conspiracy against King Peter. Pamphlets have been distributed in one of the Balkan states describing King Peter's active agitation while Prince Peter against King Alexander and making serious charges against him. The Servian government has issued instructions to keep a sharp watch over Servian and Montenegrin emigrants.

Theatre Patrons Badly Scared

Berlin, Jan. 23.—During the performance last night at the Deutsches theatre a portion of the ceiling of the corridor fell and caused great excitement. With the exception of an usher who was slightly hurt, no one was injured. The falling ceiling made a great crash, and the audience rose to its feet in a panic. From the stage an actor assured the people there was no danger and quiet was restored.

Fatal Drawback.



"How are you getting along in your temperance society now?"

"Fine! Why, if it wasn't for my red nose I'd be president."

UNIQUE CLUB.

Rev. Silas B. Duffield Meeting with Success at Somerville.

The Rev. Silas B. Duffield, formerly a resident of Quincy Neck, is achieving success as rector of St. Thomas church at Somerville. Mr. Duffield has supplied the pulpit of Christ church of this city, and has also served as a councilman of Quincy.

The rector's unique club was the subject of an illustrated article in the Sunday Post, from which we quote:

"Like the good dominie who guided the flock according to common sense rather than by the letter of the text, the Rev. Silas B. Duffield, Episcopal clergyman of the St. Thomas Church, Somerville, when he found out that the men of his parish whiled away the after-work hours smoking and gossiping on the street corners because they had nowhere else to go, invited them to come to the parsonage and bring their pipes with them.

"That was two years ago, an now Somerville has the Lawrence Club, one of the most unique organizations in the country; novel because the Rev. Mr. Duffield, its secretary and founder, and the church members that comprise its personal dedicate its fortnightly meetings to worldly smoke talks, whist, the singing of coon songs and the planning of dances and dramatic entertainments.

"Everyone in Somerville has heard of the Lawrence Club, for its entertainments are always the best amateur performance presented in the city, and the programme of its meetings invariably includes an interesting talk by some prominent citizen or outsider upon current topics, besides affording a chance to sit in the clubrooms at the parsonage and smoke and tell stories.

"The ostensible object of the club is "for the promotion of social instruction and entertaining intercourse and to provide a place of meeting for the men of the community." Any male attendant at the St. Thomas church service of 17 years of age or over, and outsiders who may be vouched for, are eligible to become members of the club.

"The members of the club, notwithstanding their religious predilections, burn fornightly incense to the god Nicotine, and the frequent dances that are held by the club in Bacon hall are often attended by pastor Duffield, who looks after the children and becomes the moving spirit of the occasions.

Last week there appeared in Somerville an exotic poster in red and green and black, announcing that the Lawrence Club would hold a minstrel show and dance, lasting until 2 o'clock, on the evening of Feb. 9 in Bacon Hall. The entertainment is to consist of coon songs and vaudeville by local and professional talent, and at the wind up of the poster comes the announcement of the dance.

"The ministerial dignity of the rector isn't at all disconcerted when he tells you that he is a member and an active mover in getting up a vaudeville and dance.

"In fact, to meet this interesting, much beloved minister and to learn about him from what he tells you and from what others in Somerville relate concerning his every day life, is, regardless of creed, to be convinced of his sincerity, his strength of character and his courage of conviction.

Shop Bible Classes.

The Young Men's Christian Association has decided to take the Bible to working men. Many of our greatest teachers feel that this book contains the only true solution for the problems that today vex and worry both employer and employe. "Shop Bible Classes" is the term used to express this new departure of the Association. Over 125 of these classes are already being conducted in the great manufacturing centres of the country. Many of the classes are held at the noon hour, others at midnight, where there are special night forces. Massachusetts has shown a very conservative spirit toward this new departure.

Some weeks ago, however, a class was started in Holyoke with an attendance of 125. The Chelsea Association is the second in the state to take up this work, a class having been organized among the employes of George D. Emery Co. last week under the leadership of General Secretary Ernest L. Mogge. At the first meeting there was an attendance of forty. The Fall River association has also made arrangements to form shop Bible classes in the great factories and shops of that city.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to efund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.
Nov. 2. 6mos.

A crow was heard Sunday morning. Is the heart of winter broken?

ON THE STREET.

Girls Hang Around Late at Night who Should be at Home.

It is high time that steps were taken by someone to keep young girls off the street at night. Every night, no matter what the weather may be, there are numerous young girls about the streets of City Square. Not only are they about early in the evening but late. It is no uncommon thing to see a number of young girls in short dresses as late as midnight hanging about the street. Sometimes alone, but more times with young fellows, and the language heard is not such that would sound well in a Sunday school.

The worst time is on Saturday nights and it is probable that the Saturday night dances are the excuses many would give for being about.

If parents could see how their young daughters behave on the streets at night, stringent measures would probably be taken to keep them at home.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Monday, Jan. 25:

L. S. Billings, Elwood Booth, Jos. Buote, John Clearthy, Peter Flanagan, Ahina Heikkela, James Leneabough, Joseph McKina, Mundy, Antonio Tadder, E. A. Underwood, Chas. B. Webber, George Francis Wilson, N. E. W. Wood.

Mrs. C. C. Coffey, Miss Lizzie DeYoung, Mrs. Joseph Evans, Mrs. Daisy Flowers, Miss Helen Gustafow, Mrs. E. W. Richards, Miss Annie Woodard.

TODAY'S COURT.

John Vismont, Tony Vismont, Joseph Vismont, Michael Matthews and Patrick McLaughlin were fined $3 each for drunkenness at Quincy.

The continued case of Martin Manning for drunkenness at Quincy, was called and he was defaulted.

William H. Finn was arraigned for cruelty to a horse at Milton. He was fined $5.

—The Democratic National convention is to be held in St. Louis July 6. Any existing coolness between the elements of the party ought to fuse readily under the temperature which is likely to prevail in that location on that date.—Mansfield News.

It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma, A certain cure for Consumption in first stages. and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
Tuner in Quincy 25 y.
Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.
Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.
Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marten's store.
Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence.

DANCING.
COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.
BASKET BALL
AND DANCING
THURSDAY EVENINGS.
Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.
TERMS.
10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all ormer pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.
MUSIC.
William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.
HALL.
The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.
For further particulars apply to ELMER W. BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

NORFOLK CLUB.

Stoughton Man for President and Quincy Man for Vice President.

The annual meeting of the Norfolk club was held on Saturday at Parker's, the guests being President Jones of the Senate, Speaker Frothingham of the House, and ex-Gov. Long.

A Sunday paper reports Speaker Frothingham to have boomed Senator Bemis for Congress, but Mr. Frothingham denies that. He says:

"I did not, even indirectly, mention the congressional contest, nor did I mention Senator Bemis' name. I took occasion to compliment Norfolk county on its representation to the State House, but beyond that I did not go. I hold Senator Bemis in high regard, but I did not feel called upon to boom him, as the other candidates for Congress are good men and friends of mine. I have troubles enough of my own, without interfering in the affairs of others, and the report that I boomed anybody is a misrepresentation of my remarks."

These officers were elected:

President,—Dr. W. O. Faxon of Stoughton.

Secretary and Treasurer,—William L. Baker of Brookline.

Vice-presidents,—the Hon. James F. Stevens, the Hon. Warren E. Locke, the Hon. Robert S. Gray, the Hon. J. White Belcher, Charles A. Howland, Samuel Moseley, Charles H. Smith, Charles C. Henry and R. H. O. Shultz.

Council Business.

At tonight's meeting of the City Council the committee on streets will report orders for public hearings on petition of the Telephone Co., to attack wires to poles of other companies.

The committee on Police will report on the order for additional police signal boxes.

The joint committee on Police and Ordinances will report on the order increasing the number of permanent police force to 21 men.

Considerable new business is reported.

Water Pipe Cheaper.

Brockton has just purchased 2070 tons of 20 and 24-inch water pipe for $23.40 per ton, a much lower price than in recent years, $29.40 being the highest. The successful bidders were the Warren foundry company. None of the bidders were over $24.

Five o'Clock Tea.

The English drank tea as long ago as 1657, but 5 o'clock teas date back only to 1842.

Land In Castile.

Land in Castile is in greater part devoted to the production of wheat, and during planting and harvest times laborers, especially reapers, are brought hither from Galicia.

Marble Cleaning.

Marble can be cleaned by rubbing with a rather soft paste made of whiting or prepared chalk and water to which a little ammonia has been added. Rinse afterward with clean water. A rub with pumice stone and water will restore the polish.

Leases of Life.

Out of every 1,000,000 persons who are born in the same year 213,000 live for 70 years, 107,000 for 80 years and 881 for 90 years.

Toasting Bread.

If bread toasts too slowly on the chafing dish toaster it may be browned more quickly and evenly by buttering it lightly on both sides. Treated thus, it will not adhere to the toaster, and the flavor is improved.

Plum Pudding.

Plum pudding was originally plum porridge and served for breakfast, not dinner.

Twelve Leafed Palm.

The Egyptians used to use a twelve leafed palm for a Christmas tree because a palm will put forth one new leaf a month, and the twelve leaves were a sign of the complete year.

Mulberry Trees.

From a twenty-year-old mulberry tree 218 pounds of leaves have been picked in a year.

Gibraltar.

In the fortified rock of Gibraltar there are sixty-two miles of tunnels. They are stocked with an ample supply of arms, ammunition and provisions in readiness for a siege.

Germany's Contribution.

The United States received from Germany during the nineteenth century 5,079,362 immigrants.

Beggars In China.

The beggars of China have a regular system of blackmail. Every town has a band of them, with a "king." The "king" goes about among the merchants and others collecting tribute, in return for which he gives a signed document insuring them against all annoyance for a certain length of time.

RATS AND MATCHES

Cause a Double Alarm Saturday Night from Box 171.

There were two alarms from Box 171 Saturday night both for a fire in the house of John Harkins at 36 Main street. The first alarm sounded at 8.05 with recall at 8.15, and the second at 8.48.

The members of the family were first aware of the fire by a volume of smoke pouring down the stairway. Mr. Harkins rushed up stairs and extinguished the fire by use of rugs so that the fire was practically out when the department arrived, and many who responded to the alarm thought there was no fire at all.

Chief Williams, however, thought that possibly the fire might have worked down behind the walls and Hose 1 and Hook and Ladder 1 were held at the house for a time.

Twenty minutes later fire broke out in another part of the house. Firemen were on hand but it took considerable cutting to get at the seat of the fire. Meanwhile some one rushed to the fire alarm box and sent in another alarm.

In cutting away to get at the fire the firemen found a rat's nest in the wall and Chief Williams is of the opinion that rats and matches were the cause of the fire. The loss will not exceed $150.

Charleston Launched.

The cruiser Charleston was successfully launched on Saturday at Newport News.

☞ Main Spring while you wait. Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

FRANK FESSENDEN CRANE, Auctioneer.
OMNIUM-GATHERUM AUCTION
At Crane's Auction Room, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass., TUESDAY, Jan. 26, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which time will be sold anything from the sword of a fish to a piano.

Chairs, Tables, Lounges, Sofas, Brushes, Pokers, Rolling Pins, Clothes Racks, Crockery, Lamps, Glassware, Kerosene Stoves, Hall Lamps, Yarn, Pictures, Banquet Lamps, Child's Crib, Grindstones, Chains, Lapboards, Scissors, and many other articles too numerous to mention. Sale Positive. Terms Cash.
N. B. These goods will be positively sold to the highest bidder. Jan. 25-1t

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.
OUR
Mark Down Sale
OF COATS
Was a great success.

The people of Quincy Realized the Values they were getting for a little money.

We shall continue the Low Prices this week and some Coats we are obliged to mark still Lower to keep a line of prices.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.
THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

Cracker Sale
THIS WEEK,
PRATT'S
Get our Prices for
Kennedy's Crackers.
Largest Assortment in Quincy
L. M. PRATT & SON.

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER.
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.
OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5
Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
Jan. 31. tf

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

Hotel Greenleaf
Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

HALL and BURGESS,
Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

PICTURES
FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

MAIN SPRINGS
Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.
Work called for and delivered.
SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.
JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.
HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.
Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

4 for 1
Trading Stamps
AT THE
HOSIERY STORE.
LOW PRICES ON
BOYS' and GIRLS'
OUTING FLANNELS.
FINE LINE OF NECKWEAR.
LARGE ASSORTMENT
NEW LACES.
City Employment Office.
MRS. C. J. MILLER,
1383 Hancock Street,
CITY SQUARE.

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

W. A. BRADFORD,
Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting.
Jobbing promptly attended to.
Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.
Open Monday and Saturday evenings.
Telephone 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

JOHN STREIFERD & SON,
FLORISTS.
Telephone 13-7 Braintree.
Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.
Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.
THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.
Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by
GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.
Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.
☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.
Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.
TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.
Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.
ALSO PUBLISHERS OF
The Quincy Patriot.
A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the
Braintree Observer and Reporter
A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

Six of the large districts of Boston have not had a resident mayor for 25 years, viz: Dorchester, South Boston, East Boston, Charlestown, North End and West Roxbury. Wonder if Quincy, should she be annexed, would ever have a mayor or even an alderman?

Drift of Opinion.

☞Evidently the coroner of Cook county, Ill., is playing no favorities. He seems to be guided by the notion that he has a duty to perform. Of course the public is interested in knowing all the truth about the Iroquois disaster, and it does not desire that any of the culpable be spared. If after so much experience architects do not know how to build theatres, nor managers how to run them, there will be common assent to the course of ringing the curtain down and keeping it down. The stage must at least be elevated beyond the point of being a funeral pyre.—Beverly Times.

Temperance Progress.

Of all the nations which have made great progress toward temperance, if not prohibition, Sweden and Finland take the lead. In 1829 Sweden had a saloon to every hundred of her population and the consumption of alcoholic liquors was above six gallons per capita. Now the nation has but one saloon to 5,000 inhabitants, and the consumption has fallen to less than one and one-third gallon. That is a marvelous change. Finland was as bad as Sweden, but in fifty years it has reduced the saloon to the ratio of one to 9,000 inhabitants, with a consumption of less than half a gallon per capita. That is approaching temperance. To do as well France will have to close nine-tenths of her saloons. The United States has a saloon to each 890 inhabitants, and France one to every 83.

Has Fought Eight Duels

Berlin, Jan. 25.—A lieutenant in the army named Krohn, who is stationed at Pirna, Saxony, has recently fought eight duels and is about to undertake the ninth encounter in defense of his family honor. Krohn has had the best of these meetings, for it is said that two of his opponents were severely and three slightly wounded, while three escapd unhurt.

Fire Panic at Chicago

Chicago, Jan. 25.—Fire in the Masonic Temple caused a panic among the 4000 occupants of the building and damaged the stock and fixtures of tenants to the extent of $20,000. All occupants of the building escaped without serious injury through the bravery of the elevator men, who remained at their posts.

Highwayman Got Little Booty

Pittsfield, Mass., Jan. 25.—James S. Robinson was returning to his home when he was accosted by a stranger, who covered him with a revolver and demanded his money. Robinson had more than $200 in different pockets. He quickly produced a $5 bill, which the robber snatched and made his escape.

Back to Prison For Life

Indianapolis, Jan. 25.—Rev. W. E. Hinshaw, convicted and sentenced to prison for life for the murder of his wife, has returned to prison. He had been out for 60 days on parole visiting his sick mother. His parole ended at midnight Saturday.

Pushing the Jiminez Forces

San Juan, P. R., Jan. 25.—News from a good authority in Santo Domingo says the entire force under General Jiminez, the revolutionary leader, is being steadily driven from Dominican territory toward the Haytien border.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

F. S. BUXTON,
TEACHER OF VIOLIN
WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.
Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

STILL HANGING FIRE

Far Eastern Squabble Apparently No Nearer Settlement

RUMORS OF WAR MOVES

Discredited, However, by Russians and Japanese--Chinese Troops Said to Be Entering the Province of Manchuria

St. Petersburg, Jan. 25.—Reports of an alarming nature concerning the situation in the far east continue to pour out. These include the statements that the Japanese are landing an army at Masampho, Korea, and that 3000 Russian troops are crossing the Yalu river.

The reported dispatch of a Chinese army, trained by European officers, beyond the Great Wall to preserve order in Manchuria cannot be confirmed here, and the reports of the Japanese at Masampho and the Russians at the Yalu are discredited at the foreign office and by Mr. Kurino, the Japanese minister to Russia. M. Hartwig, a departmental chief of the Russian foreign office, spoke feelingly to Kurino regarding the harm being done by exaggerated and often utterly baseless reports.

While the Russian government understands the situation in Korea to be disturbed and possibly threatening, it has no information of a situation grave enough to warrant the landing of a large Japanese force there. Russia freely admits Japan's right, under existing conventions, to land in Korea a reasonable number of soldiers to preserve order; but the landing of an army at this stage of the negotiations could not be viewed with equanimity.

Mr. Kurino is in no way anxious because of the delay in Russia's response to the latest Japanese note and says that Japan is not pressing for an immediate reply. "Russia will be given all the time she needs," the minister is quoted as saying.

The statement published by The Novoe Vrerya that although Russia desires peace, she cannot surrender all, coincides with the distinct impression gathered at the foreign office that Russia will continue to maintain that the question of the sovereignty of Manchuria is solely a matter between Russia and China.

The Svjet and the St. Petersburg Listoe have raised an outcry over the reported sending of Chinese troops to Manchuria, and the latter newspaper declares that if it is true that these troops go with the purpose of threatening the railroad between Port Arthur and Vladivostock, it means war with China and not with Japan. In an interview Hoo Wei Teh, the Chinese minister to Russia, is quoted as saying:

"The talk of China going to war with anyone is absurd. We have no intention of fighting. If Chinese troops are being sent north it is solely for the purpose of inspiring confidence in our own people, who are alarmed and who would become panic-stricken in the event of hostilities between Russia and Japan. Personally I have no knowledge of this reported movement, but the fact of it would not necessarily be communicated to me."

The Russ has attacked The Novoe Vremya for what it terms its colleague's stupid mistake about the destination of the American Asiatic squadron, The Novoe Vremya having said the American warships were going to Yongampho, when actually their destination was Olongapo, in the Philippines, and for presaging American intervention in the far east. The Russ declares that as the interests of America are commercial, the American government requires friendly relations with Russia.

Alleged Outrages by Russians

London, Jan. 25.—The Tokio correspondent of The Times says letters received there from Vladivostock declare a party of Russian marines landed at Vladivostock and subjected the Japanese residents to great violence. They wrecked 24 houses, maltreated women and inflicted wounds upon aged persons and children. The rioting lasted 20 hours. The rioters were accompanied by their officers, according to the letters from Vladivostock, and were not restrained by the civil authorities. Japanese newspapers advocate the withdrawal of all Japanese from Siberia and ask what may be expected in the event of hostilities if such things occur during peace.

No News From Japan

London, Jan. 25.—No news from the far east was received at the Japanese legation here yesterday. Special dispatches from Tokio published here this morning report that the Japanese minister of finance has had a conference with the leading Japanese bankers and has decided to issue a loan of $50,000,000.

A Russian Complaint

Seoul, Jan. 25.—A cablegram has been received from the Korean minister at St. Petersburg saying that Russia disapproves of Korea's declaration of neutrality.

Colonel Lynch Set Free

London, Jan. 25.—Colonel Arthur Lynch, who commanded the Irish brigade against the British forces during the war in South Africa, and who was afterwards convicted of treason and sentenced to imprisonment for life, was liberated yesterday "on license." Lynch has not received the royal pardon.

ILL-TREATED CHILDREN

The Charge Against Sandford of "Holy Ghost and Us" Fame

Auburn, Me., Jan. 25.—Rev. Frank W. Sandford, founder and head of the Holy Ghost and Us colony at Shiloh, was indicted for manslaughter by the Androscoggin county grand jury. He was later arrested by Sheriff Cummings and one of his deputies and brought here, where he furnished bail for his appearance before the supreme court. The indictment against Sandford contains six counts, one of manslaughter and five specific instances of alleged cruelty to children. All of the charges resulted from the alleged severe discipline in the Shiloh colony. The arraignment was before Judge Savage, who fixed the bail at $5000.

The indictment against Sandford charges manslaughter in causing the death of Leander Bartlett, 14 years old, by neglect; cruelty to the 7-months-old child of John Swart; cruelty to the 2½-year-old child of John Swart; cruelty to his own son, John Sandford, aged 6. It is alleged that Sandford made the children fast 40 hours and that he made his own son fast 72 hours.

Book Printers May Strike

Boston, Jan. 25.—With the largest meeting in the history of the organization, Boston Typographical union 13 unanimously voted that the new book and job wage and hour schedule must be accepted by the employers. In the event of the contracts not being signed before Saturday next the men employd in all the book and job offices of Boston will strike Monday. At the meeting 1200 printers, including scores of women, were present.

Robber Stole Bottle of Poison

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 25.—A bottle of liniment said to be deadly poison if taken internally was the only booty obtained by burglars who broke into the saloon of Curley Bros. and broke open the safe. The funds of the concern were carried home by Daniel Curley Saturday night. The liniment, in an unlabelled whiskey flask, had been placed in the safe as a precaution against anyone using it by mistake.

Steamer Went Ashore

Newport, R. I., Jan. 25.—Steamer Larchmont of the Joy line, from New York to Providence, with 200 passengers on board, during an unusually thick fog, went ashore on a sandbar off Dyer island, near Newport. After two tugs had worked several hours trying to float her, they at last succeeded in pulling her into deep water, and the Larchmont proceeded to Providence, practically uninjured.

Teamsters Won't Strike Yet

Boston, Jan. 25.—The Team Drivers' union, representing 6000 teamsters, at its meeting last night, voted to refer all matters at issue between the union and the master teamsters to the executive council of the local Team Drivers' union and the officers of the International Team Drivers' union for their consideration. This means that no final action will be taken for a week at least.

Slashed Sweetheart and Self

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 25.—A. M. Carlson, 40, actuated by jealously, threatened to kill Ellen Erickson, 30, at the home of A. W. Foss. Drawing a knife, he slashed the woman on the chin, then, slipping into a bathroom, stabbed himself in the neck, severing the jugular vein and dying immediately. Carlson had been paying attentions to Miss Erickson.

Bad Freight Wreck

Hyde Park, Mass., Jan. 25.—The breaking of a freight train near the Glenwood avenue station resulted in a collision between the two sections which derailed eight cars, four of which rolled down an embankment, scattered thousands of dollars' worth of mill supplies over the tracks and completely tied up traffic to and from Boston.

Want Nine-Hour Day

Leominster, Mass., Jan. 25.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the Horn, Celluloid and Novelty Workers' union the secretary was directed to ask the Manufacturers' association for a conference to consider a concession of a nine-hour day, with pay for 10 hours, as at present. The union has 600 members.

Steamer Reaches Nantucket

Nantucket, Mass., Jan. 25.—The steamer Nantucket reached this island late yesterday afternoon, having been shut out by the last ice embargo since last Monday. No ice was encountered on the passage and the boat had a remarkably quick trip across the sound. The vessel was loaded with grain.

Negro Slugger Identified

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 25.—Minot Francis, the negro who has been held by the police on suspicion of being the man who assaulted Mrs. Caroline Johnson in Swampscott, has been positively identified by Mrs. Johnson as her assailant. Francis is being held in $5000 for a hearing.

Hour Off In Railroad Shops

Pawtucket, R. I., Jan. 25.—The repair shops of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad in this city, employing 400 men, will be operated under a nine-hour day schedule, beginning today. This is a reduction from a 10-hour day.

Farmer Frozen to Death

Littleton, Mass., Jan. 25.—The body of Michael Haley, a farmer, aged 50, who has been missing since Thursday, was found in a field near his home last evening. It is believed that Haley was frozen to death.

CITY BREVITIES.

Men's supper at the Universalist church Wednesday evening.

A meeting of the School Committee will be held Tuesday evening.

The sand on the ice covered sidewalks was appreciated this morning.

The city officials have been requested by Mayor Bryant to hand in their annual reports as early as possible.

W. G. Shaw will entertain his Sunday school class of Bethany church at his residence tomorrow evening.

The annual meeting of the Quincy Yacht club will be held Saturday, Feb. 6. There will probably be but few changes in the officers this year.

The annual meeting of the Charitable Ten, Circle of King's Daughters, will be held at the home of Mrs. F. S. Davis, Elm street, on Tuesday evening at half past seven o'clock.

A large congregation was present at the Universalist church Sunday afternoon, to hear the farewell sermon of Rev. Merrill C. Ward. The worshippers at this church were very sorry to have him go, but wish him success in his new field.

The mild weather and warm sun Sunday started the water to running and the snow disappeared very fast. During Sunday night the weather changed and it became cold and froze everything up. This morning the walking was rather slippery.

Blew Top of Head Off

Upton, Mass., Jan. 25.—Percy Alexander, aged 28, was found on Mechanic street with the top of his head blown off. Dr. Clark examined the body of Alexander and said it was a case of suicide and expressed the opinion that he had put the muzzle of the shotgun in his mouth and discharged it.

Will Prolong Dreyfus Case

Paris, Jan. 25.—There is good reason to believe that the report of Attorney General Baudoin, besides favoring Dreyfus, will recommend a further investigation by the criminal section of the court of cassation before the united sections of the court pass upon the case.

Strike of Rubber Workers

Trenton, Jan. 25.—Eight hundred rubber workers employed in rubber manufacturing plants of this city have quit work because the managers refused to grant them a 10 percent increase in wages which they demanded several weeks ago.

CHOIR BOYS'
Fifth Annual Concert
By the combined Boy Choirs of St. Chrysostom's Church, Wollaston, and Christ Church, Quincy,
QUINCY MUSIC HALL,
Tuesday Evening, Feb. 16, 1904,
AT EIGHT O'CLOCK,
For the Choir Boys' Camp.
A Chorus of 70 Singers, assisted by Superior Soloists.
MR. E. LANDIS SNYDER, Director.
Reserved Seats, 50, 35 and 25 cents.
Quincy, Jan. 23. 1-tf-p-2w

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 22d, 1904. The Joint Committee on Metropolitan Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in so much of the Governor's address as relates to Metropolitan Parks, Metropolitan Water and Sewage and Metropolitan Thoroughfares, at room No. 436, State House, on Wednesday, Jan. 27th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. ALBION F. BEMIS, Chairman. ALFRED S. HALL, Clerk of the Committee. 25 2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan-18th, 1904. The Committee on Election Laws will give a hearing to parties interested in so much of the Governor's address as relates to municipal suffrage for women, at room No. 240, State House, on Wednesday, Jan. 27th, at 10 o'clock, A. M. JAMES H. McKINLEY, Chairman. GEORGE A. TURNER, Clerk of the Committee. Jan. 22-2t--22-25

Mortgagee's Sale.

To George W. Cummings and all others interested.

PURSUANT to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given to the Wildey Savings Bank by George W. Cummings, dated July 28th, 1902, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 927, page 544, will be sold at public auction on the premises described in said mortgage for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, on THURSDAY, February eleventh, 1904, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the real estate described in said deed, two lots of land situated on Squantum and Clark streets, in Quincy, Mass., and being lots 5 and 6 and lot marked "Sold" on a plan of lots owned by the "Atlantic Land Co., 1893, H. S. Whitman, C. E," recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book of plans 702, page 640, and is bounded northerly by said Squantum street, one hundred feet; easterly by lot 2, 3, 4, and part of lots of owners unknown, two hundred and sixteen feet; southerly by lot 7 on said plan, one hundred feet; and westerly by said Clark street, two hundred and sixteen and 12-100 feet. Said premises will be sold subject to any existing restrictions and unpaid taxes, if any, together with all benefit and equity of redemption of the said Cummings, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns therein.

Terms made known at the time and place of sale.

WILDEY SAVINGS BANK, Mortgagee.
Boston, Jan. 9, 1904.
For further information apply to Tirrell, Adams and Tirrell, Solicitors, 42 Court street, Boston, Mass.
Jan. 11. 3t-11-18-25

YOUR ONLY WORK IS THE CRUST.
NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT
In 10c Packages with List of Valuable Premiums.

PARLOR FURNITURE.
The parlor is usually the best furnished room in the house. It is in this room you receive and entertain your friends, and a well planned and well furnished parlor adds much to the pleasure of living.
We have hundreds of delightful combinations of furniture for parlor furnishing. Dainty Sets of 3 or 5 pieces. Turkish Sets that are luxurious and restful. Odd piece Sets with Fancy Chairs and Rockers, and an endless assortment of Odd Chairs and Rockers in the newest shapes.
We have the Carpets, Rugs, Draperies, Tables, Bric-a-brac, Cabinets and Pictures.
PARLORS FURNISHED FROM $25.00 to $150.00.
Cash or Credit. Green Trading Stamps on all cash purchases.
HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store.
Hancock Street, Quincy.
We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

ONLY HOSPITAL LEFT

Fire Which Swept Norwegian Town Left 11,000 Homeless

Aalesund, Norway, Jan. 25.—The fire which swept over this town destroyed every building except the hospital. The 11,000 inhabitants of Aalesund were compelled to camp in the open. The children of the town had to be housed temporarily in the church at Borgund. The panic among the people was so great after the outbreak of the flames that all attempts at leadership or discipline became out of the question. No excesses, however, were committed. The people first endeavored to save some of their property, but they found they had quite enough to do to save their own lives.

The destruction of the town was complete within a couple of hours from the time the fire started. It is believed now that only three persons lost their lives. Succor has arrived from Berlin and other places and provisions are being distributed. Relief committees have been formed and have invited public subscriptions.

Thousands of persons had to spend 24 hours in the open fields, where they were without food and exposed to a bitterly cold wind and a driving rainstorm.

Brave Women Save a Life

Great Barrington, Mass., Jan. 25.—At the extreme peril of their own lives, Mrs. P. H. Holihan and Miss Sarah Rogers bravely crept along the treacherous ice of Manfield lake to a gaping hole through which Frank Mulhall had fallen, and, strengthened with the determination to rescue an imperilled human, bodily lifted the young man, who was utterly benumbed and fast succumbing, drawing him from an icy death. They reached the shore in safety, where men had congregated, and then gave way to feminine emotion. Dr. Chapin, who attended Mulhall afterward, said that but for the perseverance of the young women, the youth would have perished.

Mrs Bechtel Not Guilty

Allentown, Pa., Jan. 25.—Mrs. Catherine Bechtel, the aged mother of Mabel Bechtel, who was found murdered last October, was acquitted of the charge of being an accessory to the murder after the fact. She was immediately released from custody and went to her home, accompanied by her sons and daughters. Myrtha, her youngest daughter, and her sons, John and Charles, are under indictment on a similar charge, but their trials have been postponed until April.

Wind Carried Off Ice

Highland Light, Mass., Jan. 25.—A dozen fishing schooners which have been held fast in the ice pack blocking Provincetown harbor were released last night by a southerly drift of the field. The ice, which had extended in an unbroken field for many miles, was driven back by a sudden shift of the wind to the north, and the threatened destruction of the vessels was averted.

An East African Massacre

London, Jan. 25.—The foreign office has received news of the massacre of a British expedition under the auspices of the East Africa syndicate by Turkhana tribesmen in the neighborhood of Rudolf lake, East Africa. Several white men were murdered, but no details of the occurrence have been received.

You can buy THURSDAY at
PRATT'S
2 lbs. Good Steak 25 cents
Smoked Shoulders, 8 cts. pound
L M. PRATT & SON.

JOHN MAHON,
Teacher of Piano and Organ,
375 Franklin Street, Quincy.
Jan. 23. 6t

I Can Quickly Sell for Cash
Without local publicity, your Business, Real Estate or Partnership, no matter where located Send me full particulars, price, etc.
Address CHARLES E. POWELL,
19 W. Mohawk St., Buffalo, New York.
Jan. 22. 1m

You can buy WEDNESDAY at
PRATT'S
3 5-cent Loaves for 10 cents
2 Packages Luck, 15 cents
L. M. PRATT & SON.

CARD.
Mrs. F. H. Hewins,
—: Formerly in the :—
Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.
Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations
METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.
Offices:
128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.
Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903 tf

Hardware Supply Co.,
1475 Hancock St., Quincy.
SKATES
Straps, Sharpeners.
BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.
LANTERNS, 50 cts.
COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.
Dec. 29. tf

Dr. Emmons'
Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Every member, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively saves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

THE CRUST.
CE MEAT
luable Premiums.

st furnished room
m you receive and
well planned and
ch to the pleasure

ful combinations of
g. Dainty Sets of
that are luxurious
with Fancy Chairs
assortment of Odd
est shapes.
Draperies, Tables,
es.
to $150.00.
all cash purchases.
E & CO.
iture Store.
Quincy.
ay Evenings.

N MAHON,
of Piano and Organ,
Franklin Street, Quincy.
6t

Quickly Sell for Cash
publicity, your Business. Real
nership, no matter where located
particulars, price, etc.
HARLES E. POWELL,
Mohawk St., Buffalo, New York.
1m

buy WEDNESDAY at
PRATT'S
loaves for 10 cents
Luck, 15 cents
PRATT & SON.

ARD.
F. H. Hewins,
Formerly in the :—
nk Building, Quincy, Mass.
like to inform her
s that she is now
a specialty of treat-
Scalp for Dandruff
alling Hair and all
Irritations
OF THE SHCENSTROM IN-
STITUTE, PARIS.
Offices:
MONT St., BOSTON, MASS.
29, 1901 tf

re Supply Co.,
ncock St., Quincy.

KATES
Sharpeners.
OS,
LEDS,
W SHOVELS,
IDEWALK CLEANERS.
ERNS, 50 cts.
SHOVELS,
SIEVES,
HODS,
and
ORSES.
tf

Emmons'
tor has brought happiness to
ious women. There is positive-
ly known to medical science
kly and safely do the work.
t obstinate irregularities from
d immediately. Success guar-
ge. No pain, danger, or inter-
k. Have relieved hundreds of
rs have failed. The most diffi-
fully treated by mail, and ben-
aranteed in every instance. No
We treat hundreds of ladies
se. Write for further particu-
idential advice. Do not put off
ers truthfully answered. Y
medy is absolutely safe under
ondition and positively leaves
upon the health. Sent by mail,
$2.00. Money letters should be
J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tre
n, Mass.

You Had Better Write Down
TELEPHONE No. 114-4.
AND CALL UP
The Hancock Fish Market,
Formerly C. H. BROOK'S Market,
Cor. Saville and Hancock Streets.
Everything of the Very Best. Fish orders taken and delivered by the
CONSOLIDATED
GROCERY & PROVISION CO.,
PROPRIETORS,
Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

The First
Cremo
Cigar
will convince you of its unusual quality and fragrance.
The first hundred will prove their uniformity.
The first thousand will substantiate the fact that it is a cigar you never tire of—5c.
Largest Seller in the World.
The Band is the Smoker's Protection.

THE VERY BEST
VERMONT BUTTER,
25 cts. per lb. 5 lb. box $1.25.
BEST ELGIN BUTTER, 23 cts. per lb.
5 lb. box, $1.10.
Meadowbrook Creamery,
1399 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in al. parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,
Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass
Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.
April 25. tf

— OUR —
Capitol Shoe
FOR BOYS.
Box Calf, Velour Calf, Enamel and Patent Colt.
Sizes 12 to 2 $1.75
Sizes 2½ to 5½ $2.00
The Capitol Shoes are made on up-to-date lasts, and will give comfort to the boys who wear them.
Every Pair Warranted.
GEORGE W. JONES,
Adams Building, - QUINCY.

If You Have a House to Let
Advertise It in the Ledger.

ELABORATE DRESSES.

Dyed Brussels Net—Chenille and Velvet Embroideries.

Brussels net is dyed in all the fashionable pale shades, and when this is made up over chiffon and silk it forms a beautiful and dainty costume. A gown of this description seen recently was in pale turquoise blue. The bodice, made decollete, had a draped bertha of dyed lace and chiffon, with tiny bows of velvet. The skirt and bodice were laid in graduated horizontal tucks, growing wider as they reached the bottom, and the belt was of swathed velvet, with a beautiful jeweled buckle having stones of a much darker shade of blue.

Jet robes have returned to favor, and they are made up with much chiffon and a spray of beautifully shaded velvet roses.

Black and white chiffon effects are particularly smart in evening gowns,

A DAINTY WAIST.

and Parisians are especially fond of black chiffon gowns trimmed with medallions of lace embroidered in black and white sequins.

All kinds of mirror velvets are worn, both plain and spotted, but chiffon velours in black, gun metal and a new shade of brown is the leading fabric for reception gowns.

Cloth gowns are trimmed with fanciful applications of velvet, diamonds, squares or round spots, and these spots are worked into a shaded design, interwoven sometimes with embroidery in leaf design.

Chenille is frequently seen not only in fringe, but in embroidery designs. Cut jet ornaments and even those of amber and pearl are being used on lace gowns.

The picture shows a cream crepe de chine waist made up of wide and narrow tucks and cordings.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

STEPHEN MORSE.

Rev. D. M. Wilson assists Rev. E. C. Butler at Services.

The funeral of Stephen Morse took place Saturday afternoon, from the residence of his son, Mr. Joseph C. Morse, 215 Goffe street.

The services were conducted by the Rev. E. C. Butler of the First church, assisted by the Rev. D. M. Wilson of Northfield, Mass., a former pastor of the First church, who spoke feelingly on the past life of the deceased, whom he had known for the last twenty-five years.

Mr. Dexter E. Wadsworth, a near neighbor, kindly conducted the funeral. The burial was in the family lot at Mount Wollaston cemetery. The bearers were his four grandsons, Mr. Joseph C. Morse, Jr., Mr. Edwin M. Morse, Mr. Morris H. Litchfield and Mr. Dunham Jackson.

There was a profusion of flowers, among the most noticeable being:

A wreath of galyx with white roses,—from Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Morse.

A wreath of galyx with violets,—from Mr. Joseph C. Morse, Jr., and Mr. Edwin M. Morse.

White pinks and violets,—from Miss Lizzie E. Morse of North Easton.

White lilies and freezia,—from Mr. and Mrs. John H. Litchfield of Wollaston.

Carnations,—from Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Jackson of Bridgewater.

Daffodils,—from Miss Carrie E. Morse of Boston.

White roses,—from Dr. and Mrs. Wm. S. Richardson of Marlboro.

Pink roses,—from Mrs. Mary S. Seavey of Boston.

Pink roses,—from Mr. Frank Copeland of Brockton.

Wreath of galyx with violets,—from Mrs. Wilson Tisdale of Quincy.

Red carnations,—from Mrs. E. W. H. Bass of Quincy.

Wreath of begonia leaves and violets,—from Mr. Edwin W. Marsh of Quincy.

Pink and white roses,—from Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Emery of Quincy.

Wreath of galyx with white roses,—from Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Jones of Wollaston.

Pink carnations,—from Mr. James S. Whiting of Wollaston.

White carnations,—from Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bateman of Quincy.

White roses,—from Mr. and Mrs. Horace F. Spear of Quincy.

Pink roses,—from Mrs. F. E. Whitcher of Dorchester.

Pink roses,—from Mr. and Mrs. F. W Whitcher of Dorchester.

Calla lilies'—Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Marsh of Quincy.

Heavy Damage by Robbers

Portland, Me., Jan. 25.—Burglars blew open the safe in the office of the Ligonia Grain company, South Portland. The robbers secured only a few dollars, but the premises were quite badly damaged by the explosion.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The house of C. L. Pierce, principal of Orange, Mass., High school, caught fire, and Miss Christina Lewis, a teacher who boarded there, was carried from her bedroom by a fireman. The property damage is about $2000.

At a meeting of citizens of Northampton, Mass., it was voted to ask of the city council an appropriation of $10,000 for the celebration of the 250th anniversary of the settlement of Northampton next June.

Norman Selby, known as "Kid" McCoy, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, giving his liabilities as $25,246 and assets as $150, consisting of wearing apparel.

Thomas W. Dunn, known as Maine's oldest shipbuilder, died at his home at Rockland, aged 82. He was a native of Boston. He began business in 1864.

Three wooden blocks in the business section of Lewiston, Me., were destroyed by fire, and the owners and occupants sustained a loss of about $25,000.

GRIP CONVALESCENCE

There's nothing better than Scott's Emulsion after the grip. When the fever is gone the body is left weak and exhausted; the nervous system is completely run down and vitality is low.

Two things to do: give strength to the whole body and new force to the nerves. Scott's Emulsion will do it; contains just what the worn-out system needs.

Rich blood, healthy flesh, resistive force, more and better nourishment are what Scott's Emulsion supplies to the convalescent.

Scott's Emulsion is the original and has been the standard emulsion of cod liver oil for nearly thirty years. Why buy the new, untried, cheap emulsions or so called wines, cordials and extracts of cod liver oil, when you can buy what is sure to help you?

We'll send you a sample free upon request.
SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York.

ON MURDER BENT

Madman Calls at Home of a Taunton Priest

FLOURISHED A REVOLVER

Man Whom He Sought to Have a "Curse" Removed Was Absent, but Another Clergyman Engaged In Desperate Fight

Taunton, Mass., Jan. 25.—Terrence Hylen, aged 30, a metal polisher, was taken into custody by the police and an inquiry as to his sanity will be instituted. Hylen is charged with having threatened the life of Rev. James Coyle, pastor of St. Mary's church, and was arrested upon a warrant issued Dec. 4 at the request of friends of the priest, who believed that the latter's life was in danger.

Hylen's enmity towards the clergyman developed last November, when he charged Coyle with having placed a curse upon him and told the priest that unless the curse was removed he would kill him. On Dec. 4 he met Coyle and, reiterating his demand that the curse be removed, is alleged to have said: "Uless you take this curse from me you will meet somebody as you turn the corner some night and that somebody will be me."

Father Coyle tried to reason with the man and protested against his arrest, but his friends insisted that Hylen be put under restraint and the warrant for his arrest was issued on that day. Since then the police have been looking for Hylen. Although they have not been able to place their hands upon him, he had on some occasions met Coyle and renewed his threats.

His peculiar behavior culminated late Saturday night, when he visited the rectory and, with a loaded revolver in his hand, demanded that he be given an immediate audience with Coyle, whom he proposed to kill. At the door of the rectory he was met by Rev. Mortimer Downing who, failing to dissuade Hylen from his purpose, closed with Hylen and succeeded in temporarily overpowering him. Hylen made his escape, but was found in City hotel yesterday and arrested.

Father Coyle was not at the rectory when Hylen called Saturday night. Father Downing, who also lives at the rectory, had just been summoned to the bedside of a dying parishioner, and was leaving the house as Hylen came into the yard. The latter inquired if Coyle was at home, and was told he was not. Divining the man's purpose, Downing suggested that he call in the morning, but Hylen would not be put off and insisted upon entering the rectory, which he did, Downing following him. The door had no sooner closed behind him that Hylen whipped out a 38-calibre revolver and, pointing it at Downing's head, exclaimed: "You produce Father Coyle within two minutes or I'll blow your brains out."

The clergyman struck up the weapon and sprang upon Hylen, who is large and powerfully built, while the priest is under the average height and by no means physically strong. A desperate struggle ensued, the noise of which attracted the attention of a visiting clergyman, who was spending the night in an adjoining room in the rectory. He hurried to the scene and the two clergymen were able to overpower Hylen. The latter promised that if released he would not use his revolver, but would quietly await any disposition the clergymen decided to make of his case. He was placed in a chair and Downing went to the street and reported the matter to a policemen. The two were returning to the house when Hylen was seen to leave the rectory by a side door. The officer ran after him, discharging his revolver into the air as he did so. Hylen paid no attention, but hurried out of sight and was not seen again until he appeared at the hotel, where he was arrested as soon as his presence there became known. He offered no resistance.

Father Downing's coolness and bravery in his encounter with Hylen, whom the police say is undoubtedly insane and so far as Coyle is concerned a dangerous man to be at liberty, caused much comment when the facts became known.

Weavers Vote to Strike

Woonsocket, R. I., Jan. 25.—The weavers of the Dunn Worsted mills voted to strike, and not to return to work so long as employes were required to run double looms on fancy mercerized goods. President Dunn refused to make any concession.

Killed by an Elephant

London, Jan. 25.—George Lockhart, the elephant trainer and circus proprietor, was accidentally crushed to death by an elephant while he was attending to the unloading of circus animals at a railroad station at Walthamstow.

Prince Euiwha at College

Washington, Jan. 25.—The Korean minister authorizes the statement that there has been no attempt to conceal the whereabouts of the crown prince, Euiwha. He says that the young man is at Roanoke college, Salem, Va.

A Twenty-Eight-Year Sentence

Sedalia, Mo., Jan. 25.—Frank C. Dunton, who killed Emil Myer two months ago for the ill-treatment of Dunton's daughter, was convicted of murder, the verdict fixing his punishment at 28 years in the penitentiary.

BY "DIVINE COMMAND"

Man Kills His Sister and Horribly Mutilates Her Body

Dunkirk, N. Y., Jan. 25.—Miss Hannah Hall, 30 years old, was murdered at her home in VanBuren by her brother, Isaac Hall, who shot her, cut her throat and cut off her head. Hall gave himself up after the murder and declares that he obeyed a divine behest when he killed his sister. Hall says he attacked his sister while she was asleep. He and his sister lived alone, as their parents are dead. It is thought Hall is the victim of religious mania.

Hall used four weapons, a pistol, a jack-knife, a butcher knife and an axe. He shot her and then, dragging the wounded woman through the house, cut her throat with both knives. In the woodshed he placed her neck across a chopping block and decapitated her.

Finding In Iroquois Disaster

Chicago, Jan. 25.—Upon the management and builders of the Iroquois theatre has been placed responsibility for the fire horror, in a report rendered to Mayor Harrison by Fire Chief Musham. The report is that prepared by Attorney Fulkerson, after examination of nearly 100 witnesses, and he concludes that the theatre building was not completed at the time it was opened; that the theatre employes did what they could to put the fire out and that doors and exits were generally locked throughout the building.

Vessel and Eight Men Lost

New York, Jan. 25.—Eight lives were lost in the total wreck during a dense fog off Quogue, L. I., of the schooner Augustus Hunt, bound for Boston, from Norfolk. Of the crew of nine only two men were saved, Second Mate Ebert and a Swede, who was unconscious when washed on the beach and whose name could not be ascertained. The vessel was in command of First Mate Conary, who took charge of her in place of Captain Blair, when she last left Boston.

Mercury Away Below Zero

Chicago, Jan. 25.—Extreme cold weather is recorded in various sections of the north and west. The cold wave extends over a wide area, embracing the upper Mississippi and Missouri valleys and the western lake region. The thermometer in this city registered 11 degrees below zero. This is suffering among the poor people. At St. Paul the minimum on the official thermometer was 33 degrees below zero. Bismarck reported 28 and Superior, Wis., 36.

Texas Town Swept by Fire

Sour Lake, Tex., Jan. 25.—A destructive fire swept Sour Lake and destroyed the main business portion of the town, causing an estimated loss of $200,000. Whether there was any loss of life will never be known probably. Hundreds of women and men, half of whose names were practically unknown, roomed in the second story of the buildings that were destroyed and several persons could have been burned to death and never missed.

Labor Men Denounce Officials

St. Louis, Jan. 25.—At a meeting last night of the Central Trades and Labor union resolutions were adopted endorsing the strike recently declared by the drivers for liverymen and undertakers and denouncing the course of Governor Dockery and Chief of Police Kiely in taking such rigid cognizance of the strike and permitting non-union drivers to be sworn in as private watchmen empowered to carry arms.

Thibetans Will Fight

Chumbi, Jan. 25.—Colonel Younghusband, the commander of the British expedition to Thibet, has had a friendly interview with a general from Lassa, and a number of Lamas who came out to meet the British mission. The general offered favorable terms for Colonel Younghusband to retire and on his refusal indicated that the British advance would be opposed.

Ready to Handle Exhibits

St. Louis, Jan. 25.—Owing to the prospective scarcity of cars and to avoid congestion if shipments are delayed, the Louisiana Purchase exposition now stands ready and is waiting for the full and general installation of exhibits. It now lays particular stress upon the importance of the speedy shipment of exhibits, especially those assembled by domestic exhibitors.

Agent's Integrity Questioned

Washington, Jan. 25.—The secretary of the interior has suspended from office Charles M. Schlierholtz, a special agent of the general land office, on charges involving integrity of his investigation of depredations on government timber lands in Louisiana.

Congressional Forecast

Washington, Jan. 24.—The senate has no program for the present week beyond a continuation of the debate on the Panama question. The house will devote practically the entire week to consideration of the army and urgent deficiency appropriation bills.

Bank President Arrested

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 25.—S. B. Allen, president of the Farmers and Merchants' National bank at Cleburn, is under arrest here on charges preferred by Bank Examiner Logan, charging him with embezzlement of $29,000 of the bank's funds.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Tuesday, Jan. 26.
Sun rises—7:05; sets—4:49.
Moon sets—12:42 a. m.
High water—3:15 a. m.; 5:30 p. m.

Pressure is low over the mouth of the St. Lawrence and a depression is moving southeastward over the eastern slope of the Rocky mountains. It will be fair and colder in New England.

ATTACK ON A CAR

American Property Destroyed by Mob at Korean Capital

WORK FOR OUR MARINES

Rescued Operators of Conveyance and Prevented Serious Riot--Trouble Caused by Accidental Killing of a Native

Washington, Jan. 25.—The state department has received official information of an attack by a mob of native Koreans on an electric car in Korea, the line being owned by Americans, because of the fact that it had killed a Korean. The news came in the following cablegram received under date of Jan. 24 from Minister Allen at Seoul:

"This morning on the electric railway, which is the property of American citizens, a Korean was accidentally and unavoidably killed. Thereupon a mob of natives attacked and partially destroyed the car. The operators of the car would have been injured had it not been for the presence of mind and action of our guard and serious riot would have occurred."

Although there have been previous reports of disturbances in Korea, this is the first mob attack made thus far on property of Americans. The railroad is owned and operated by Americans. H. R. Bostwick of San Francisco and H. Colbrau are its principal officers. It runs through the heart of the Korean capital.

The guard which made the rescue came from the American legation. It consists of 100 marines, who were sent there some time ago to be on hand for the protection of Americans and their property. Reinforcement of this guard has been urged and could be made in a week's time by details of marines from the Philippines, but nothing has been decided on this point. Conditions in Korea are recognized to be critical and the state department is keeping in close touch with the situation.

No fresh instructions have been sent as yet as a result of yesterday's mob attack. The Korean legation has received no advices concerning the matter.

The Korean government has notified its legation here that it has issued a formal declaration of neutrality as between Russia and Japan in the event of war, and Minister Min Hai Cho has formally advised the state department of this action.

Peptiron Pills
(Chocolate-coated)
The new iron tonic, nerve food and digestive, contain as the name indicates, pepsin and iron which they combine with celery and other great tonics, nervines and nutrients.
Ironize the blood, build up weak, unstrung nerves, cure nervous debility.
Cure anemia, in either sex at any age.
Give color to pale cheeks, pallid lips and bloodless ears.
Create an appetite and aid digestion.
Promote sweet, restful, natural sleep.
Peptiron Pills
(Chocolate-coated) are prepared only by C. I. HOOD CO., proprietors Hood's Sarsaparilla, Lowell, Mass. Price 50c. or $1.
Selling Agent in Quincy:
E. J. Murphy, 1657 Hancock St.

TO-DAY
And Every Day until the Bankrupt Stock of
C. F. DERBY
Is Closed out we will sell
MEN'S and BOYS'
CLOTHING,
Furnishings and Hats
At Lower Prices than any other store.
COME AT ONCE
For Best Bargains.
You want good goods for a little money. We want the cash. Here is your opportunity.
BANKRUPT SALE,
Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EASTMILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Vanity.

"Can you tell me where the beautiful Miss Smith lives? I've got a letter for her."

"No, I can't; but wouldn't the beautiful Miss Brown do just as well? That's me."—New York Evening Journal.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	41	24	18	28	30
Monday,	25	16	18	34	32
Tuesday,	—	10	28	33	33
Wednesday,	—	26	38	25	31
Thursday,	—	34	46	41	16
Friday,	—	35	40	41	20
Saturday,	—	35	44	30	11

New Advertisements Today.

State House Hearing.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Parlor Furniture.
Charles C. Hearn—Head-Ease.
D. E. Wadsworth & Co.—Mark Down Sale.
To Let—Cottage.
Omnium-Gatherum Auction.
To Let—Unfurnished Rooms.
To Let—Tenement.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Fair and cold.

The last week of January.

Sixteen degrees colder this noon than Sunday noon.

A pleasant Sunday at last, but the traveling was bad.

City Council tonight. The appointments of the Mayor may be expected.

Evander H. McLean of Cambridge spent Sunday with his mother, at her home on Liberty street.

Miss Grace Marden of Coddington street has gone to Fall River for a week's visit with relatives.

The Quincy basket ball team was defeated at Dorchester Saturday evening by Dorchester A. A. 8 to 2.

Something new,—an omnium-gatherum auction tomorrow at Crane's auction rooms, 4 Chestnut street.

The junior Christian Endeavor Society of Bethany Church is now so large that beginning this week it will meet in two sections.

The Norfolk Social club of Weymouth had a dinner at Hotel Lexington, Boston, on Saturday evening with Repretative Drinkwater and others as guests.

Misses Walsh, Gavin, Elcock and others, are to give a Leap year party in Music hall, on Wednesday evening. One hundred and fifty invitations have been issued. An orchestra of ten pieces will furnish the music.

The St. Mary's basket ball team won again by a big score on Saturday evening at St. Mary's hall, defeating the Tyler A. A. 51 to 4. It was closer between St. Mary's Junior and Battery H. second, the former winning 16 to 11.

Usually Quincy gets one or two days of 50-degree noon temperature in January, but we have had none this year and only two above 40 degrees. Last year we had eleven days above 40, and in 1899 and 1900 twelve days above 40.

Word was received in Quincy Sunday of the death at Waterbury, Conn., on Saturday, of Mr. Jabez Steer formerly of Quincy. He was 63 years of age and leaves a family. The burial will be at Quincy tomorrow, services being held at Bethany chapel.

George Dunham, the oldest employe on the street railway underwent an operation at the City Hospital on Saturday for a tumor on the back of the neck. The operation is reported as having been successful, and he is doing well.

The road scraper was at work all day Sunday.

Mrs. Agnes Dunston is seriously ill at her home on Jackson place.

Mrs. George Prout of Goddard street, is quite ill with erysipelas in her head.

Mrs. Julia Swan of North Abington is the guest of Mrs. W. W. Ewell of Foster street.

Mrs. J. A. Kendall of Walker street who has been ill for the past week is very much better.

Mrs. Beatrice Porterfield will give a matinee whist at her home on Granite street, on Thursday afternoon.

The Mount Wollaston associates will hold a whist party in I. O. O. F. hall, Adams Building, on Thursday evening.

J. P. Flannigan's horse had a feast this morning over the stuffing in the cushion on the back of Dr. Dion's sleigh while in front of City Hall.

Miss Charlotte Kingman, typewriter for the Master Builders association, has been detained at her home on Maple place the past few days by sickness.

The Daily Ledger is desirous of obtaining the names of all Quincy people born on the 29th of February, whether old, middle-aged or young.

Only a few weeks ago Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Meservey of Hingham observed their golden wedding. On Saturday Mrs. Meservey passed away. She was the daughter of John and Susan Dunbar.

Frank Benson, letter carrier and treasurer of the N. A. L. C. No. 129, who has been confined to his room the past two weeks, threatened with pneumonia, is once more attending to his duties, and his many friends are pleased to see him out again.

Among the certificates of new incorporation issued in Massachusetts last week was the Wilson Tisdale Co., Boston, livery stable; capital, $3,000. Promoters, Albert L. Ireland, Mary E. Tisdale and Michael J. Shea.

Dennis O'Neil is out after his recent illness and once more able to take up his duties. The streets and sidewalks in Atlantic have never been so well cared for as they have since Mr. O'Neil has had oversight of them.

Mr. Thomas Hewson of Newcomb place has been entertaining the past week his brother John, second officers of the United Fruit Company steamer Admiral Sampson that runs between Jamaica, Boston and Philadelphia.

The broken ice-cakes have drifted so forcibly against the wharf at the foot of Appleton street that two supports about one foot in diameter have been broken off by the strain. If the tide had been many inches higher last week the water would have entered the new Squantum yacht club house.

Owing to the continued illness of Mrs. John Shaw the travel talk to have been given at her home Tuesday afternoon, has been changed to the home of Mrs. Theodore Hardwick, Chestnut street. This is the last of a series of six talks by Mrs. Marie Moore of Newton and will be on Stratford-on-Avon, Canterbury and Chester.

The Truth.

No truer words were ever spoken than those in the following paragraph by Brother Green of the Advertiser, which appeared in his last issue:

"Our sympathy is extended to Mr. Geo. W. Prescott, proprietor of the Patriot and Ledger. While a jury has returned a verdict against him, there is no one who knows him can say his act was malicious."

W. G. CHUBBUCK,
Furniture and Piano Mover

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.

JOBBING.

Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.

lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

Insured for $2,000,000

L. Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, the eminent merchant of New York and Philadelphia, has taken out a policy in

The Prudential Insurance Co.

for $1,000,000, paying an annual premium of over $30,000. This makes him the most heavily insured man in the world, with the single exception of King Edward VII.

Mr. Wanamaker's total insurance is now $2,000,000.

Ask yourself WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed one-half this great amount with The Prudential.

Your business judgment will at once reply: "Because after full investigation and comparison, Mr. Wanamaker found that the company which could give him the best insurance for a given amount of money was The Prudential."

Undoubtedly you will agree that Mr. Wanamaker does not pay over $30,000 per year except for most excellent reasons.

These reasons apply to YOU precisely as well as they do to HIM.

Better apply TODAY for information regarding Prudential policies to

FRANK CHESTER MANN,

General Agent for Eastern Massachusetts
209 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.

HENRY O. FAIRBANKS,
Aug. 27-eod-1y Special Agent.

Burial at Quincy.

Jabez Steer for over twenty years a resident of Quincy, died on Sunday at Waterbury, Conn., where he has lived for five years. He leaves a widow, four sons and a daughter.

The sons are William D. of Norfolk Downs, Ernest J. of New York, Arthur and Elwin of Waterbury, and the daughter, Mrs. Archie Patterson of Milton.

Mr. Steer was a member of the Sons of St. George who will have charge of the funeral.

Services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at Bethany chapel.

Thieves and Bibles.

Bibles are said by detectives to be more rarely stolen than any other objects. This is not because Bibles are worthless to a thief, but because few criminals are sufficiently depraved to steal the good book. A detective said recently that in an important case which he had followed up some years ago a thief had entered the house, stolen some valuable jewels and left untouched a Bible bound in white chicken skin and studded with pearls. The detective caught the thief, and the man who had been robbed, a dealer in curios, visited his despoiler in jail, took an interest in him because he had not taken the Bible and eventually reformed him and got him a good job.

"I knew," the thief said, "that if I took that Bible it would do me harm and if I didn't take it it might do me good. I let it alone, and now, thank heaven, I'm an honest and a righteous man."

The detective added that in another case where a thief had stolen a Bible the book had been returned. "Another thing few thieves will take," he added, "is a child's savings bank."—Chicago Tribune.

The Useful Sunflower.

It is a common joke to call inferior cigars "cabbage leaves," but, as a matter of fact, some very good "weeds" are made from the leaves of the sunflower. These leaves can also be smoked in the place of tobacco, forming quite a passable substitute.

The stalks and leaves make excellent food for various animals, while the former can also be employed as fuel. Sunflower cake is made from the seeds of this useful plant after the oil has been extracted, this oil being very nearly equal to olive oil and used in cooking. The seeds not only serve as food for cattle; they are mashed and kneaded into bread by the poor peasants of certain parts of Russia, and they find it very palatable.

Potash is obtained from the ash of the stalks. The proportion is about one-third of potash to the total ash left after burning. A yellow dye is made from the flower of the plant. The fiber can be worked into a silk material.

When Two Rainbows Are Seen.

When two rainbows are sometimes seen at once, one outside the other, the inner or primary bow, as it is called, is always the brighter, and the red band of color is always on its outside. The outer or secondary bow is much fainter in color, and the red band is always on its inside. This is because in the primary bow the sun's rays are only reflected once, while in the secondary bow they are reflected twice, which makes them fainter in color and turns them upside down. In one rainbow we see the rays of the sun entering the raindrops at the top and reflected to the eye from the bottom, while in the other we see the rays entering the raindrops at the bottom and reflected from the top, whence they reach the eye.

The Veil In Persia.

J. D. Rees, a lecturer on Persia, says that the veils worn by Persian ladies are more of a privilege than a punishment. Screened behind it woman may walk wherever she pleases, and even her own husband dare not question her movements. Doubtless many Persian ladies make the most of their opportunities. The Persians, as a rule, do not think it right to take wine, but as nearly all their poetry is in praise of the flowing bowl it will be inferred that they frequently do violence to their conscience. Occasionally, however, they are seized with remorse, whereupon they destroy the wine of their Armenian neighbors.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

☞ Eyeglasses fitted scientifically. No guess work.—Williams.

DIED.

STEER—In Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 23, Mr. Jabez Steer, formerly of Quincy, aged 65 years. Funeral from chapel of Bethany church, Tuesday, Jan. 26, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

RECORD—In Quincy, Jan. 23, Mrs. Emily, widow of Elisha Record, aged 79 years.

MESERVEY—In Hingham, Jan. 23, Mrs. Susan L., wife of Maj. Benjamin F. Meservey, formerly of Quincy.

JONES—In Randolph, Jan. 24, Mr. Obadiah Jones, aged 92 years, 2 months and 3 days.

AT THE BEND OF THE STREAM

By J. P. COUGHLAN

Copyright, 1903, by J. P. Coughlan

"Och, Pat, ye are me darlin';
Ye are me heart's delight!"

AS Pat Casey strolled down the street of unlit Kilclooney, lilting and singing as he went, he smiled broadly on the world, and the world, or at least Kilclooney, smiled back at Pat.

When about to turn down the lane that led to his own snug farmhouse Pat's song was interrupted by a voice behind him. Turning and seeing Father Matt Daly standing in the roadway, he respectfully lifted his cap, saying:

"Good evenin', yer riverence."

"Good evening to you, Pat," replied Father Matt. "'Tis a happy man you seem to be this day."

"Faith, then, happy I am, yer riverence, an' 'tis I that have the good cause."

"Good cause, Pat! And what is it, may I ask?"

"An' who's the better right to? Why, but 'tis a sacret yet an' mustn't go farther than yerself, but I think I'll have a nate job for yer riverence very soon."

"I'm glad to learn it, Pat. Jobs are scarce just now, and they are hard times for the clergy. And what may it be?" asked Father Matt, with a knowing twinkle in his eye.

Pat looked cautiously around and, putting his hand sideways to his mouth, whispered loudly:

"Nora Condon has taken me for her husband, yer riverence."

"That's the secret, is it?" laughed the priest. Then, with a serious face, he added:

"Nora Condon is a good girl, and indeed I must say you're not a bad boy yourself, Pat; but, remember, don't dare to come to me before the altar until you've given me your firm promise to give up your illegal ways. The church commands us to obey the laws."

"Ah, yer riverence, sure 'tis the hard thing to be drivin' the drop of the cratur' out of the country altogether, but before I'm married I'll make ye the promise."

"I'm sincerely glad to hear it, Pat. Good evening, and God bless you."

"Thank ye kindly, yer riverence; good evenin'."

As Pat left the priest to continue his homeward walk a complacent smile crossed his handsome, good natured face. "Faix, an' I suppose his riverence is right," he mused to himself. "We'll have one good flow tonight, an' with the help of God 'twill be the last. Ould Gauger Nicholas would give somethin' to be able to discover on me, but after tonight I can snap me fingers at him. He's a terrible villain entirely, an' I have no doubt he has a sweet spot in the corner of his withered ould heart for me own Nora; but, faith, won't he grind his ugly ould teeth when he sees me l'adin' Nora up to the altar as if she was a queen in her own right an' me the king of Munster?"

That night lights burned brightly in the Casey household, and from the kitchen chimney the blue smoke curled up into the midnight air, but if a friend of the family came, doubtless, after passing the time of night with those in the kitchen, he would find his way down to the little stream that skirted the bounds of Pat Casey's farm.

At one spot down by this picturesque stream the water, passing through a barren, rocky patch, made a V shaped loop around a knot of bowlders. Near to these was a sort of natural cave known only to the Caseys and their immediate friends and formed by them into a neat distillery, where from time immemorial the "mountain dew" was turned out in considerable quantities and in almost perfect immunity from disturbance.

On this particular night Pat Casey attended to the still. Ned Hanlon took charge of the precious fluid as it filtered slowly through the worm, and Jerry Casey stirred the "wash" out into the stream that flowed beyond. Not a vestige of smoke appeared in the cave or went up from above it. From the fire under the still a pipe ran under the ground for a hundred yards or so until, reaching the house, it stealthily joined the capacious and respectable chimney of the farmhouse, the two smokes mingling innocently as they mounted skyward.

The three men were shortly joined by another.

"Pat," said he, "ye want to be very cautious tonight, I tell ye. I was in Cahircoolen today, an' ould Nicholas seemed to be very busy between the magistrates and the police barracks. I only hope he hasn't his eye on us. Did ye hear that he bought the Widow Bryan's over the sthrame there next to this?"

"Oh, we heard that a fortnight agone, Thady," said Pat Casey, "an', what's more, we know he'd like to be able to add this one to it, but he won't do it while Pat Casey is alive."

"Hush! Hush! I hear a noise overhead!" cried Jerry.

Suddenly a head came through a hole in the roof.

"Quick, boys, for the love of heaven! Jackeen Dooley, who has been watchin' up at the cross of the four roads, says that the pleece are stealin' down, an' ould Nicholas is at the head of 'em."

Without a word the lights were put out and the fire was pitched bodily into the stream and with it the contents of every vessel in the cave except one bottle, which Pat Casey took with him. In less than two minutes there was not a trace of recent operations, and the men stole to the house.

They were not more than well placed inside when they could plainly hear the policemen's voices coming from the spot where they were so energetically engaged but a few minutes previously. They had not much longer to wait when the sounds approached nearer, and suddenly Nicholas and his policemen burst into the kitchen.

"You've been warned of my visit, Pat Casey, and, though I haven't caught you in the act of illicit distillation, we have discovered potheen making apparatus on your land, and when you appear before the magistrate you will be accordingly liable to a fine of a hundred pounds. We have seized the still and worm"—

"Thank ye for yer information, Mr. Nicholas, but it seems to me that yer business is to carry out the law an' not to be givin' information about it. I've forgot more law than ye've ever learned, as perhaps ye may find out one of these fine days." With this elaborate retort Pat turned on his heel.

"Well, I thought I would prepare you"—

"An' now prepare to take yerself out of here an' not be disturbin' me an' me family," said Pat.

When the intruders had gone Pat Casey dived his hand into a big pot of mashed fodder, and, producing the bottle he had carried away from the cave, he filled a horn all round and asked "one an' all" to drink a toast.

"To Nora, an' confusion take the gaugers!"

And then was begun the most difficult part of the night's business.

Three days later Pat Casey and a group of friends stood in a little knot outside the dingy little building called the petty sessions courthouse of Cahircoolen waiting for their case to be called.

When the pompous clerk called out "The king versus Patrick Casey and others," all filed in and sat on a long bench behind Mr. Hanrahan, their counsel. The crown prosecutor opened the case briefly for the king. The charge was simple, but serious. Utensils for the manufacture of illicit whisky were found on Casey's land. Mr. Nicholas and the three policemen gave evidence for the prosecution, and then Mr. Hanrahan rose to state the case for the defense.

He expressed his intention to call no witnesses. The question was entirely one of fact. Mr. Nicholas and his police witnesses had spoken of having raided the land of his client, a most respectable and worthy man, and they testified to having found thereon certain utensils, but—and here Mr. Hanrahan paused to give due effect to his pronouncement—no evidence had been adduced to show that the land was the property of the defendants or in their possession.

Great sensation in court, during which the defendants grinned broadly and the prosecution assumed a perplexed frown. Mr. Hanrahan then produced a map of the estate prepared by the landlord and invited Nicholas to indicate the precise spot where the utensils were found. Nicholas did so, marking a spot on Casey's side of the stream. The accuracy of that Mr. Hanrahan at once begged leave to doubt. Then ensued a long legal wrangle, which was ended only by the long suffering magistrate deciding to adjourn the court to the disputed spot and there decide the matter for himself.

In less than half an hour three car loads of people, magistrate, counselors, prosecutors and defendants, drove off from the courthouse amid the admiring cheers of the assembled mob.

Throughout the journey Nicholas was grumpy and silent. From the doubtful knowledge which he possessed of the land so recently purchased by him from the Widow Bryan he began to fear that in the excess of his zeal he had pounced upon a still on his own land.

Surely enough his fears were confirmed. The stream ran most conclusively on Pat Casey's side of the guilty spot, and the party returned to the courthouse to go through the formality of discharging the defendants.

Nicholas and his policemen burst into the kitchen.

That trouble off his mind and enjoying the sensation of being the hero of the barony, Pat made all haste with the preparations for his wedding to Nora Condon. Not many days later the pair presented themselves at the Kilclooney parish church.

Before the ceremony began Father Matt took Pat into the sacristy and spoke to him about his promise to give up potheen making. "Faith, yer riverence, this happy day I make the promise with a heart and a half."

"That's right, Pat. I'm glad to find you speaking so manly. And now tell me," he added suddenly, "did you and the boys divert the stream the night after the gauger pounced upon you?"

Pat's reply was indirect: "Well, yer riverence, Nicholas coveted my patch of land, an' me an' the boys thought we would give him a taste of it to please him. We wanted to do it without his knowin' it, an' more especially as it was easy to do that same because that strame was turned many an' many a time by me father an' the Widow Bryan, accordin' to which way they wanted to irrigate the land. So that's how the turnin' didn't show, all the ground about bein' the same lookin'."

"My clerk, who was in Cahircoolen yesterday, tells me, Pat, that Nicholas is going to leave Cahircoolen," said Father Matt as they walked back into the church.

"Good fortune never comes in small doses," said Pat Casey fervently.

Closure by Sleep.

Once upon a time the Baltimore Reform league, of which C. J. Bonaparte was then president, undertook an investigation of the official doings of a prominent federal officeholder. Mr. Bonaparte, who did most of the investigating, discovered what he regarded as a long series of deliberate violations of the civil service rules. He drew up a report accordingly and proposed to submit it for the approval of the association at its next annual meeting. Meanwhile the friends of the official in question in the association—for, like every other organization, it has its hypocrites—secretly decided to "pack" the meeting and vote the report down. They arrived bright and early and waited for the roll call. But Mr. Bonaparte was not to be so easily overcome. After listening attentively to the formal and specious arguments against the report he arose and made a speech of half an hour's length, bitterly arraigning the official in the limelight. Then, seeing that the latter's friends still remained by their guns, he began the same speech all over again. When it was done once more he began it another time, and so he talked, on and on, over and over, six, seven, eight, ten times, until it was nearly dawn and the last friend of the official was asleep. Then he and his faithful followers adopted the report. He had taken care to send copies of it to the morning papers beforehand. He knew what the result would be.—John F. Brownell in Leslie's Popular Monthly.

My First Musk Ox.

I was in a dripping perspiration and had dropped my fur capote and cartridge belt after thrusting half a dozen shells into my pocket. On and on I ran, wondering, in a semidazed way, if the musk oxen were really on the other side of the ridge. Finally the ridge took a sharp turn to the north, and as I reached the top of it there—about 100 yards ahead—were two of the musk oxen running slowly but directly from me. Instantly the blood coursed through my veins, and the mist cleared from my eyes. Dropping on one knee I swung my rifle into position, but my hand was so tremulous and my heart thumped so heavily that the front sight wabbled all over the horizon. I realized that this might be the only shot I should get, for Indians in more propitious seasons had gone into the Barren grounds and not seen even one herd. Yet the musk oxen going away from me all the while, every instant of time seemed an insuperable age. The agony of those few seconds I waited so as to steady my hand! Once or twice I made another attempt to aim, but still the hand was too uncertain. I did not dare risk a shot. When I had rested a minute or two—that seemed fully half an hour—at last the front sight held true for an instant, and I pressed the trigger.

The exultation of that moment when I saw one of the two musk oxen stagger and then fall I know I shall never again experience.—Caspar Whitney in Outing.

Dog Pleads Before Judge.

An amusing trial has ended at Prague in which a dog played the leading part.

The owner of the dog was sued by an engineer, who claimed damages for a bite from the animal. He also denounced the dog as vicious. At the trial a veterinary surgeon who was called in tried his utmost to irritate the dog by teasing him, but the animal kept its temper.

The complainant then demanded that in order to test its real disposition its owner should be turned out of court and the dog let loose among the audience. This was done after the dog had been muzzled.

The dog, however, continued to display the greatest good humor, holding up one paw after another and wagging its tail. Finally it ran to the judge, before whom it sat on its hind legs begging in a most pathetic manner. The judge thereupon pronounced the dog to be a veritable lamb and gave judgment for its owner.

A Warm Bed.

A prominent actress tells this incident that happened when she was playing in "Madame Sans-Gene:"

"I was playing the part of the blanchisseuse in the laundry scene and was busily engaged in ironing when a cat which had its home somewhere about the theater came walking on to the stage. I thought this would furnish a good opportunity to give a realistic domestic touch to the scene, and so, when puss came purring up and rubbed against me, I stroked her fur, spoke to her, and then, for fear she might be distracting, I picked her up and put her down on the nearest place at hand, saying, 'There, pussy, go to sleep.'

"The cat curled up contentedly, and I went on with my lines. Suddenly I was aware of a murmur among the audience, which increased to a ripple of laughter. I realized something was up and turned instinctively to look at puss. There she was, asleep, where I had put her, among the irons on the 'redhot' range."

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—Three Reliable Teamsters. Steady job; pay $12.00. Address "CONTRACTOR," Ledger Office. Quincy, Jan. 22. 6t

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines, steady work. Apply to MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy. Jan. 13. tf

FOR SALE.

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom made pung built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition. GEORGE H. WILSON Quincy, Jan. 12. tf

TO LET.

TO LET—Tenement of 6 rooms, bath, and furnace on South street. Apply to JULIUS JOHNSON, 5 Temple street. Quincy, Jan. 25. tf

TO LET—Unfurnished Rooms suitable for two ladies or man and wife. Enquire at 48 Washington street, library side. Quincy, Jan. 25. 6t

TO LET—A Five Room Cottage on Wibird Street. Apply at 53 Newcomb street. Quincy, Jan. 25. tf

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30. lp-tf

WOLLASTON, near R. R. Station and Electrics. To Let—Tenement of six rooms, in good repair, on second floor, curtained and screened. Small family preferred. Apply to L. W. NASH, opposite station. Jan 21. 6t

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24. tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

ADVERTISING
IN THE
QUINCY DAILY LEDGER
BRINGS BEST RESULTS.

LIPPINCOTT'S
MONTHLY MAGAZINE
A FAMILY LIBRARY
The Best in Current Literature
12 COMPLETE NOVELS YEARLY
MANY SHORT STORIES AND PAPERS ON TIMELY TOPICS
$2.50 PER YEAR; 25 CTS. A COPY
NO CONTINUED STORIES
EVERY NUMBER COMPLETE IN ITSELF

SIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

isements in this column inserted at the rates:
nes, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
" three days, - - - 50 cents
" one week, - - - - 75 cents
nal lines will be charged for pro rata. rds equal a line. Long term rates for application.

WANTED.

TED—Three Reliable Teamsters. Steady job; pay $12.00. Address RACTOR," Ledger Office. , Jan. 22. 6t

TED—Experienced Stitchers, power achines, steady work. Apply to HLBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy. tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A Custom-made pung t for the Grocery and Provision busi- ble runner; in good condition. GEORGE H. WILSON , Jan. 12. tf

TO LET.

T—Tenement of 6 rooms, bath, and nace on South street. Apply to JOHNSON, 5 Temple street. , Jan. 25. tf

T—Unfurnished Rooms suitable for ladies or man and wife. Enquire at ington street, library side. , Jan. 25. 6t

T—A Five Room Cottage on Wibird et. Apply at 53 Newcomb street. , Jan. 25. tf

T—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all rovements, at 22 Blake street. Rent, month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Blake street, Wollaston. lp-tf

LASTON, near R. R. Station and lectrics. To Let—Tenement of six good repair, on second floor, curtained ged. Small family preferred. Apply NASH, opposite station. 6t

T—Nice tenement containing five s and bath, furnace heat, situate No. ock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES E, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

ET—Tenements, all improvements. ly to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independ- nue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. tf

ET—Two Rooms, furnished or un- ished. Apply 26 School street. , Nov. 23. tf

T—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, tly occupied by L. C. Embree & y to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

ANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms d bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per ill be leased for one or two years, es required. Apply at the office of F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

E of 7 rooms and bath, all modern provements, electric lights, with stable Point. Within one minute of the rs and within ten minutes' walk of River Ship and Engine Company he office of FRANK F. CRANE, street, Quincy, Mass. tf

TO LET.

llent Offices in the new Building, City Square. A good ity for lawyers.

and Ante-Rooms in the f Block. These are all furnished ted, and will be let permanently privilege of sub-letting, or for ights each month.

ished Lodging Rooms in gin-Merrill Block. Most con-

Offices in the Durgin-Merrill ly one flight up, and right at the his stairs. These will be let separ- together. A good chance for a

ore in Music Hall Block.

of a Store. Price very ic.

enement—recently papered—four ms, besides ample closets, etc.—city n Granite street, in the rear of reenleaf.

Office in Hancock Chambers—up t and at the head of the stairs.

rnished Lodging Rooms convenient.

ry or Shop on Granite street, r of Hotel Greenleaf.

ry or Shop—just put in good

op on the ground floor, in the usic Hall Block.

cy Real Estate Trust, all Block, QUINCY.

TISING
E
DAILY LEDGER
BEST RESULTS.

PPINCOTT'S
NTHLY MAGAZINE
A FAMILY LIBRARY
est in Current Literature
OMPLETE NOVELS YEARLY
SHORT STORIES AND
RS ON TIMELY TOPICS
PER YEAR; 25 CTS. A COPY
CONTINUED STORIES
NUMBER COMPLETE IN ITSELF

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 22. QUINCY, MASS., TUESDAY, JANUARY 26, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

NEW CITY TREASURER

The Only Important Change in the MAYOR'S APPOINTMENTS.

ALL GOODS WILL BE DELIVERED FREE AT RESIDENCES IN QUINCY.

John H. Pray & Sons Co.

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF

FLOOR COVERINGS

Assortment — COMPLETE
Prices — — — RIGHT
Work — — — PROMPT

It is generally known that we are ***Distributors of Floor Coverings*** of every description, and we desire it to be equally well known that we have all grades of ***Upholstery Fabrics, Lace Curtains, Furniture Coverings, etc.***

The advice of an interior decorator is at your service, if desired. Goods displayed either in our show-room or at residences. Estimates furnished for covering single pieces of furniture or for completely decorating either a single room or an entire house.

For eighty-six years, under the same firm name, we have distributed to the public, to our neighbors, to our friends, Carpets and Rugs, and until we added Interior Decorations and Upholstery Fabrics our sole and entire business has been Floor Coverings.

Does not this record make for intelligent confidence on your part?

Pray Building, Washington St., opposite Boylston St. BOSTON

Represented in Quincy by Mr. Otho A. Hayward; in Wollaston by Mr. W. J. Wellington

THE VERY BEST

VERMONT BUTTER,

25 cts. per lb. 5 lb. box $1.25.

BEST ELGIN BUTTER, 23 cts. per lb.

5 lb. box, $1.10.

Meadowbrook Creamery,

1399 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON

Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

If You Have a House to Let

Advertise It in the Ledger.

You Had Better Write Down

TELEPHONE No. 114-4.

AND CALL UP

The Hancock Fish Market,

Formerly C. H. BROOK'S Market,

Cor. Saville and Hancock Streets.

Everything of the **Very Best.** Fish orders taken and delivered by the

CONSOLIDATED GROCERY & PROVISION CO.,

PROPRIETORS,

Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

H. WALTER GRAY DROPPED.

And Henry G. Fay of Ward Five Named for City Treasurer.

Councilman Spargo's Place on Cemetery Board Taken by ex-Councilman Diack.

An Order Introduced for a $1,500 Sidewalk on Willard Street Near the Milton Line.---Sprinkling Order Early.

Mayor Bryant sent to Council Monday evening his appointment of department officials, which under the Quincy charter do not require confirmation. But two changes were made. The people would not have been prepared for the more important but for the information given in the Daily Ledger last week. H. Walter Gray, who retires as City Treasurer on Feb. 1, was first appointed in 1896 by Mayor C. F. Adams, and except during the year of Mayor Keith in 1899, has served continuously since under Mayors Sears, Hall and Bryant.

Councilman Nickerson was the only absent member.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Mayor Bryant forwarded a request of the Quincy Yacht club for the use of the Council chamber for its annual

COMMISSIONER KNOWLTON.

meeting Feb. 6. Laid on the table until later when an order was adopted.

APPOINTMENTS.

The Mayor forwarded the name of Francis Curtis as constable. Confirmed.

The Mayor forwarded the following appointments for department officials and administrative boards:

Commissioner of Public Works,—Charles F. Knowlton.

City Treasurer,—Henry G. Fay.

City Clerk,—Harrison A. Keith.

Chief Engineer of Fire Department,—Peter J. Williams.

Chief of Police,—Joseph W. Hayden.

City Solicitor,—Paul R. Blackmur.

Overseer of Poor,—James H. Cunningham.

Collector of Taxes,—Edgar G. Cleaves.

City Physician,—Dr. John F. Welch.

CHIEF ENGINEER WILLIAMS.

City Engineer,—Hamilton Flood.

Assessor for 3 years,—James Thompson.

Sewer Commissioner for 3 years,—William T. Isaac.

Park Commissioners, — George E. Pfaffmann, Fred B. Rice and Luther W. Glover.

Managers of Public Burial Places,—Cephas Drew, John Q. Cudworth, John L. Johnson, Albert W. Fay, Alfred O. Diack and George T. Magee.

Board of Health, — John S. Gay, Thomas J. Dion and William E. Badger.

Trustees of Thomas Crane Public Library,—Ellery C. Butler, Harrison A. Keith, George W. Morton, Harry L. Rice, Henry McGrath, and Charles R. Safford.

Managers of Adams Academy, — William Everett, John A. Bernhard,

CHIEF OF POLICE HAYDEN.

Luther S. Anderson, George B. Dewson, Walter S. Pinkham, Josepn M. Sheahan.

PETITIONS.

Several petitions for minor licenses were received and referred.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Licenses reported favorable on the petition of John H. Dinegan for an auctioneer's license, and Anthony J. Thompson for a common victualler's license. Adopted.

MORE POLICE.

The joint Committee on Police and Ordinances reported favorable on the order increasing the number of permanent men to 21. Rules suspended and order passed.

POLLS AND WIRES.

The Committee on Streets reported no legislation necessary on the petition

CITY CLERK KEITH.

of the Telephone Co. to attach wires to poles on Pray street and Curtis avenue.

The Committee on Streets reported an order for a public hearing Feb. 15 on the petition of the Telephone Co. to transfer the location of the American Co. on Willard street to the New England Co. Adopted.

HEARINGS.

The Committee on Streets reported orders for public hearing Feb. 1 on the following petitions:

New England Telephone Co., locations for poles on Spear and Taylor streets.

Quincy Electric Light Co., location for pole on Temple street.

New England Telephone Co., for permission to attach wires to poles of Electric Light Co.

POLICE BOXES.

The committee on Police reported an order for $1115 for three police signal boxes. To Finance Committee.

CITY BOOK.

Councilman Whiton offered an order for the Mayor to have the annual reports printed. To Finance Committee.

ASSESSOR THOMPSON.

WILLARD STREET SIDEWALK.

Councilman Loud offered an order for $1,500 for building a gravel sidewalk with edgestone under the betterment act on the east side of Willard street between Robertson street and the Milton line. To Street Committee.

STREET SPRINKLING.

Councilman Gassett offered an order for $7,000 for street watering from April 15 to Nov. 1. To Street Committee.

THROUGH CARS.

Councilman Whiton offered an order requesting the Mayor to confer with the proper railroad officials that through car service to the Dudley street terminal in Boston may be had early in the present year. Adopted.

WATER EXTENSION.

Councilman Langelier offered an order for $20,000 and receipts from services for the purchase of pipe and extension of the water mains. To Committee on Water Supply.

HOSE FIVE.

Councilman Bass offered an amendment to the Fire Department ordinance so as to provide for a company of eleven men for Hose 5 at Houghs Neck one of whom to be permanent at $16 a week. To joint Committee on Fire Department and Ordinances.

RULES OF ORDER.

Councilman Adams offered an order authorizing the clerk of committees to have 150 copies of the Rules of Order of the City Council printed. Rules suspened and order passed.

Councilman Holmes offered orders refunding to Harlow H. Rogers tax titles as follows:

$27.66, on estate of Thornton S. Lewis.

$80.72, on estate of Rose O'Hara.

$46.80, on estate of Fannie A. Higgins.

$33.99, on estate of Frank E. Barr.

All referred to Finance Committee.

Adjourned at 8.22, to meet Feb. 1.

NEW TREASURER.

Has Served the City on the Board of Assessors.

Henry G. Fay, who will succeed H. Walter Gray as City Treasurer, is well known in Quincy, having served under Mayor Keith in 1899 as a member of the Board of Assessors. It was during his term of office that the card system was introduced which has revolutionized the work of assessing and which is now carried on upon a more business like plan.

Mr. Fay has also taken an interest in the Woodward Institute and in 1901 and 1902 he was elected by the City Council as its representative on the Board of Managers of the Woodward Fund and Property.

He was born in Marlboro in 1859, and moved to Boston with his parents when a young man. He received his education in the public schools of Boston and at the English High school.

He engaged in the mercantile business for several years, and then entered the wholesale real estate business with which he has been identified for many years.

He came to Quincy 14 years ago and has since made his home here. He is married and resides on Marlboro street.

"EASY-SHAVE," the New Lather,

makes shaving a pleasure instead of a torture. Use "EASY-SHAVE," Shave yourself for two weeks and you will wonder how you ever got along without it. "EASY-SHAVE" makes the face soft and clear and keeps it so. At Druggists, 15c. Try it today.

HERBERT A. HAYDEN

Piano Tuner.

Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

4 for 1

Trading Stamps

AT THE

HOSIERY STORE.

LOW PRICES ON

BOYS' and GIRLS'

OUTING FLANNELS.

FINE LINE OF NECKWEAR.

LARGE ASSORTMENT

NEW LACES.

City Employment Office.

MRS. C. J. MILLER,

1383 Hancock Street, CITY SQUARE.

PICTURES

FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.

Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.

H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

MAIN SPRINGS

Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.

Work called for and delivered.

SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

GREAT SPORT.

Excellent Coasting on Many Hills of City.

Many Adults Are Enjoying It.

One of the Longest Slides is on Quarry Street.

Excellent coasting is being enjoyed by adults as well as the young people, and it is not confined to one locality, as all the hills are in good condition.

One of the longest coasts starts on Quarry street near the Hardwick quarry and continues down Quarry street into Granite and thence by School street to Fort square. The curves in the streets add to the excitement and sport.

A long and straight slide is on Whitwell street. Starting near the City Hospital it is possible to slide into Granite street. We noticed on Monday some cheering when a little double-runner with three aboard made a better record than one twice as large.

The boys of the John Hancock school have a very good coast for single sleds. It starts at Granite street, and continues down through the yard at a rapid pace, and out into Water street by the new passageway.

There is also a good slide on Garfield street which continues through Brewers corner into Water street, but this is attended with some danger.

It is possible to start at the top of Penns hill and slide down Franklin street nearly to Water street.

Revere road from Hancock street to the bridge over Town brook is used somewhat but not as extensively as in other years.

Dimmock street is another place where the young people have grand times coasting. They start at the junction of Goffe street. The first part of the coast is quite steep. As they strike the bridge over the railroad track it becomes somewhat level. After crossing the bridge it is not as steep but the momentum carries them to near the junction of Hancock street. They do not cross into Hancock street thus eliminating much of the danger.

At Wollaston the slides are almost too numerous to mention, and the number who enjoy the sport seems to increase daily.

Atlantic young people coast in the field in the rear of the depot out of the way of teams.

Coasting Accident.

Two sons of Frank W. Jones were injured Monday afternoon while coasting on Whitwell street by their sled running into a tree. The oldest of the boys, aged about six years, received a fracture of the skull.

Public Christening.

An event of considerable interest to the worshippers at the Finnish Congregational church and friends of the pastor, will be the public baptism on Thursday evening of this week at six o'clock of the little daughter of Rev. and Mrs. K. F. Henrikson. The baby arrived several weeks ago but it took a long time to decide on a name for the sunbeam. Two good old Bible names were finally the choice of the happy parents, and the girl will be christened "Martha Rebecca."

TODAY'S COURT.

Cornelius U. Tirrell was arraigned for rape at Weymouth. He was held in $2000 until March 12.

Frederick Corcoran and John H. Campbell were arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Cases continued until Feb. 1.

Nathan Talbot was fined $3 for drunkenness at Quincy.

—"Stealing electricity" is a criminal offence punishable by a fine of $100 and the fact was forcibly brought to the attention of the public this week by the fining of two Winthrop residents $10 each.—Revere Journal.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON. Jan. 22d, 1904. The Joint Committee on Metropolitan Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in so much of the Governor's address as relates to Metropolitan Parks, Metropolitan Water and Sewage and Metropolitan Thoroughfares, at room No. 436, State House, on Wednesday, Jan. 27th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. ALBION F. BEMIS, Chairman. ALFRED S. HALL, Clerk of the Committee. 25 2t

CHOIR BOYS' Fifth Annual Concert

By the combined Boy Choirs of St. Chrysostom's Church, Wollaston, and Christ Church, Quincy,

QUINCY MUSIC HALL,

Tuesday Evening, Feb. 16, 1904,

AT EIGHT O'CLOCK,

For the Choir Boys' Camp.

A Chorus of 70 Singers, assisted by Superior Soloists.

MR. E. LANDIS SNYDER, Director.

Reserved Seats, 50, 35 and 25 cents.

Quincy, Jan. 23. 1-tf--p-2w

Worms

Hundreds of children and adults have worms, but are treated for other diseases. The symptoms are:—indigestion, with a variable appetite; foul tongue; offensive breath; hard and full belly with occasional gripings and pains about the navel; eyes heavy and dull; itching of the nose; short, dry cough; grinding of the teeth; starting during sleep; slow fever; and often in children, convulsions.

TRUE'S ELIXIR

is the best worm remedy made. It has been in use since 1851. Is purely vegetable, harmless and effectual. Where no worms are present it acts as a Tonic, and corrects the condition of the mucous membrane of the stomach and bowels. A positive cure for Constipation and Biliousness, and a valuable remedy in all the common complaints of children. Price 35 cts. Ask your druggist for it.

Dr. J. F. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Me. Special treatment for Tape Worms. Free Pamphlet.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple,	$8.00
Dry Pine Wood,	7.00
Dry Pine Slabs,	6.00
Green Hard Wood,	7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.

THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,

Yard between Miller and West Streets.

Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.

Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

TO-DAY

And Every Day until the Bankrupt Stock of

C. F. DERBY

Is Closed out we will sell

MEN'S and BOYS'

CLOTHING,

Furnishings and Hats

At Lower Prices than any other store.

COME AT ONCE

For Best Bargains.

You want good goods for a little money. We want the cash. Here is your opportunity.

BANKRUPT SALE,

Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

You can buy WEDNESDAY at

PRATT'S

3 5-cent Loaves for	10 cents
2 Packages Luck,	15 cents

L. M. PRATT & SON.

Dr. Emmons'

Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively leaves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

Next Friday will be Carnation Day, the anniversary of the birth of William McKinley. Those who will think of it, and this is a gentle reminder that they may not forget, will wear a carnation in the buttonholes of their coats in memory of the last martyred President.

The coroners jury on the Iroquois theatre disaster at Chicago has fearlessly performed its duty, and includes among the guilty ones the mayor, the building commissioner and a building inspector, as well as the stage carpenter, a fireman at the theatre and the man in charge of the lights. All must appear before the grand jury, and, if indicted, stand trial.

As if to excuse the alleged defalcation of the treasurer of the Nashua Trust Company, amounting to $100,000, it is proclaimed that he was drawn into it to help a friend to whom he owed his position in the bank. When positions of trust are awarded on merit and not on pull the public will be safer. There is no excuse for officials who speculate on money which does not belong to them.

Some inconsiderate clerks in Washington are working themselves into a passion against the administration on account of its change in their work hours. They are so indignant at having to work seven hours a day for the meagre pittance of $5 a day on an average, rain or shine, the year round, that they threaten malingering in retaliation. Some people don't like to work between meals.

Some papers make a great hullabaloo about a Republican war in Ohio, the "war" aforesaid being the difference of opinion as to whether the intimate friends of Foraker or the intimate friends of Hanna will control the Ohio delegation in the Chicago convention and the resultant patronage of the state. The Republican majority in Ohio is sufficiently bouncing to tempt our friends to get up a sham battle at any time, to keep themselves in fighting trim in face of the enemy. A party that is in a minority that is hopeless never quarrels over the offices, even in fun.

Drift of Opinion.

☞What would become of family ties if there were no Sundays? I do not refer to the fact that those who live in the same house meet together by daylight and get acquainted, or that they sit together twice or thrice out of the score of meals of the week. Sunday is the great letter day, as the postman will tell you. He has good reason to dread Monday morning. I very much fear that if it were not for the Sunday letter-writing, distant members of families would become even more distant and in a few years indifference would take the place of the lively interest which results from frequent communications. Sunday gives the time and the government gives the means of exchange at a cost that is ridiculous.—Scious in the Milford Gazette.

☞It is a mistake to think that excessive physical exercise is beneficial. The opposite is the fact. As some one has said, "Man is not constructed to be a running and leaping animal, like a deer or cat." To emphasize bodily development above the mental development is a step toward resumption of the life of the savage and lower animals. Physical culture is a desirable thing, but, as in everything else, the extremes are to be avoided. A person may have too little bodily exercise, and may also have far too much or violent exercise. One who is walking a considerable part of the day would need but little else as exercise except, perhaps, calisthenics for the arms, back and chest and on retiring or rising. And the same advice is applicable to a woman who does her own housework. But one confined over a desk or typewriter should make a conscientious habit of walking, bicycling and calisthenics every day for an hour or thereabouts.—Cincinnati Tribune.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

A TERRIBLE MINE DISASTER

Nearly Two Hundred Men Entombed at Cheswick, Pa

VAIN EFFORTS AT RESCUE

But One Man Taken Out Alive and Even He May Die--No Lack of Brave Volunteers Willing to Face Death That Lives of Some of the Victims of Explosion Might Be Saved--Engineer Who Plotted the Mine Sacrificed His Life

Pittsburg, Jan. 26.—From all that can be gathered at present between 180 and 190 men are lying dead in the headings and passageways of the Harwick mine of the Allegheny Coal company at Cheswick, the result of a terrific explosion. Cage after cage has gone down into the mine and come up again, but only one miner of all those that went down to work Monday morning has been brought to the surface. The rescued man is Adolph Gunia and he is still in a semi-conscious condition.

In addition to the miners at work when the explosion occurred, Mining Engineer Taylor, who plotted the mine and who was the first to reach the bottom after the explosion, is also now among the list of dead. Of those in the mine, all are probably dead.

The first warning of the explosion was the sudden rumbling underground and then a sheet of flame followed up the shaft. Both mine cages were hurled through the tipple, 20 feet above the landing stage, and the three men on the tipple were hurled to the ground. A mule was thrown high above the shaft, and fell dead on the ground. The injured men were brought at once to this city, where two of them have died.

As soon as the rumble of the explosion and the crash at the pit mouth startled the little village, the wives and children of the men rushed to the scene of the disaster, but to gain no encouragement. There was no way to get into the deep workings. The cages that let the men into the mines and brought them out again when the day's work was done were both demolished. All day long there was a jam of waiting women and children about the mouth of the pit. There were calls for assistance and for surgical aid from the men in charge of the mine, but it was not until 4 o'clock in the afternoon that the first attempt at rescue was made. This was a failure, as the two men who volunteered were driven back by the foul air.

Shortly after 5 o'clock Selwyn M. Taylor and one of his assistants signalled for the engineer to lower them into the shaft. Thomas Wood told his story of this trip through the mine. He said:

"I was with Taylor and we climbed over three or four falls. Taylor laid out the mine and seemed to know the way. There was one man alive at the foot of the shaft. He was sent up and then we took the mule path into the south level. We saw two men who were alive and notified those who were back of us and then went on. We passed the third, fourth and fifth headings and then through an overdrift into the air shaft. I began to feel dizzy and sick, and then I saw Taylor stagger and fall. His lantern fell. We tried to lift him up but could not carry him up and I made my own way to safety."

At the entrance to the mine the great trial in the work of rescue was the wives and the children of the men entombed. Beneath the rough exterior of the manager of the mine, say the men who toil for him, there beats a tender heart, but work was to be done and as night crowded down over the hills and the women with sad eyes edged nearer to the black hole, he was forced to send them back. He tried to tell them what he wanted, that he would do all he could, but still they looked at him appealingly. At last he put his big hands kindly on the shoulders of the foremost and, turning to the pit, he pointed first there and then to the hamlet and uttered the one word, "home." Then they went and left the men to do the work of rescue.

Then Sewlyn M. Taylor, with a hammer in his hand, tapped on the edge of the iron cage twice and gave the signal "down." Three or four times the man, peering over the edge of the shaft, signalled the engineer to stop, but finally the cage reached the bottom and the men clambered into the wrecked mine. That last order of Taylor was the last heard of him above the surface.

The body of Taylor was brought to the surface at 2:25 this morning. He had evidently been dead several hours.

There were many heroes in oilskins and overalls who, with grimy hands, gathered around that black hole last night. It is a hard thing for men to go down into darkness and possible death, even for the lives of the men they know, but there were many volunteers who were strangers to the entombed men.

At every call there were always men enough to man the bucket. Jack McCann, an engineer of the company, made the trip twice. At first it was a failure, but as soon as Taylor had reached the bottom he was the next to go again. Again and again the men were driven back to the fresh air, but only to return.

Mine Inspector Cunningham of the 14th district said: "The mine was inspected, I think, about the first of December. There was some gas there then, but I never considered the mine dangerous." The last inspection blank hanging on the nail in the mine company's office is dated July 17, 1903, but it is evident that a later report has been torn off.

High Value on Wife's Affections

New York, Jan. 26.—E. Holloway Coe of 668 Fifth avenue was arrested in an action brought against him by Charles W. Bailey of Philadelphia, to recover $100,000 damages for the alienations of his wife's affections. Bail was fixed at $25,000 and was furnished by Coe. The defendant is a brother of Mrs. Bailey and Bailey charges him with alienating the affections of Mrs. Bailey by entering into a conspiracy with others by representing to her that he had been an unfaithful husband. The suit is the third instituted by Bailey, an action for slander and another suit for alienation of Mrs. Bailey's affections having been discontinued.

The Shaefer Murder Mystery

Bedford, Ind., Jan. 26.—Detectives are at work on the mystery of the murder of Miss Sarah Shaefer, teacher of Latin in the Bedford schools, and are satisfied that a tall man that was seen lurking in the vicinity of her boarding house was enamored of Miss Shaefer and that she had repulsed him. Determined to have an interview with her, the police think the man had made up his mind to kill her if she again resented his advances, and watched for her as she left the Johnson boarding house.

Thermometers Put to the Test

Duluth, Jan. 26.—The weather near Grand Rapids is 57 below zero by the government thermometer. At Hibbing it is 42 below and at Tower 48.

Des Moines, Jan. 26.—The blizzard which broke over this section of Iowa Sunday morning is still raging. From all parts of the state come stories of extreme cold, some places reporting 18 to 22 degrees below.

Milwaukee, Jan. 26.—The thermometer here registers 23 below zero.

In Gas Producers' Favor

Chicago, Jan. 26.—Judge Grosscup decided against the city of Chicago in the 75-cent gas cases. He declared that the state did not delegate to the city the power to regulate the price of gas. The decision was the outcome of suits brought by gas company officials asking for injunctions restraining the city from reducing the price of gas to 75 cents. Both injunctions were granted.

Former Mormon Bishop's Plum

Washington, Jan. 26.—On recommendation of Senator Heyburn, the president has appointed H. S. Wooley, a former bishop of the Mormon church, to be assayer of the mint at Boise City. The news of Wooley's appointment has caused considerable political gossip. The president holds that it seems evident that charges made against Wooley are due to political bias.

Cleveland's Crisp Comment

Princeton, N. J., Jan. 26.—Former President Cleveland, when asked last night for his opinion on W. J. Bryan's statement that no man who voted the Palmer-Buckner ticket can be nominated by the Democrats, said: "I haven't a word to say on the matter except that Bryan has got the stage; let him go it. I guess that's definite enough."

Hard Times In San Domingo

San Domingo, Jan. 26.—San Pedro de Macoris has again been occupied by the rebels, and General Bybo has joined the revolution. Minister of War Cabdreda is dead as the result of a wound received in a fight with the rebels at Los Llanos. The siege of this place continues, the prices of provisions are rising and the poor are beginning to suffer.

Dissension In British Cabinet

London, Jan. 26.—The Daily News publishes a rumor that further cabinet resignations are imminent, saying the officers to resign probably are Lord Lansdowne, secretary of state for foreign affairs; Lord Londonderry, president of the board of education, and Gerald Balfour, president of the Board of Trade.

Little Hope For Depositors

Westchester, Pa., Jan. 26.—The private bank of E. D. Haines & Co. of this place has closed its doors. Upwards of $100,000 is said to be on deposit. The investigations made by a receiver revealed nothing hopeful to the depositors beyond the likelihood of their receiving 25 percent of their deposits.

No Gambling In Panama

Panama, Jan. 26.—The constitutional convention, in discussion of the proposed constitution, approved an article prohibiting gambling in the republic of Panama. For many years past gambling has been a source of revenue to the Colombian government.

Churches Want Smoot Kept Out

Bellingham, Wash., Jan. 26.—In every one of 22 churches in this city resolutions have been passed calling upon Senators Ankeny and Foster of this state to cast their vote in the senate against the seating of Senator Reed Smoot of Utah.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Wednesday, Jan. 27.
Sun rises—7:04; sets—4:50.
Moon sets—1:44 a. m.
High water—6 a. m.; 6:30 p. m.

Fair weather has prevailed in eastern districts. There will be snow in New England, with lower temperatures.

CITY BREVITIES.

Excellent coasting.

Beautiful moonlight evenings.

A new City Treasurer next month.

R. D. Gordon left today for Georgia for his health.

Mrs. Alvin A. Hunt (Miss Mabel Hodges) and infant son will return to Hartford, Conn., this week.

Since the first of January prayer meetings have been held at the Finnish Congregational church on Buckley street every evening with a number of conversions.

Auctioneer Evans had three very successful auctions Monday. Two on Nightingale avenue and one on Gilbert street. Very large attendance and exceptional good prices. He was kept busy selling until nearly 9 P. M. Money is not scarce at auctions.

The annual parish meeting of Christ church will be held tomorrow evening at the parish house. Reports will be received from the church officers, and there will be elected one warden and five vestrymen to serve for two years, also a treasurer and clerk for one year.

The new Washington school has received another gift to add to its art decorations. It is a cast of "Children playing on instruments" by Della Robbia, the gift of Mr. E. S. Beckford, the electrician. It will be placed in the girls' stairway and will correspond with one in the boys' stairway.

Barbers in Office.

The regular meeting of the Barbers' Union Local, 390, was held at Doble's hall, South Quincy, Jan. 24. These officers were installed:

President,—James F. Edwards.
Vice President,—James Maloney.
Treasurer,—Joseph Rodgers.
Financial Secretary,—Oscar A. Minot.
Recording Secretary,—Isaac Savage.
Guide,—F. W. Cocoran.
Guard,—B. W. Cushing.
Finance Committee,—A. Botkin, B. W. Cushing and F. W. Cocoran.
Trustees,—Peter Motla, Guideon Rodgers and F. W. Cocoran.

A Drop In Grain Speculation

Chicago, Jan. 26.—A sensational break of 3 5-8 cents occurred in the prices of May wheat yesterday. Sales of millions of bushels for May delivery by the interest that had been actively supporting prices was the prime factor in changing a strong market into one of utter weakness. Other grains suffered with wheat.

Manitoba Suffers From Cold

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 26.—For the past two days a terrible blizzard has been raging here, practically tying up the city. Only three deaths have resulted here, although reports from the surrounding country tell of other fatalities. The mercury touched 50 below zero.

Fire Curtain Didn't Work

Berlin, Jan. 26.—The iron fire curtain refused to work at the Royal theatre when an attempt was made to lower it between acts, as required by the ordinances adopted since the burning of the Iroquois theatre at Chicago. The audience was somewhat excited.

Flood Damage Not Heavy

Pittsburg, Jan. 26.—The railroads are rapidly recovering from the effects of the flood. In the Pittsburg district the conditions are practically normal. With the passage of the flood the officials report much less damage than in past seasons.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Preparations are making at the war department for the transfer of the secretaryship from Secretary Root to Secretary Taft.

To avoid the long delay in payments to contractors for performing star route mail service throughout the country, the postoffice department is arranging to make monthly instead of quarterly payments.

At a special meeting of the board of directors of the Boston Herald W. E. Haskell was elected general manager. Mr. Haskell is the son of E. B. Haskell, for many years one of the principal owners of The Herald, and has been in active newspaper work since 1884.

A new automobile boat for the German emperor, designed by Charles F. Herreshoff, will be built by the Chase Pulley company of Providence.

A request from the war department has been transmitted to the house for the necessary legislation to permit Alfonso Zelaya, son of the president of Nicaragua, to attend the West Point military academy.

Joshua Lovett, well known among the business men of Boston in his connection with the real estate business and with the Commercial Towboat company, is dead, aged 64.

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you, in 6 to 14 days. 50 cents.

PAINTING

and Glazing.

WARD L. HAYWARD

28 Mechanic Street.

Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

PARLOR FURNITURE.

The parlor is usually the best furnished room in the house. It is in this room you receive and entertain your friends, and a well planned and well furnished parlor adds much to the pleasure of living.

We have hundreds of delightful combinations of furniture for parlor furnishing. Dainty Sets of 3 or 5 pieces. Turkish Sets that are luxurious and restful. Odd piece Sets with Fancy Chairs and Rockers, and an endless assortment of Odd Chairs and Rockers in the newest shapes.

We have the Carpets, Rugs, Draperies, Tables, Bric-a-brac, Cabinets and Pictures.

PARLORS FURNISHED FROM $25.00 to $150.00.

Cash or Credit. Green Trading Stamps on all cash purchases.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.

New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store.

Hancock Street, Quincy.

We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

MEN'S BANQUET,

UNIVERSALIST VESTRY,

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 27, 6.45 P. M.

Turkey Dinner, Music and Reading.

MERRILL C. WARD, Toastmaster.

TICKETS, 35 CENTS.

Quincy, Jan. 16. lp 2t

Head-Ease - FOR - Headache

A powder for the cure of Headache, Neuralgia, Sleeplessness and Colds.

In Envelopes, 3 Powders for 10 Cents.
In Boxes, 12 Powders for 25 Cents.

MADE ONLY BY

CHAS. C. HEARN,

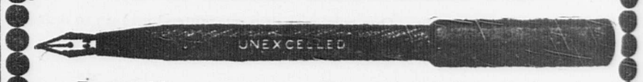
DRUGGIST,

1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

SAVE THIS COUPON . .

DAILY LEDGER PREMIUM.

SOLID GOLD FOUNTAIN PEN.



For TWO of these coupons and SIXTY-NINE CENTS we will furnish for a time LEDGER readers with a SOLID GOLD, fully warranted Fountain Pen, Polished barrel, rubber cap screw section, beautiful delivery, worth $2. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Present coupons at McCONNELL'S FRUIT STORE, 1414 Hancock St. Quincy, or

Hiram A. Hayden, Agent, 118 Washington St., Quincy.

Mail Orders Promptly Attended to. We Pay Postage.

A STORY

---BY---

HERMAN WHITAKER

WILL BE

The Daily Ledger

NOVELETTE

FOR SATURDAY.

IT WILL BE ILLUSTRATED.

RUBBERS.

We have all kinds of up-to-date

BEST QUALITY

RUBBERS

From the smallest to the largest sizes.

Our Prices are Low.

Our Goods are the best to be had at any Price.

GEORGE W. JONES,

Adams Building, - QUINCY.

REAL ESTATE.

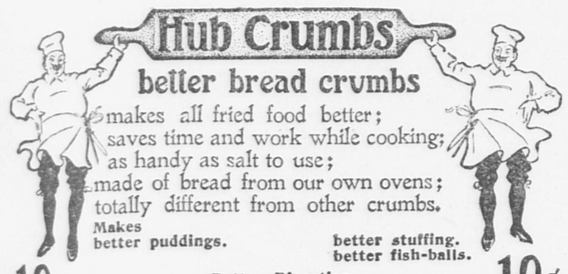
Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in al. parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf



At your grocer's or S. S. Pierce Co. Cobb, Bates Yerxa Co.
Mrs. Howard's Cook Book and sample on request. 244 Purchase St. Boston Mass.

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
Tuner in Quincy 25 y.

Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.

Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.

Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marten's store.

Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence.

Cracker Sale

THIS WEEK,

PRATT'S

Get our Prices for

Kennedy's Crackers.

Largest Assortment in Quincy

L. M. PRATT & SON.

LEWIS N. CURTIS,

PAINTER, GLAZIER.

LEADED STAINED GLASS.

Decorator and Paper Hanger.

OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.

15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

W. G. CHUBBUCK,

Furniture and Piano Mover

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up and Cleaned and Relaid.

JOBBING.

Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.

lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

LIPPINCOTT'S

MONTHLY MAGAZINE

A FAMILY LIBRARY

The Best in Current Literature

12 COMPLETE NOVELS YEARLY

MANY SHORT STORIES AND PAPERS ON TIMELY TOPICS

$2.50 PER YEAR; 25 CTS. A COPY

NO CONTINUED STORIES

EVERY NUMBER COMPLETE IN ITSELF

WHAT IS WORN.

Gray Cloth Combined With Chinchilla—Blue Dinner Frocks.

The wreath of small flowers has long been a favorite evening headdress, but it is now a trifle out of style. At any rate it is only becoming to a well shaped head and hair dressed low.

Gray ball gowns are a novelty of the season, but this demands bright hair and a brilliant complexion. An evening gown of pale gray oriental satin seen recently had a wide girdle of silver ribbon and a white bertha of creamy duchess lace. The skirt was laid in flat plaits at the waist and flared out into a pretty fullness.

Chinchilla is the fur to go with gray materials, and when this is combined with silver embroidery and cream lace the effect is very rich.

Pale coffee shades growing into cream are very smart trimmed with narrow

GRAY CLOTH GOWN.

touches of bronze velvet or mink. They are trimmed in addition with bands and applications of heavy lace dyed ecru to match.

Bright blues if becoming to their wearer make stunning dinner and theater frocks, but they must be trimmed in the same tone with dyed lace, sequins or chenille fringe.

The picture shows a gown of gray cloth trimmed with chiffon of the same shade and bands of oriental embroidery in red and green. The hat is of gray felt trimmed with a greenish owl.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

☞ Main Spring while you wait, Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

JURY'S QUICK WORK

Speedily Reached Decision In Iroquois Theatre Inquest

EIGHT MEN ARE BLAMED

Mayor Harrison and Three Other City Officials, Manager Davis and Three Theatre Employes Held For the Grand Jury

Chicago, Jan. 26.—The coroner's jury which for three weeks has been listening to evidence relating to the fire in the Iroquois theatre last night returned a verdict by which the following persons are held to await the action of a grand jury:

Carter H. Harrison, mayor of Chicago; Will J. Davis, proprietor in part and manager of the theatre; George Williams, building commissioner of Chicago; Edward Laughlin, building inspector under Williams; William H. Musham, chief of the Chicago fire department; William Sallers, fireman in the theatre; James E. Cummings, stage carpenter; William McMullen, who had charge of the light that caused the fire.

It was not generally thought that the jury would be able to make a report so promptly and when it retired last evening to consider the evidence Coroner Traeger announced that he did not expect a verdict before this morning. There was considerable surprise when the jury announced shortly before 11 o'clock that it had reached a verdict and was ready to report.

It was at once decided by the coroner that all men who had been held by the verdict to the grand jury should be taken into custody at once. He therefore prepared warrants for their arrest and called upon the police to serve the warrants.

"I do not expect that all these men who are likely to be held will try to escape," said the coroner, "but some of them who have not large property interests might take it into their heads to leave Chicago. I do not intend that there shall be any mistakes in that direction laid to my department. If I can cause the arrest of one of them I am compelled to cause the arrest of all, and there will be no favoritism shown, no matter who are the men held by the jury."

The finding of the jury follows:

"The cause of the fire was drapery coming in contact with a flood or arc light; city laws were not complied with, relating to building ordinances, regulating fire alarm boxes, fire apparatus, dampers or flues, on and above the stage and fly galleries.

"There was violation of the ordinance requiring fireproofing of scenery and all woodwork on and about the stage.

"Asbestos curtain was inadequate and was destroyed.

"Building ordinances were violated in that aisles were enclosed in each side of the lower boxes and in the absence of fire apparatus on the orchestra floor.

"Building ordinances were violated in that there was no fire apparatus in the gallery or first balcony."

Will J. Davis is held responsible as president and general manager. He was primarily responsible for the observance of, and was bound to see that his employes were properly instructed as to their duties in case of fire.

In relation to Mayor Harrison the verdict reads as follows: "We hold Carter H. Harrison, as mayor of the city of Chicago, responsible, as he has shown lamentable lack of force and for his efforts to escape responsibility, evidenced by the testimony of Building Commissioner Williams and Fire Marshal Musham, and as heads of departments under the said Carter H. Harrison, following this weak course, have given Chicago inefficient service which makes such calamity as the Iroquois theatre horror a menace until the public service is purged of incompetents."

Building Commissioner Williams was held "for gross neglect of his duty in allowing the theatre to open its doors to the public when the said theatre was incomplete and did not comply with the building ordinances of the city of Chicago."

Fire Marshal Musham was held responsible for "gross neglect of duty in not enforcing the city ordinances and failure to have his subordinate, William Sallers, at the theatre, report to him the lack of fire apparatus in the theatre. Sallers was held for not reporting the lack of apparatus; McMullen for carelessness in handling the light that caused the fire; Cummings as stage carpenter for not providing the stage with proper fire protection.

Case of Tit For Tat

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 26.—The house killed the resolution to invite President Roosevelt to address the legislature. By referring it to a hostile committee the house followed the example of the senate in dealing with the resolution commending the president's Panama policy. W. J. Bryan has telegraphed his acceptance of the legislature's invitation to speak at the Goebel memorial exercises on Feb. 3.

Copper Mining Litigation

Trenton, Jan. 26.—Vice-Chancellor Stevenson has granted an order for cause to be shown why a receiver should not be appointed for the old Dominion Copper Mining and Smelting company. The application was made by John K. Pierce of Lincoln, Mass., who alleges that the company is insolvent.

MAY REACH $100,000

Shortage In Accounts of Treasurer of Nashua Trust Company

Nashua, N. H., Jan. 26.—The alleged illegal manipulation of notes held by the bank during a period covering nearly 25 years and subsequent attempts to make good a shortage by speculation are the causes assigned by the directors of the Nashua Trust company for the arrest of their treasurer, John P. Goggin, and closing the doors of the institution. The treasurer's shortage is said to amount to $100,000.

The bank officials had attachments placed on all the property in this city and Manchester of George E. Gage of Malden, Mass., to protect a promissory note of $20,000 given by Gage some time ago. The directors state that similar proceedings will be instituted against another debtor of the bank whose name was not disclosed.

Goggin was arraigned in the local police court and held in $10,000 and after waiting until 10:30 o'clock last night sureties were furnished by his father and nine other men whose names were not announced, and Goggin was released.

Gage's connection with the bank dates back nearly 30 years, and it was through his recommendation that Goggin was brought on from Topeka and given the position as tresurer of the trust company. Gage at that time was vice president of the institution, but in 1895 he resigned, and some years ago gave up his holdings in the stock of the bank.

Store Robbers Captured

Boston, Jan. 26.—In the arrest last night of Abraham Parnes and Benjamin Mandell the police believe they have broken up an extensive system of robbing grocery and provision stores. These stealings have been carried on for several months and thousands of dollars' worth of goods have been taken. The men were caught taking a 60-pound tub of butter from the store of James F. Clark & Co. In a wagon standing in an alley were 13 tubs and five boxes of butter and six cases of eggs, over 200 dozen in all, which had been stolen.

Robber's Unique Contrivance

Providence, Jan. 26.—After a lively tussle, Detective Haran accomplished the arrest of George Morrison, caught while robbing a church poorbox. After procuring a key the thief had inserted a stiff wad of paper into the box, which he placed so that the money inserted would not drop to the bottom. Church officials would thus find the box apparently empty, but the robber would, upon his arrival, rifle the box of its contents and again set the trap for the money.

To Stir Up State Police

Boston, Jan. 26.—Deputy Chief Shaw has determined that his force of state police shall be in closer touch with one another in the matter of criminal investigation throughout the commonwealth and he intends to have a weekly roll call, when the detectives can talk over happenings in the different sections of the state. Recent burglaries in cities and towns near Boston have stirred the state police to a state of unusual activity.

Robber Gets Heavy Sentence

Boston, Jan. 26.—Judge Bond sentenced George Thorpe, a negro, to a term of not more than 20 years nor less than 15 years in the state prison, with three days in solitary confinement. Thorpe went to the house of Mary R. Zundel and forced his way in. Then, drawing a knife, he threatened the woman so that she was compelled to give him a watch and chain.

An All-Round Reduction

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 26.—The cutdown in wages in the Mount Hope Iron works, Somerset, has gone into effect. It is figured to be a cutdown of from 10 to 15 percent all through the two plants, including cutters, feeders, rolling mill and machine departments. The two plants furnish the principal manufacturing industry of the town.

License For Boxing In Boston

Boston, Jan. 26.—The Criterion Athletic club, under whose auspices many boxing contests have been conducted during the fall and winter and in whose club house many boxing men were arrested last Tuesday night, were granted a license by the board of aldermen last night to conduct wrestling exhibitions for one month.

Boy Fooled With Shotgun

Greenfield, Mass., Jan. 26.—Through the accidental discharge of a shotgun in the hands of her 7-year-old brother, Merle M. Thomas, 3 years old, was fatally shot last night. A dozen buckshot entered the child's hip and she died three hours after.

Hall Is Breaking Down

Fredonia, N. Y., Jan. 26.—Isaac Hall, who murdered his sister, Hannah Hall, by chopping off her head, was held last night without bail to await the action of the grand jury. He seemed to have no idea of the enormity of the crime, but with the aid of his attorney pleaded not guilty. Hall is in a state of collapse.

Killed Both His Employers

Alfred, Oat., Jan. 26.—C. Goyette, in a quarrel over wages with Daniel Corrigan and his son, farmers by whom he was employed, killed them both. He then forced Mrs. Corrigan to give him all the money she had and fled. He was arrested and is now in jail.

Batch of Bribery Arrests

Green Bay, Wis., Jan. 26.—Aldermen Gray and Schwartz, City Attorney Fontaine and City Assessor Parmentier are under arrest on warrants based upon indictments returned by the grand jury, charging them with bribery.

IS NO TREACHERY

Odell Says New York Republicans Are For Roosevelt

SENTIMENT OF THE WEST

Replies to Inquries by a Magazine Show That President Is Strengthened by Anti-Trust Actions and Panama Policy

New York, Jan. 26.—Governor Odell has disposed of the reports to the effect that he was not in favor of having the New York delegates to the Republican national convention instructed for Roosevelt and that he was contemplating treachery to the president. The governor made the following statement at the Fifth Avenue hotel:

"I have not gone around declaring that our delegates will be instructed for Roosevelt because I did not consider such a declaration necessary and because I did not care to pose as a boss who announces in advance what a convention is going to do. I will say now, however, that there is no doubt that New York state is for Roosevelt. I have heard from all parts of the state, and I have found no change in the sentiment which moved our state convention last year to declare for Roosevelt's nomination.

"That is plain enough and anybody can easily guess whether the delegates are to be instructed. I can't venture to guess myself, because if I did the newspapers would cry out that I was dictating. As to the talk about treachery to Roosevelt, that is all nonsense. The president understands my position thouroughly, and he seems to be pretty well satisfied."

The governor made it clear that the New York delegates will be instructed for Roosevelt, and that no other candidate will be heard of in the state convention. The treachery stories came from Platt sources, and they were repeated so persistently that the governor thought it well to dispose of them at this time.

The Februrary number of World's Work will say that the World's Work sent a specific inquiry to representative, well-informed men in every state west of New York—men who are positions to make accurate judgment of public sentiment—about the popularity of Mr. Roosevelt, and the answers are exceedingly interesting. The men who made these answers are all—so far as could be ascertained—outside both senatorial influence and Wall street influence. Most of them are Republicans but some are Democrats. They are editors, lawyers, men of affairs—not office-holders. The first question asked was:

"Do you regard Mr. Roosevelt's nomination assured?" Practically all answer yes. Only two percent say, blankly, no.

The next question was: "Has there been any diminution of his popularity during the last few months?" Eighty percent of the answers from the west are "No." The others express varying degrees of doubt.

Another question was: "Has his policy in dealing with the trusts, etc., hurt him in the esteem of the people?" The answers show that this has increased his hold on the popular good will—almost unanimously.

To the question whether the president's Panama policy is popular the answers are practically all in the affirmative. Many report, however, that the people have not paid particular attention to it nor expressed themselves.

The effort to ascertain the most popular and the least popular acts of the administration brought no satisfactory report of public opinion in general. Local feeling appears in almost every answer. The most unpopular act of the president, for example, in one part of the northwest is reported to be his treatment of General Miles. In the beet-sugar region he is criticized for his insistence on Cuban reciprocity. The appointment of Mr. Payne to the postmaster generalship is severely criticized in several states. In the far west the irrigation law is his most popular act. But these questions brought less instructive answers than any others.

In response to a request to write at some length about the popular attitude toward Mr. Roosevelt and his nomination, these correspondents have made it clear that in the middle west and the farther west he is by far the most popular man in public life.

But there is some criticism, such as—"He is playing politics too much. If he forsake his old candor and frankness for a trading policy he will invite defeat."

"Some of us are coming to fear that he, too, is a politician. Still he remains the best of the lot—head and shoulders above the others."

"The greatest danger to the president is his own early excessive popularity. He was at first too popular. We are given to hero-worship—then to hero-forgetfulness."

Death an Unrecognized Guest

Anoka, Minn., Jan. 26.—Among those at a sleighing party given here was Lewis Ficker, and by his side sat a young woman. Amid the joking and singing she thought he was hanging his head on his breast to avoid the cold. In this way the "bob-sled" sped for miles to the accompaniment of tooting horns, yells, singing and laughter. At last Ficker's continued silence caused an investigation and it was found that he had been dead over an hour. At the autopsy death was ascribed to heart failure.

STILL NEGOTIATING

Russia May Have Her Reply to Japan Ready This Week

St. Petersburg, Jan. 26.—The exchange of communications between the foreign office, the members of the committee of the far east, Viceroy Alexieff and Baron de Rosen, the Russian minister at Tokio, is still going on. There is no official indication of when a conclusion will be reached, but a diplomat who is close to such negotiations expresses the opinion that the Russian reply will possibly be ready this week.

While the bourse here has been nervous owing to the uncertainty of the situation, the progress of the negotiations inspires increased confidence and in some quarters there is a confident belief in a favorable issue. The principal danger now is said to be confined to the disorderly elements in Korea. The latest news received here represents a great majority of the Koreans sympathizing with Russia and hostile to Japan.

In Congress

Washington, Jan. 26.—The senate heard further discussion of the question of appointments to office during congressional recesses, listened to a speech on the isthmus canal question by Mr. Morgan and passed a number of bills of a semi-public character. A resolution asking for specific information concerning the nomination of W. D. Crum as collector of customs at the port of Charleston was passed.

The house passed the army appropriation bill, carrying approximately $75,000,000, after adopting a number of amendments. A resolution calling on the secretary of state for information as to the number of carriages maintained by the government for the state department was adopted.

Severe Decline In Fisheries

St. Johns, Jan. 26.—The total export of codfish from St. Pierre and Miquelon for the year 1903 was only 46,800 pounds, against 66,600,000 pounds the previous year. The season of 1902 was not a particularly successful one. The operation in 1903 of the Newfoundland bait act is believed to have been largely responsible for the poor season at St. Pierre and Miquelon.

Cow Causes Train Wreck

Memphis, Jan. 26.—A fast mail train from New Orleans to Chicago was wrecked at Gales and one person was killed and two slightly injured. The wreck was caused by the pilot striking a cow. The animal was thrown against a switch and in some manner opened it, derailing the train. The person killed was a resident of Gales, who was standing beside the track.

Union Treasurer Stole Funds

Baltimore, Jan. 26.—Otto Berger, former treasurer of the Musical Union of Baltimore, was convicted of embezzling $4000 of union funds. Berger absconded in 1891. A few weeks ago he was arrested at Joliet, Ills., where he was employed as a deputy sheriff at the penitentiary, and brought back to Maryland on a requisition.

Humors

They take possession of the body, and are Lords of Misrule.

They are attended by pimples, boils, the itching tetter, salt rheum, and other cutaneous eruptions; by feelings of weakness, languor, general debility and what not.

They cause more suffering than anything else.

Health, Strength, Peace and Pleasure require their expulsion, and this is positively effected, according to thousands of grateful testimonials, by

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Which radically and permanently drives them out and builds up the whole system.

You can buy THURSDAY at

PRATT'S

2 lbs. Good Steak, 25 cents

Smoked Shoulders, 8 cts. pound

L. M. PRATT & SON.

DANCING.

COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.

BASKET BALL

AND DANCING

THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10

Assemblies every Saturday night.

Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2

Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all former pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For further particulars apply to ELMER W. BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

Karo

CORN SYRUP

The new syrup with the new flavor that everybody loves. Good for all home uses, from griddle cakes to candy. All grocers, in 10, 25 and 50 cent tins.

CORN PRODUCTS CO., New York and Chicago.

JOHN MAHON,

Teacher of Piano and Organ,

375 Franklin Street, Quincy.

Jan. 23. 6t

I Can Quickly Sell for Cash

Without local publicity, your Business, Real Estate or Partnership, no matter where located Send me full particulars, price, etc.

Address. CHARLES E. POWELL, 19 W. Mohawk St., Buffalo, New York.

Jan. 22. 1m

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,

DENTIST,

Opposite Post Office, 1355 Hancock St., Quincy.

OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.

Jan. 31. tf

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

OUR

Mark Down Sale

OF COATS

Was a great success.

The people of Quincy Realized the Values they were getting for a little money.

We shall continue the Low Prices this week and some Coats we are obliged to mark still Lower to keep a line of prices.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

Hardware Supply Co.,

1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES

Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,

GIRLS' SLEDS,

SNOW SHOVELS,

SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,

COAL SIEVES,

COAL HODS,

SAWS and

SAW HORSES.

Dec. 29. tf

CARD.

Mrs. F. H. Hewins,

—: Formerly in the :—

Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations

METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.

Offices:

128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.

Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903 tf

JOHN STREIFERD & SON, FLORISTS.

Telephone 13-7 Braintree.

Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.

Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
A. Pierson, 92 Granite street.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
F. J. Pierson, 149 Granite street.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EASTMILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Feminine Enjoyment.

Miss Smart—There's Dolly Fitz-Jones over there. I went to her wedding.

Mr. Borde—Oh, did you?

Miss Smart—Yes. I enjoyed myself immensely. Her gown didn't fit her anywhere, and every one said she looked a perfect fright.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	41	24	18	28	30
Monday,	25	16	18	34	32
Tuesday,	29	10	28	33	33
Wednesday,	—	26	38	25	31
Thursday,	—	34	46	41	16
Friday,	—	35	40	41	20
Saturday,	—	35	44	30	11

New Advertisements Today.

George W. Jones—Rubbers.

To Rent—Quincy House.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Snow is predicted.

Snow began to fall about 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The Milton A. C. basket ball team defeated Hyde Park 14 to 10 at Hyde Park on Monday evening.

On Wednesday the Ladies' Benevolent Society of the Baptist church will meet with Mrs. C. A. Campbell, Beale street.

The Daily Ledger is desirous of obtaining the names of all Quincy people born on the 29th of February, whether old, middle-aged or young.

On Saturday the Mission Study Club will meet at the parsonage of the Wollaston Congregational church at 7.30. Miss Anna C. Moore will speak on Alaska.

The streets lighted by gas which have in darkness for several weeks appreciate the electric lights which have been substituted in place of the gas. A light is almost a necessity in winter, with its dark nights and bad walking.

The spearing for eels through the ice in Quincy bay has made it dangerous for those who venture out any distance over the crust. The holes, though small, are deep and covered with snow as they are, make the greatest precaution necessary.

Some are bothered in finding the number of the Ledger telephone in the catalogue of the company. It appears under "Q." Look for "Quincy Daily Ledger and Patriot, Geo. W. Prescott & Son, Quincy." Our number is 78-3 Quincy.

Miss Lucy Sturgis of Boston spoke to the Guild of St. Perpetua at its meeting at the rectory at Wollaston last week. She greatly interested the guild by describing the missionary work of the Junior Auxiliary of which the guild is a branch.

The Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society will observe Thursday, Jan. 28, as a day of prayer for its work by a meeting at the Bowdoin Square Baptist Tabernacle. Sessions begin at 10.30 and 2. Tea and coffee will be provided.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

NEW MEMBERS.

Voted into the Wollaston Unitarian Society.

About one hundred attended the annual parish meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian society Monday evening. Supper was served at 6.30.

The business meeting followed and the first thing to come before the meeting was the election of persons to membership. Twenty-one were added.

The treasurer, Mr. Wellington, read an encouraging financial report, showing that the church was in a better condition than last year.

Reports were heard from the Alliance, the Sunday school, the Young People's Religious Union, Altar Society, Dennison Auxiliary, Unity club and Unitarian club, all of which showed progress.

The pastor spoke on the vital work of the society, and his relation toward it, and said the past year had been the most successful of his pastorate. He also spoke of the unusual number of new people who had allied themselves with the church; of the established evening service, and of the volunteer choir.

The president Mr. Bishop gave a little history of the church, and commended those who had done such faithful service for the past year.

It was with expressions of deep regret that the parish felt obliged to accept the resignation of Mr. Charles Baker, who had served as clerk for fifteen years.

The following officers were elected:

Clerk,—Fred W. Rollins.
President,—F. H. Bishop.
Treasurer,—W. J. Wellington.
Parish Committee,—J. Q. A. Litchfield, Eugene H. Sprague, George W. Bennett, Walter Parker and Frank P. Waterhouse.

A social intermission was much enjoyed. Those who had charge of the supper were the wives of the parish committee, and the young men of the parish served as waiters.

Quincy Branch Alliance.

There was a large attendance at the Alliance meeting in First church chapel on Monday afternoon. Mrs. George G. Saville, the president, presided and after the regular routine business passed the meeting over to Mrs. A. E. Sproul the committee for the afternoon. Mrs. N. S. Hunting sang a solo and Mrs. Hunting and Mrs. Henry Tirrell a duet, both of which were sweetly sung and heartily encored. Mrs. Sproul's paper on Leah and Rachel was most interesting and during the social half which followed she was congratulated on providing so entertaining an afternoon. Hot chocolate and crackers were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Saville and Mrs. Tirrell.

Accident on Douglass.

First mate Lewis Huff of the six-masted schooner W. L. Douglass met with a serious accident on Sunday while the vessel was coming to anchor near Vineyard Haven. His left leg became entangled in the main sheet and was wrenched off above the ankle, falling into the sea while his right leg was so badly injured it is feared amputation may be necessary.

They Both Had Doubts.

A certain professor, who shall be nameless, tells the following good story against himself relating to an experience he had when crossing the Atlantic. He had been unable to get a stateroom for himself; but, on assurances by the purser that he would have for a roommate some companionable gentleman, he accepted what he could get.

"Now, after a short while," says the narrator, "I began to find myself thinking of some valuables that I had about me and went with them finally to the purser to intrust them to his keeping.

"'I would explain to you,' I said to the purser, 'that I am very much pleased with my roommate—that is, I find him a gentleman in every respect, and I wouldn't have you think that—that is, I wouldn't have you think my coming to you with these valuables is—er—a—any reflection upon him, you know. His appearance is in every way'—

"And here," the narrator says, "the purser interrupted me, with a somewhat broad smile.

"'Yes, sir; it's all right; he has come to me with some valuables also, and he says the very same thing about you.'"

Congratulations to Mr. Horace F. Bates and Miss Mary A. Sayward of Wollaston who were quietly married on Saturday. Mr. Bates is now principal of the High school at Berwick, Maine.

The friends of Conductor Thomas Craig are rallying to his support in the Herald contest, and he now has over 1000 votes to his credit, with many in reserve. He is number six in his class, and 462 ahead of number seven.

MARRIED.

BATES — SAYWARD — In Boston, Jan. 23, by Rev. Edward A. Chase, Mr. Horace F. Bates to Miss Mary A. Sayward both of Wollaston.

DIED.

COYLE—In Weymouth, Jan. 25, Mrs. Ellen C., widow of William Coyle.

A STONE CHURCH.

Proposed by the All Souls Society of Braintree.

The parish meeting of All Souls' church of Braintree, was held Monday evening and these officers elected:

President,—G. H. Arnold.
Clerk,—J. W. West.
Treasurer and Collector,—G. O. Wales.

Parish Committee,—Aubrey Hilliard, F. O. Ellis, Mrs. L. F. Porter, Mrs. A. S. Morrison and D. E. Cain.

A committee was appointed relative to raising funds to build a church which will be of stone and cost about $25,000.

A Strange Case.

Physiologists might be interested, says the Herald, in a story of telepathy reported at Beverly Cove the other evening. Levi Cole, one of the oldest residents of Woodbury street, for a number of years employed as housekeeper, a Mrs. Corsen. The woman of the house was taken suddenly ill while visiting her daughter at Milton, about 30 miles from Beverly. A few nights ago Mr. Cole was awakened from a sound sleep by hearing the call, "Father Cole" repeated thrice. During the years Mrs. Corsen had been at Beverly she had called him by this name. Mr. Cole was thoroughly aroused, got up from his bed and looked at the clock. The hands pointed to 12 o'clock. The next day Mr. Cole received word that his housekeeper had passed away at 12 o'clock the night before.

Farewell Reception.

A reception will be given in Music Hall, Atlantic, on Thursday evening of this week by the members of Memorial church to Rev. J. H. Whittaker. The M. E. church and the church of the Sacred Heart have been invited to pay their respects to the Congregational pastor. Music will be furnished and ices and cake will be served.

Colombia.

Colombia has great wealth lying untouched on her plains and in her forests and mountains.

Ginger.

In buying ginger avoid the brownish yellow dust, which comes from inferior black ginger. The best ginger is the Jamaica or white ginger, which is prepared from the dried root, freed from the thin skin which covers it.

White of an Egg.

Never use white of an egg for a meringue, cake or anything you wish particularly light, if the merest speck of yolk gets into it. Put it away for coffee or some other use. It might be whipped for hours and it would not froth.

Fertile Haiti.

The island of Haiti, the home of the negro republic, is not excelled by any country in beauty or in the variety and richness of its products.

Big Gold Nuggets.

The Welcome nugget of gold found it Ballarat in 1858 weighed 2,019 ounces and was worth $42,000. The Victoria nugget, a mass of virgin gold weighing 340 ounces, was found at the Bendigo mines in 1852.

Dog Changes Color.

A Newfoundland puppy nearly all white was chased by a big dog in Brussels and terribly frightened. He had a violent epileptic fit, and in a few hours he was completely changed, black markings having appeared all over his coat, which have become permanent.

Starvation In Great Britain.

Deaths from starvation in Great Britain have fallen from eighteen to twelve per million in the last thirty years.

The Valley of Mexico.

The valley of Mexico is 75 miles in length and 45 miles in width. Lake Texcoco, a large body of water lying immediately to the east of the City of Mexico, is only six feet lower than the level of the street pavements.

The Cost of Rubber.

It is a popular saying in Brazil that every ton of rubber from the upper Amazon costs two lives.

Window Blinds.

There is no necessity of washing cotton or linen window blinds, as there is a much simpler way of cleaning them. The blind should be spread flat on a table and then rubbed well all over with bread crumbs. This will make it look quite clean and fresh.

Panama Seaports.

Panama has no open seaports except the two railway terminals and Bocas del Toro, the center of a large banana industry, to the north of Colon.

Clothes Closets.

Ventilation of closets is particularly necessary. Clothing kept in an unventilated closet gets a smell peculiar to itself—and peculiarly disagreeable. It is the unmistakable advertisement of the surroundings.

A CARD,

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to efund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Nov. 2. 6mos.

HIGH HONORS.

Quincy Young Man Prominent in Georgetown School of Law.

Edward J. Fegan of Quincy, Mass., was on Saturday elected president of the debating society of the Georgetown school of law, the greatest gift in the power of the student body, says a Washington dispatch to the Globe. Mr. Fegan is the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Fegan of Quincy. In 1894 he entered Boston college preparatory school, and in '98 he entered Boston college. In October, 1902, he entered the post-graduate school at Georgetown and the law school. He took first honors in both schools last June, for which he received purses of $75 and $50, respectively.

The debating society has received and accepted a challenge for a debate from Boston university law school. The debate is to be held in Washington.

Kicked by Horse.

James Kent, driver of Devine's Randolph express, was seriously injured Monday by being kicked by one of his horses. He was driving down Independence avenue. When near the residence of John Q. A. Field something went wrong with the runner of his pung. He was stooping down to examine it when one of the horses began to kick. The horses shoes had sharp corks, and the animal kicked him in the head several times, rendering him unconscious. Word was sent to the police station and Kent was taken to the City Hospital. There it was found that his injuries were of a very serious nature. His head was badly cut and he sustained a fracture of the skull.

Bridge on Boulevard.

A bill was introduced into the Legisture on Monday by Representative Freeman, providing for a drawless bridge over Sachem brook in the Metropolitan Quincy bay shore parkway, near the clubhouses of the Wollaston and Squantum yacht clubs.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Eyeglasses fitted scientifically. No guess work.—Williams.

F. S. BUXTON,
TEACHER OF VIOLIN
WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.
Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-ly

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

HALL and BURGESS,
Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.
JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.
HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

W. A. BRADFORD,
Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting.
Jobbing promptly attended to.
Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.
Open Monday and Saturday evenings.
Telephone 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

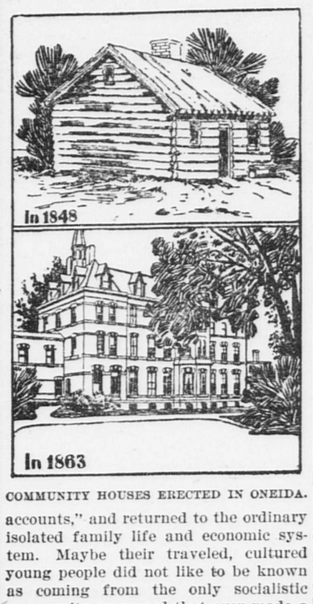
ONEIDA COMMUNITY.

ONLY ONE OF ITS KIND THAT EVER FINANCIALLY SUCCEEDED.

Results of An Experiment In Co-operative Living Fifty-five Years Ago—After Achieving Prosperity the Community Disbanded.

[Special Correspondence.]

Oneida, N. Y., Jan. 19.—Most experiments in co-operative living and working die of failure. The once famous Oneida community, however, seems to have died of success. At and rate, after it had been guided from small beginnings through desperate straits to wealth, handsome living and college education for its young people, then its members, in perfect harmony and accord, as always, parted their goods, consisting of houses and lands, live stock and factories and manufactured articles, "with scarcely a ripple to indicate the change from a common purse to a divided household and separate



COMMUNITY HOUSES ERECTED IN ONEIDA.

accounts," and returned to the ordinary isolated family life and economic system. Maybe their traveled, cultured young people did not like to be known as coming from the only socialistic community on record that ever made a success of itself. Some of the separate families, however, still live in the community building and use the common dining hall. The newest community home is seen in the picture, as well as the oldest.

It is to be specially noted that the immense community property, amounting to millions in value, was divided in proportion to the number of years' service each member had contributed to the community and that the women shared equally with the men in the distribution. John Humphry Noyes, who in 1848 founded the association on the old Indian reserve, near Oneida, believed in woman's rights and woman's economic value. Whatever profits the little community gradually accumulated were divided member for member, both sexes sharing alike. The women shared equally with the men the hardship, the toil and, what was still worse for women, the social obloquy the settlement encountered in its first years till it got some money ahead, and the feminine half had its full part of the cream and honey of prosperity. Maybe this strict justice to women was one reason for the great financial success of the community.

Jonathan Burt had a little land and a sawmill on Oneida creek, and he donated it to the experimenters. Henry Thacker, one of the members, showed the rest how to raise fruit. The first idea of the pioneers was to live by horticulture and farming. At it they went, hoe, spade and fist. They soon raised everything that would grow there, but there was no market near.

In the beginning, however, the members had solemnly pledged one another in one word—agreement.

Not agreement alone, however, neither all the batch of angelic qualities together, ever brought man a material living. For that he must hustle. The community had no money. Sewall Newhouse, a woodsman and one of the Oneida community, had a knack for hammering and welding powerful steel traps with blacksmith's tools. He made some of these to catch wild game. Indians and boys came to barter for the traps. Mr. Newhouse found they would bring money. That was actually the beginning of the vast Oneida community manufacturing business, which now includes the making of steel goods, silverware and spool silk. The fame of the Newhouse traps spread as far as Hudson bay, and the company there sent to Oneida an order the size of which, the association's historian writes, "gave the community a long remembered thrill." The pioneers began to get on.

In the days of hardest luck one of the men members began peddling spool silk in the country roundabout. Several others took a hand at the same business. By and by some young men and women were sent to New England to learn silk spinning and thread making. They came back and started a little factory of their own. That was the beginning of the Oneida spool silk making, now so extensive an industry. A woman who learned the business in New England is still the superintendent of all the spool silk making at Oneida.

Mr. Thacker, the horticultural member, longed to make the experiment of canning and putting on the market some of the luscious Oneida fruits. It was foolish and visionary, the conservatives thought; still, for the sake of "agreement" he was allowed to do as he wished, and that was the beginning of another great and profitable enterprise. The moral of the story is in that word "agreement," if there is any moral. SUSAN PEPPER.

DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

Mme. Tolstoi, wife of the great Russian, is by birth a Jewess.

Mary A. Swain of Franklin, N. H., has a piano over 200 years old. It is probably the first upright piano made.

Dr. Esther M. Bok is the only white physician in the Chinese quarter of New York city. She is very successful, earning several thousand dollars a year.

When Mrs. George W. Vanderbilt is in New York in winter she constantly has shipped to her from Biltmore fine fresh grown and ripened hothouse grapes.

Miss Haworth of Pendleton, England, is the smallest and perhaps the oldest postmistress in the world. She is three feet nine inches and is seventy years of age.

Mrs. Theodore A. Havemeyer, Jr., does not take much interest in society. She is quite willing to leave these honors to her relatives and is what is known as a "home lady."

Mrs. Annie Ulrich is a city nurse in Brooklyn whose work is to care for deserted infants. In twenty-five years 3,000 baby waifs have passed through her hands to homes or hospitals.

Mrs. Ellen Henrotin, a social leader in Chicago and the head of the movement for the higher cultivation of her sex, urges women to give up the work of reform, leave that to men and devote themselves to art, literature and the more graceful accomplishments of life.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton was a philatelist of many years' standing. In the stamp room of her old home at Woodcliff, N. J., are 18,000 stamps hung on the walls. Portions of the walls and ceilings are covered with stamps of every country, some of great value, and no two are alike.

THINGS THEATRICAL.

Cecilia Loftus will star in a new Zangwill play next season.

Willie Collier is to star under Charles Frohman's management for three years.

It is among the probabilities that jolly May Irwin may be induced to enter vaudeville for a brief period.

Charles Hawtrey played "Lord and Lady Algy" in London and made as great a success with it as William Faversham did in New York. The two impersonations differ in many ways.

Dave Montgomery's taking song, "Must You?" in "The Wizard of Oz," is of English origin. Mr. Montgomery sang it in London in the presence of no less a personage than King Edward VII.

Every costume worn in "The Rogers Brothers In London" was designed especially for this season, and Klaw & Erlanger carry a large force of dressmakers whose duty it is to look after the dresses.

E. H. Sothern owns the full English rights to "The Proud Prince" and recently refused by cable a large offer from a leading English actor, as Mr. Sothern intends to appear in England himself in the piece.

THRONE LIGHTS.

Queen Alexandra has no cousins on her father's side, though she had nine paternal uncles and aunts.

King Alfonso and his mother will visit Vienna during the summer, stopping at Paris on the way. He will be accorded magnificent receptions.

The Grand Duchess Vladimir is a German, and in Bismarck's lifetime she warmly espoused the measures of the Iron Chancellor, much to the dislike of the court in St. Petersburg.

King Edward is a good deal of a humorist in a quiet way, and he keeps an eye on things this side of the water. Recently some one asked him what he would do to earn a living should he lose his present job. He replied that he would go to the United States and make a lecture tour.

THE ST. LOUIS FAIR.

In the Alaskan exhibit is to be a family of living seals.

Sockets have been placed for 12,000 incandescent electric lamps on the Palace of Education.

The largest herd of buffalo in the world will be exhibited by Mr. James Phillips of Fort Pierre, S. D.

A novel restaurant will be one with the walls of the building made of glass tanks in which will swim fishes.

A group of expert boomerang throwers will astonish visitors by their skill in sending their curious instruments long distances in the air and making them return and fall at their feet.

SCIENCE SIFTINGS.

It is said of the new metal solium that radium can be manufactured in a liquid state from solium at a cost of $5 a quart.

If a current of electricity is sent through the ground it will drive out all the worms and insects that are hiding in the earth. If the current is strong it will kill them.

Dr. Johnstone Stoney has calculated by application of the dynamic theory of gases that any water vapor introduced into the atmosphere of Mars would escape into space, the gravitation there being insufficient to retain it.

TWO RIVERS.

When the Mississippi river is at flood one can drink fresh water from the gulf ten miles from the river's mouth.

Except when flooding, the Arkansas river in Oklahoma is not a formidable stream. It gains in magnitude after passing the Indian Territory, and in the vicinity of Fort Gibson becomes stronger and deeper.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—Three Reliable Teamsters. Steady job; pay $12.00. Address "CONTRACTOR," Ledger Office.
Quincy, Jan. 22. 6t

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines, steady work. Apply to MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy.
Jan. 13. tf

FOR SALE.

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom-made pung built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILSON
Quincy, Jan. 12. tf

TO LET.

TO RENT—Quincy House, Washington street, adjoining Public Library. Rent low to right party. Apply to H. T. WHITMAN, 21 Adams Building.
Quincy, Jan. 26. 12t

TO LET—Tenement of 6 rooms, bath, and furnace on South street. Apply o JULIUS JOHNSON, 5 Temple street.
Quincy, Jan. 25. tf

TO LET—Unfurnished Rooms suitable for two ladies or man and wife. Enquire at 48 Washington street, library side.
Quincy, Jan. 25. 6t

TO LET—A Five Room Cottage on Wibird Street. Apply at 53 Newcomb street.
Quincy, Jan. 25. tf

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent, $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston.
Dec. 30. lp-tf

WOLLASTON, near R. R. Station and Electrics. To Let—Tenement of six rooms, in good repair, on second floor, curtained and screened. Small family preferred. Apply to L. W. NASH, opposite station.
Jan 21. 6t

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street.
Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

TO LET.

House of 8 rooms and bath, No. 240 Goffe St. Furnace, gas, sewer connections, in complete repair and one of the most convenient (yet retired) locations in city. Only small families, with prospects of extended occupancy, need apply. A permanent occupant for one room is obtainable.
R. D. CHASE,
Savings Bank Building.
Quincy, Jan. 12 eod 16 p tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass.
Dec. 24. tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

Hotel Greenleaf
Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

D ADVERTISEMENTS.

s in this column inserted at t e
less, one day, - - 25 cents
ree days, - - - 50 cents
ne week, - - - - 75 cents
s will be charged for pro rata
al a line. Long term rates fur-
ation.

ANTED.

—Three Reliable Teamsters.
job; pay $12.00. Address
OR," Ledger Office.
22. 6t

—Experienced Stitchers, power
es, steady work. Apply to
R, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy.
tf

OR SALE.

SALE—A Custom-made pung
he Grocery and Provision busi-
nner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILSON
12. tf

TO LET.

—Quincy House, Washington
djoining Public Library. Rent
party. Apply to H. T. WHIT-
ms Building.
26. 12t

Tenement of 6 rooms, bath, and
on South street. Apply o
HNSON, 5 Temple street.
25. tf

Unfurnished Rooms suitable for
s or man and wife. Enquire at
3 street, library side.
25. 6t

A Five Room Cottage on Wibird
Apply at 53 Newcomb street.
25. tf

-Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all
ments, at 22 Blake street. Rent,
h. Apply to F. M. TORREY,
ke street, Wollaston.
lp-tf

STON, near R. R. Station and
ries. To Let—Tenement of six
d repair, on second floor, curtained
. Small family preferred. Apply
A511, opposite station.
6t

-Nice tenement containing five
d bath, furnace heat, situate No.
street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES
Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank
om 4. Dec. 31-tf

—Tenements, all improvements.
to J. W. PRATT, 74 Indepen-
, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
tf

—Two Rooms, furnished or un-
ed. Apply 26 School street.
ov. 23. tf

—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point,
ly occupied by L. C. Embree &
to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf
Oct. 5-tf

TO LET.

House of 8 rooms and bath, No.
240 Goffe St. Furnace, gas, sewer
connections, in complete repair and
most convenient (yet retired) loca
. Only small families, with pros
tended occupancy, need apply. A
occupant for one room is obtainable.
R. D. CHASE,
Savings Bank Building.
an. 12 eod 16 p tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

NT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms
bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of
Broad Station. Rent, $475.00 per
be leased for one or two years,
required. Apply at the office of
. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street,
ss. Dec. 24-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

of 7 rooms and bath, all modern
rovements, electric lights, with stable
Point. Within one minute of the
s and within ten minutes' walk of
River Ship and Engine Company
e office of FRANK F. CRANE,
Street, Quincy, Mass.
tf

TO LET.

lent Offices in the new
Building, City Square. A good
ity for lawyers.
and Ante-Rooms in the
f Block. These are all furnished
ed, and will be let permanently
privilege of sub-letting, or for
ghts each month.
lished Lodging Rooms in
rgin-Merrill Block. Most con-
Offices in the Durgin-Merrill
ly one flight up, and right at the
the stairs. These will be let separ-
together. A good chance for a
ore in Music Hall Block.
of a Store. Price very
le.
enement—recently papered—four
ms, besides ample closets, etc.—city
n Granite street, in the rear of
reenleaf.
Office in Hancock Chambers—up
t and at the head of the stairs.
rnished Lodging Rooms
d convenient.
ory or Shop on Granite street,
ar of Hotel Greenleaf.
ndry or Shop—just put in good
hop on the ground floor, in the
Music Hall Block.

ncy Real Estate Trust,
Hall Block, QUINCY.

tel Greenleaf
Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
r, Dec. 12. tf

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 23. QUINCY, MASS., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

New Beats for Several Patrolmen.

POLICE SHAKE-UP.

New Night Officer on the City Square Beat.

Change Effects Five of the Officers.

New Day and Night Men in Fore River District.

There is quite a shake up in the Police department, which means a transfer of a number of the patrolmen. The changes were announced at roll call Tuesday night and will go into effect Saturday night.

The most important change is transferring Officer Goodhue from the City Square to the South Quincy beat. Officer Goodhue has made one of the most efficient officers that has ever been assigned to the City Square beat. It is by far the most important of any in the city, and the business men who have every confidence in him may be at loss to know the reason of the change. It is reported that the business men of City Square will petition to have him retained in City Square unless his transfer means a promotion in the near future.

Officer Bradley who has been doing day duty in the Fore River district for a year or more is assigned to night duty in City Square.

Officer Larkin, night man in the Fore River district, is given the day job in the same district.

Officer Lyons is brought from Atlantic to the night beat in the Fore River district.

Officer Broberg is taken from South Quincy and will cover the Atlantic beat.

Snow, Rain, Freeze.

Quincy experienced an example of the changeable New England weather Tuesday. It was ideal weather until the middle of the afternoon. Then it begun to snow and continued to snow hard until a little after 8 o'clock. Then it turned to rain and at 9 o'clock the rain came down in torrents turning the new snow into slush and making walking very bad. Great pools of water formed in hollows, and not a few who were out late got their feet good and wet before they got home. During the night it cleared off and this morning the sun came out bright and clear. What it will do before night no one knows. More snow is predicted.

JAMES S. BAXTER.

Sudden Death of One of Quincy's Pioneer Builders.

Mr. James S. Baxter one of Quincy's long time residents died at his home on Pleasant street Tuesday afternoon, after a brief illness, aged 72 years.

Mr. Baxter was one of the pioneer builders of Quincy. He was for a number of years associated in business with the late Hanson Bailey as a carpenter and builder under the firm name Bailey and Baxter.

Mr. Baxter was also prominently identified with the Bethany Congregational church and was one of its oldest members, having joined in 1854. He was for many years its clerk and also secretary of the Sunday school.

He leaves a widow, a son, Alfred R. Baxter, and a daughter, Miss Mabel S. Baxter, who is an assistant at the Thomas Crane Public Library.

The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon from his late residence.

Sudden Death.

Mr. H. Arthur Feltis of Mechanic street suffered a great loss this morning in the sudden death of his estimable wife who was found dead in bed. Mrs. Feltis took a severe cold a few weeks ago, but it was thought that she had nearly recovered.

Mr. Feltis is a salesman at the store of George W. Jones, and Mrs. Feltis was quite a favorite and a worker. She was active in the King's Daughters and Bethany church.

She leaves two young sons, aged 7 and 5 years; also a mother, a brother and sister. She was Miss Mary Tanner of Holbrook before her marriage.

Pawning Wives and Daughters.

They have a curious way of utilizing wives and daughters in some parts of India. If a man wants money he puts these members of his establishment in pawn, and his creditor detains them until the debt is discharged. The custom varies in different localities. In Mellore the Yercalls pledge their daughters to creditors who may either marry them or give them away, and a man who has to go to jail deposits his wife with another family of her tribe until his return. In North Arcot unmarried daughters are frequently mortgaged and become the absolute property of the holder until liquidation.

Easy Reading For Infants.

He proposed, conjointly with his father and brother, to blast the stone as the most expeditious mode of gaining access to her arcana, and this in the open daylight, in order that any tutelary protection she might be disposed to extend to her favorite haunt might, as she was a thing of darkness and night, be effectually countervailed.—Extract From Child's Fairy Book.

Three Men.

There are three sorts of men in the world—three, and no more. And of women only one. There are happy men and there are knaves and fools. Hybrids I don't count. And to my mind knaves and fools are very much alike.—"Love and Mr. Lewisham."

A Scotch Sentence.

Lord Braxfield admitted the abilities of a criminal who was undoubtedly an accomplished murderer, for the judge said, "Y're a clever chiel, but y'll be nane the waur of a hanging, my man." Hard Scotch.

His Disappearing Pulse.

"My!" exclaimed the doctor. "You've hardly any pulse today!"

"Well, don't you remember, doctor," replied the patient, "you took it when you were here yesterday?"—Yonkers Statesman.

He who has no vision of eternity will never get a true hold of time.—Carlyle.

Annoying.

Irate Citizen Bug—Darn this new asphalt anyway. Why don't they put up signs when they are fixing up the streets?—New York Evening Journal.

☞ Main Spring while you wait. Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Issues a Very Interesting Year Book.

A Sketch During Colonial Days.

Reports Showing Progress During the Year 1903.

Christ church, which will hold its annual church meeting this evening, has had a long and eventful history, which dates back over 200 years.

The church has just issued its first "Year Book" compiled by Rev. William E. Gardner the rector, which is full of interesting information. It is a book of 64 pages, 14 of which are devoted to a sketch of Christ church in Colonial days. There appears the by-laws and constitution of the church, a list of communicants, and a list of non-communicants, the organization of the church, and reports of church officers and societies for the year 1903.

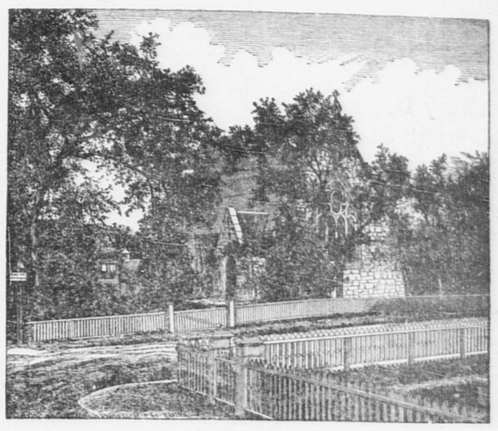
We give only an outline of the history:

COLONIAL TIMES.

1702.—First minister, William Barclay.
1711–1713.—Second minister, Thomas Eager.
1713.—Third minister, Rev. Henry Lucas.
1713–1725.—Interim.
1727–1763.—Fourth minister, Rev. Ebenezer Miller.
1764–1777.—Fifth minister, Rev. Edward Winslow.

SINCE THE REVOLUTION.

1777–1784.—Mr. Joseph Cleverly, "teacher."
1784–1822.—Among the many who officiated irregularly are the following: Rev. John L. Blackburn, Rev. James B. Howe, Rev. William Clark, Mr. E. R. Lippett and Dr. S. H. Tyng.
1822–1827.—Rev. Benjamin C. Cutter.
1832.—Present site of church given by Mr. William P Apthorp. A commodious wooden church erected. The church had a square tower with four round holes in the belfry.
1841.—Rev. Calvin Wolcott.
1842–1845.—Rev. J. P. Robinson.
1845–1850.—Rev. O. Clark.
1851–18 5.—Rev. J. T. Burrill.
1853.—Rev. John A. Jerome.
1854.—Rev. Cordom M. Bradley.
1859.—November 19th, church burned.
1860.—New stone church erected.
1868–1871.—Rev. C. R. Brainard.
1871–1877.—Rev. Reginald H. Howe.
1873.—November 1st, church burned.
1874.—Present church built.
1878–1881.—Rev. Thaddeus A. Snively.
1881–1893.—Rev. H. Evan Cotton.
1885.—Parish house built.
1894–1900.—Rev. Walter R. Breed.
1900–1902.—Rev. George A. Strong.
1903 to Rev. William E. Gardner.



CHRIST CHURCH.

J. E. Sprague, the treasurer, reports expenditures of $5,366.57 in 1903 for church purposes including $1300 to rector, $874.90 for organist and music, $300 to sexton, $357.48 for for coal and wood, $128.80 for lighting, $503.00 on loans, $391.07 for repairs of roof, etc. The net deficit is $151.42. The invested funds amount to $6,548.66 and the debt on the rectory is $2,550.00.

The rector reports that during the year there have been 27 baptisms, 30 confirmations, 9 marriages and 24 burials.

The Sunday school has an enrolment of 270 including 2 officers and 16 teachers.

Interesting reports appear from the choirmaster, the Altar guild, the Woman's guild, the Reaper's Circle of King's Daughters, the Church Periodical club, the St. Margaret's guild, the Junior Auxiliary, the Flower Mission, the Men's socials, etc.

RECTORY OF CHRIST CHURCH.

Revival Meetings.

The revival meetings at the United Presbyterian church continue with unabated interest. The weather although it is the worst, does not seem to cool the ardor, or dampen the zeal of the people. While we wonder how some of the people get there, it proves the truth that where the people want to go they can go. There are conversions every night. Two prominent young men accepted Christ Tuesday night, Mr. McLennan and Mr. Alex McPherson.

The meetings will close tomorrow night.

There will be a service for women only at 3 tomorrow. We hope the women will take advantage of it.

The pastor is expecting great things tonight and tomorrow night. The session of the church will meet tomorrow night to receive members into the church.

Funeral of Mr. Steer.

The funeral of Jabez Steer, who died at Waterbury, Conn, was held Tuesday afternoon from the Bethany church. Many relatives and friends were present, also Granite lodge, Sons of St. George. The services were conducted by Rev. Edwin N. Hardy. Music was furnished by a quartette. The burial was at Mt. Wollaston where the Sons of St. George preformed their burial service.

Granite Railway Co.

The annual meeting of the Granite Railway Co. was held in Boston on Monday, and the following directors elected: Dr. John A. Lamson, president; William S. Patten, vice-president; Henry M. Faxon, Luther S. Anderson, John A. Stanton, Stillman P. Williams and Henry H. Kimball. Mr. Williams succeeds his father, Robert B. Williams, and Mr. Kimball is also a new member of the board.

TODAY'S COURT.

Edward Devine was fined $3 for assault at Randolph.

van Houten's Cocoa

Perfect beverage, light and delicate, invigorating and sustaining.

Best & Goes Farthest

MEN'S BANQUET,
UNIVERSALIST VESTRY,
WEDNESDAY, JAN. 27, 6.45 P. M.
Turkey Dinner, Music and Reading.
MERRILL C. WARD, Toastmaster.
TICKETS, 35 CENTS.
Quincy, Jan. 16. lp 2t

RUBBERS.
We have all kinds of up-to-date
BEST QUALITY
RUBBERS
From the smallest to the largest sizes.
Our Prices are Low.
Our Goods are the best to be had at any Price.
GEORGE W. JONES,
Adams Building, - QUINCY.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF
Imported and Domestic Woolens
Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON
Beg to announce that they are now located at
No. 8 Faxon Block,
Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.
For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.
Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.
Call and see us. We will try to please you.
BERNARD FRITZ & SON,
"LEADING TAILORS."
Quincy Dec. 28—tf

SAVE THIS COUPON . . DAILY LEDGER PREMIUM.
SOLID GOLD FOUNTAIN PEN.

For TWO of these coupons and SIXTY-NINE CENTS we will furnish for a time LEDGER readers with a SOLID GOLD, fully warranted Fountain Pen, Polished barrel, rubber cap screw section, beautiful delivery, worth $2. Satisfaction guaranteed.
Present coupons at McCONNELL'S FRUIT STORE, 1414 Hancock St. Quincy, or
Hiram A. Hayden, Agent, 118 Washington St., Quincy.
Mail Orders Promptly Attended to. We Pay Postage.

It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.

JOHN STREIFERD & SON,
FLORISTS.
Telephone 13-7 Braintree.
Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.
Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

I Can Quickly Sell for Cash
Without local publicity, your Business, Real Estate or Partnership, no matter where located Send me full particulars, price, etc.
Address CHARLES E. POWELL,
19 W. Mohawk St., Buffalo, New York.
Jan. 22. 1m

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.
OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
Jan. 31. tf

YOU CAN BUY
THURSDAY
--AT--
PRATT'S
2 lbs. Good Steak, 25 cents.
Lamb Chops, 10c. lb.
L. M. PRATT & SON.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.
OUR
Mark Down Sale
OF COATS
Was a great success.
The people of Quincy Realized the Values they were getting for a little money.
We shall continue the Low Prices this week and some Coats we are obliged to mark still Lower to keep a line of prices.
D. E. Wadsworth & Co.
THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER,
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

JOHN MAHON,
Teacher of Piano and Organ.
Organist at St. Mary's Church.
375 Franklin Street, Quincy.
Jan. 23. 1m

CHOIR BOYS' Fifth Annual Concert

By the combined Boy Choirs of St. Chrysostom's Church, Wollaston, and Christ Church, Quincy,

QUINCY MUSIC HALL,

Tuesday Evening, Feb. 16, 1904,

AT EIGHT O'CLOCK,

For the Choir Boys' Camp.

A Chorus of 70 Singers, assisted by Superior Soloists.

MR. E. LANDIS SNYDER, Director.

Reserved Seats, 50, 35 and 25 cents.

Quincy, Jan. 23. 1-tf--p-2w

TO-DAY

And Every Day until the Bankrupt Stock of

C. F. DERBY

Is Closed out we will sell

MEN'S and BOYS'

CLOTHING,

Furnishings and Hats

At Lower Prices than any other store.

COME AT ONCE

For Best Bargains.

You want good goods for a little money. We want the cash. Here is your opportunity.

BANKRUPT SALE,

Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

PICTURES

FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.

Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.

H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.

South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

MAIN SPRINGS

Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.

Work called for and delivered.

ANDBERG BROS.,

Faxon Block, Quincy.

Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

Hotel Greenleaf

Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.

Dining Room Strictly First Class.

MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.

Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

CARD.

Mrs. F. H. Hewins,

—: Formerly in the :—

Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations

METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.

Offices:

28 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.

Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903 tf

DANCING.

COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.

BASKET BALL

AND DANCING

THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.

Assemblies every Saturday night.

Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes Formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $7, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all former pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For further particulars apply to ELMER W. BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

The order for street sprinkling in the City Council this week, when ice and snow abound, suggests the idea that sprinkling with hot water might soon improve the travelling.

Many prominent educators are urging that the Bible be introduced into the public schools as a text book. For two or three years past this feeling has acquired great momentum. The "Shop Bible Classes" of the Young Men's Christian Association will ultimately have much the same effect as the introduction of the Bible into the public schools. The purpose of the Association in all its vast Bible study work is to bring the bare facts and teachings of the book to the attention of every individual and this without any sectarian influence or prejudice.

The appropriation bill for the city of Haverhill as adopted by the finance committee of 1904 amounts to $420,286, a slight reduction from last year. Haverhill was a city of 37,175 by the last census, whereas Quincy had 23,899. Some of the Haverhill appropriations for 1904 are compared below with the appropriations of Quincy last year, including all the Haverhill appropriations over $10,000 except sinking fund, interest, soldiers relief and public property:

	Haverhill for 1904.	Quincy in 1903.
Fire Dept.,	$22,000	$29,466.00
Police Dept.,	20,000	*23,497.00
Poor Dept.,	20,000	16,555.15
Salaries	5,000	20,013.00
Street Lighting,	17,000	21,000.00
Street Maintenance,	11,356	28,652.71
Street Watering,	1,200	6,800.00
Schools,	135,000	‡111,162.25

*Includes salary of Chief of Police.

‡Includes everything except repairs.

The manual for the General Court of 1903 reported the valuation of Haverhill as $27,631,878.00; that of Quincy at $20,956,671.00.

Drift of Opinion.

☞The $ William $ Randolph $ Hearst $ presidential $ boom $ is $ still $ resounding $ up $ and $ down $ the $ land $.—Burlington Hawkeye.

☞The bench show of the New England Kennel Club is to be held in Mechanics Building, Boston, beginning Feb. 22. The club assumes the collection of and forwarding to the American Kennel Club of all listing fees. The entries for the Boston dog show will close Feb. 6, with the Superintendent Arthur Mulvey, 521 Washington street, Boston, Mass.

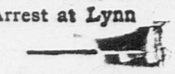
☞Dr. Hermann Tuholske, professor of surgery at the Washington university, St Louis, in a lecture on "Recent Advances In Surgery," delivered the other day in the chapel of the university before students and members of the medical fraternity, said that the present advancement of medical science was chiefly due to the invention of the printing press.—American Press.

☞The Newburyport News hears that the state militia is going to lose several good officers because of the expense which is attached to rank in the matter of uniforms and gold lace for dress purposes. If all this gilt and glitter is essential to the production of a good soldier and effective in the display of military pomp, the state ought to bear the expense, instead of assessing it upon the individual. We can ill afford to have any semblance of foundation for the agitator's claim that the militia is the rich man's club.—Haverhill Gazette.

☞A petition for the repeal of the Luce caucus act has been filed in the Legislature, and will receive attention, when the law in taken up for consideration, with several amendments that are proposed to it. Most cities which have voted to adopt the act have not yet given it a trial, and its practical operation is therefore an unknown quantity. Yet there are those who want it repealed and others who want it amended. None of them give a reason beyond the everlasting desire to be constantly tinkering the laws, and perhaps it is not straining a point to say—confusing the voters, who are the ones who should be conserved. Give the Luce law a trial before amendment or repeal.—Lynn Item.

ALL-ROUND CROOKS

Band of Seven Placed Under Arrest at Lynn



A LONG RECORD OF CRIME

Two of The Ringleaders Gave Police a Hard Fight Before Being Captured--Operated Extensively In Essex County

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 27.—By the arrest of seven men in this city, two of whom were captured after a battle with bullets, the authorities, state, county and city, believe that they have at last rounded up the gang of burglars, highwaymen and desperadoes who, for nearly four months, have been making Essex county a veritable notbed of crime.

One of the men, Frank Hayden, a native of Wisconsin, and the most desperate man of the aggregation, was identified as the leader in the holding up of Chief of Police Nixon of Merrimac on Nov. 18, the robbery of the safe of the Metropolitan Coal company in East Boston, which resulted in another battle with the police and the death of one of the robbers, and the assault at an early hour yesterday on Station Agent Whitman at Danvers, Mass.

Hayden is said to have a criminal record, having served three years in the Essex county jail in Lawrence, from which institution he escaped on April 4, 1900, being captured in Thomaston, Me., a few weeks after.

The other men under arrest are George Dart, a native of Maine, John McDermott and Hartley Carver of Lynn, and Frank Murray, said to be from the west. These men, with Hayden, the police believe, to be the ringleaders in the series of crimes, but the police also took into custody William Higgins and John Nestor, principally for the reason that they were friends or the associates of the other five. Dart and McDermott were also identified by Station Agent Whitman as being with Hayden during the assault on him, and the robbery of the railroad station.

McDermott, Carver, Murray, Higgins and Nestor were all taken into custody without difficulty. It was with Hayden and Dart that the officers had their battle, and it is surprising that after numerous exchanges of shots someone did fall. Shots were exchanged at close quarters and in several instances bullets flew within a few inches of the officers. The chase after the two men through the suburbs of Lynn was one of the most sensational that has ever occurred in this city.

After the robbery of the Danvers railroad station and the desperate assault upon Whitman, all the local officers throughout Essex county were notified to be on the outlook for suspicious characters. Feeling that the men must belong in this city, the police here made every effort to be on the watch for them, and three of them were discovered in the outskirts of the city. One of them succeeded in eluding the police and making good his escape, but the officers followed Hayden and Dart so closely that after jumping fences and dashing through houses they at last cornered Hayden in a yard. He fired point blank at the officers, but missed them, and was at once beaten and overpowered. Dart was located later in a house, and he also fired at the officers as he met them coming upstairs. Fortunately his aim was no better than Hayden's. As soon as these men had been taken to the police station State Officer Neal ordered the arrest of the other five men. All the men were measured last night under the Bertillon system by one of the Boston police officials and photographed.

They will all be arraigned in the local court, but the police, feeling that they have not sufficient evidence as yet to hold them for all the recent numerous robberies, will prefer a technical charge of breaking and entering the National Pop Corn company of this city on Jan. 18, and request a postponement of the case. Subsequently they hope to identify nearly all as being concerned in one or more of the robberies throughout the county. As the superior court is now sitting at Salem the district attorney will be asked to call a special session of the grand jury that the various cases may be placed before that body.

The list of burglaries in Essex county alone since Nov. 2 is a formidable one and in numerous instances the robbers have not hesitated to engage in pitched battles with revolvers with the police and citizens. The important robberies number 22.

Strikers Defying the Courts

Coal Creek, Tenn., Jan. 27.—Deputy sheriffs are making arrests of miners here for the alleged violation of court injunctions. About 90 writs have been issued. The Indianapolis convention has voted money to continue the struggle.

Worried Into Suicide

Chicago, Jan. 27.—Carl Corper, head of the Corper Brewing company, was found dead in his office last night. He had shot himself through the head. Business troubles are supposed to have been the cause of the suicide.

Traffic Tied Up by Snow

Washington, Ind., Jan. 27.—There are 16 inches of snow throughout southern Indiana. Railroad cuts are drifted eight feet deep. Freight and passenger traffic is almost paralyzed. Street car traffic has ceased.

FISHERMEN WRECKED

Crews Reached Shore After Almost Superhuman Efforts

Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 27.—While endeavoring to seek a shelter from a southeast storm schooner Rienzi of Boston and the sloop Jennie Bell of this port were wrecked just outside the entrance to the harbor. The Rienzi lies two miles east of Eastern Point light, while the Jennie Bell is on the rocks of the famous Norman's Woe.

The crew of the Rienzi escaped by taking to their dories and making a fearfully exhausting row of six miles around Eastern Point and the breakwater, and then up to the wharves, while the three men on the Jennie Bell managed to gain the ledges and clamber up a high cliff at Magnolia. Captain Johnson of the latter craft, who is 70 years old, was so badly used up in getting ashore that a police ambulance was sent for him from this city, after one of his crew had walked five miles through the heavy snow to the city with news of his condition.

The Rienzi had gathered in 5000 pounds of cod and haddock on the Middle Bank when the snow squall struck her. She is valued at $6000. The Jennie Bell had just started on a fishing trip. The boat is valued at $1000.

Glines Admits Embezzlement

Salem, Mass., Jan. 27.—Former City Treasurer John A. Glines of Haverhill pleaded guilty in the superior court to 12 counts of embezzlement, involving the conversion of $40,000 in cash and bonds from the city of Haverhill. There are 55 counts in the indictment which has been found against him and on 43 of them Glines pleaded not guilty. At the request of the defendant's counsel, sentence was deferred until the May sitting of the court.

Grievances of Weavers

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 27.—At a meeting of the Weavers' union last night the matter of the refusal of the manufacturers to hold a conference with the union was referred to the executive committee. A report that in several of the mills regular weavers are compelled to wash looms and scrub floors, doing away with the regular spare help, was referred to the executive board for investigation.

Assignment of Shoe Firm

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 27.—An assignment was made by the George E. Nickerson company, shoe manufacturers of this city, to George McMann of Auburn, Me., and James Beebe of Wakefield, Mass. No schedule of liabilities was issued, but it is understood that the company owes Beebe $18,000 for leather. The company is organized under the laws of Maine with a capital of $50,000.

Railroad Men at Vault

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 27.—Responsibility is placed upon Engineer Cowee and Telegraph Operator Tyner by the state board of railroad commissioners in its report on the accident which occurred at Shelburne Jan. 2, 1903, when five men were killed. The commissioners criticise the system employed by the Rutland railroad in the movement of its trains.

Penalty For Liquor Violators

Montpelier, Vt., Jan. 27.—The constitutionality of the penalty clause of the local option license law, recently attacked in court, was sustained in a decision handed down by the supreme court.

Proposition For Clean Money

Washington, Jan. 27.—"Clean money" was argued before the house committee on banking and currency by Representative Gaines of Tennessee. Mr. Gaines asserted that a single bill which had been in circulation in Cuba and returned to the treasury for redemption contained 232 kinds of microbes. These microbes, he asserted, were hungry, and would joyfully feed on the mucous membrane of either a Democrat or a Republican. No action was taken.

Colorado Mine Disaster

Victor, Col., Jan. 27.—By the falling of a cage in the Stratton Independence mine 15 men are dead and one other severely injured. Only one body could be identified from those taken from the shaft. It was terribly mutilated Fragments of four or more bodies were recovered. Three expert engineers have been called to examine the mine machinery.

Athletics and Studies Divorced

Philadelphia, Jan. 27.—The faculty athletic committee of the University of Pennsylvania will hereafter debar all special students from athletics no matter how many hours of work they take each week. This ruling, if enforced by all colleges, would debar nearly 25 percent of the men who make up the teams.

Philippine Steamship Line

San Francisco, Jan. 27.—A steamship line to operate among the islands of the Philippine group is soon to be established by Boston capitalists and it is to be known as the Boston and Hollo Steamship company. The company is to construct a shipbuilding yard and to establish a plant for repairing vessels.

Little Tots Burned to Death

Rockport, O., Jan. 27.—The three small children of Henry Feisinger were burned to death in a fire that destroyed the farm house. Mrs. Feisinger was fatally injured and Mr. Feisinger, in attempting to rescue the children, was badly burned.

Students Going to Holy Land

Chicago, Jan. 27.—Professor Willett and 20 divinity students from the University of Chicago have left for Boston, from which city they will sail for Palestine for two months of study.

CITY BREVITIES.

A letter from Mrs. Benjamin Johnson announces her safe arrival abroad.

The rise in the temperature last evening which caused the heavy rain, and the freeze which followed, added two more surprises to the January weather record.

John C. Mitchell, of the Carpenters' Union 762, is looking for votes from the Boston daily and Sunday Herald. He is in the voting contest for a trip to the St. Louis Fair, given by the Boston Herald Co., to successful contestants.

Several music lovers are going to Boston tonight to the first of the subscription concerts given by the Chromatic club, for the benefit of the Music Students fund. The concert is to be given at eight o'clock in Lorimer hall, Tremont Temple, and among the artists are Mrs. Edith Noyes Porter and her protege, little Alice Eldridge. Mrs. Harrison White Conner, violinist, is to play Mrs. Porter's sonata "Atla."

The Sunday School class of Mr. W. G. Shaw had a merry good time Tuesday evening, at his residence. The hours were 5.30 to 8.30 and the boys were promptly on hand and prolonged the festivities until after 9 o'clock. There were graphaphone selections, games, and a bountiful supper when all gathered about the dining table. Mr. Shaw was surprised by his little friends when he was presented a fine silk umbrella.

Delaware's Political Tangle

Washington, Jan. 27.—Senator Allee of Delaware had a conference with the president at which some phases of Delaware politics were considered. Senator Allee is the chairman of the "regular" Republican organization of the state. It seems likely that two state conventions will be held in Delaware, one by the "regulars" and one by the anti-Addicks Republicans, and that two sets of delegates will be sent to the Chicago convention.

Shot Wife and Peace Destroyer

New York, Jan. 27.—Finding his wife entertaining Stephen Little, a neighbor, in the dining room of her house in Brooklyn last night, Joseph Sarriera, a Spaniard, without an instant's warning, drew a revolver and shot both, inflicting injuries which are regarded as fatal. Sarriera, who is a bookkeeper, was arrested. He said that he had frequently warned Little to keep away from his home.

Where Reid Left His Rig

Gloversville, N. Y., Jan. 27.—The horse and cutter abandoned by W. J. Reid, the forger who escaped from the county jail at Springfield, Mass., and was recaptured last week at Utica, has been found at the farm of J. K. Vosburg at Tribes Hill. The rig was evidently stolen in Vermont.

Probing Labor Unions' Doings

Chicago, Jan. 27.—The grand jury has begun an investigation of labor unions, their officials and the violence which attended recent strikes in Chicago. Foreman Blair says the jury intends to probe deep into labor affairs.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Nov. 2. 6mos.

Quite Another Matter.

Millie—Poor Mr. Jones was unable to meet his creditors, I hear.

Jack—Oh, no; that's quite wrong. His difficulty was to dodge 'em.

PARLOR FURNITURE.

The parlor is usually the best furnished room in the house. It is in this room you receive and entertain your friends, and a well planned and well furnished parlor adds much to the pleasure of living.

We have hundreds of delightful combinations of furniture for parlor furnishing. Dainty Sets of 3 or 5 pieces. Turkish Sets that are luxurious and restful. Odd piece Sets with Fancy Chairs and Rockers, and an endless assortment of Odd Chairs and Rockers in the newest shapes.

We have the Carpets, Rugs, Draperies, Tables, Bric-a-brac, Cabinets and Pictures.

PARLORS FURNISHED FROM $25.00 to $150.00.

Cash or Credit. Green Trading Stamps on all cash purchases.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.

New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store.

Hancock Street, Quincy.

We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

SLEEVES GROWING LARGER.

Cloth and Velvet Costumes Alike Boast Wide Frills of Lace.

Sleeves are growing continually in size, and they are shirred and puffed in most wonderful fashion. Old fashioned sleeves can be cut off at the elbow, slashed and filled in with ruffles of very full lace. Cape effects, shirrings and much tucked and huge puffs are all features of the new sleeves. Cape effects bordered with narrow fur and decorated on their points with tassels add to the breadth of the shoulders.

The velvet craze still continues. The three-quarter Louis coats in this material are lined with white satin and trimmed with wonderful embroideries. Dark royal blue and a shade of violet are great favorites, and when these are worn with a stole of ermine the effect is truly regal.

Some of the long garments are faced back for a distance with wonderful brocades. A favorite design is baskets of roses on a white silk gown. Lace ruffles in the wide sleeves and lace fronts are necessary features of the dressy coats, and, in fact, the lace sleeve ruffles are seen even on humbler tailor mades of cloth.

SABLE AND VELVET COAT.

Three-quarter garments of fine black or gray cloth are trimmed with collars of dyed lace and deep fringe. The buttons are as rich as the owner can afford, and when they are of enamel or cut steel they add much to the smartness of even a very plain coat.

The picture shows a sable and velvet coat and a sable three cornered hat trimmed with a white plume.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

FRANK W. BAILLIE,

PAINTER,

Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc

Whiting and Tinting a specialty.

50 Gay Street.

Quincy, July 6. tf

JAMES F. BURKE,

REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.

MORTGAGES.

Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.

Room 4, Savings Bank Building.

June 5. tf

W. A. BRADFORD,

Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting.

Jobbing promptly attended to.

Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.

Open Monday and Saturday evenings.

Telephone 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

Hardware Supply Co.,

1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES

Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.

Dec. 29. tf

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple,	$8.00
Dry Pine Wood,	7.00
Dry Pine Slabs,	6.00
Green Hard Wood,	7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.

THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,

Yard between Miller and West Streets.

Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.

Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

You Had Better Write Down

TELEPHONE No. 114-4.

AND CALL UP

The Hancock Fish Market,

Formerly C. H. BROOK'S Market,

Cor. Saville and Hancock Streets.

Everything of the **Very Best.** Fish orders taken and delivered by the

CONSOLIDATED GROCERY & PROVISION CO.,

PROPRIETORS,

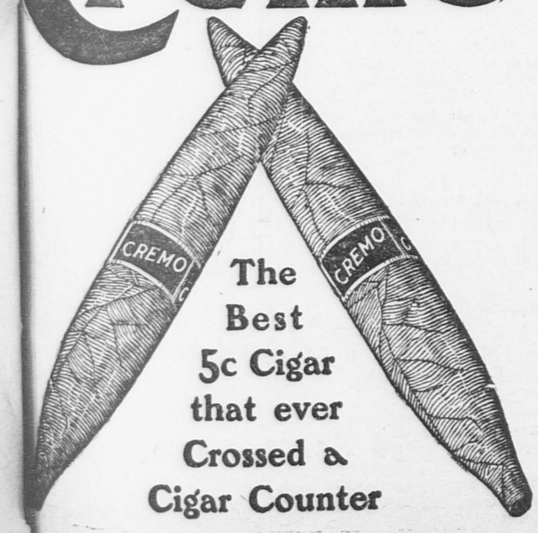
Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

TO CROWN A FEAST OR FILL A DINNER PAIL.
NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT
In 10c Packages with List of Valuable Premiums.

THE VERY BEST
VERMONT BUTTER,
25 cts. per lb. 5 lb. box $1.25.
BEST ELGIN BUTTER, 23 cts. per lb.
5 lb. box, $1.10.
Meadowbrook Creamery,
1399 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass.

Head-Ease
- FOR -
Headache
A powder for the cure of Headache, Neuralgia, Sleeplessness and Colds.
In Envelopes, 3 Powders for 10 Cents.
In Boxes, 12 Powders for 25 Cents.
MADE ONLY BY
CHAS. C. HEARN,
DRUGGIST,
1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

A STORY
---BY---
HERMAN WHITAKER
WILL BE
The Daily Ledger
NOVELETTE
FOR SATURDAY.
IT WILL BE ILLUSTRATED.

Cremo


The Best 5c Cigar that ever Crossed a Cigar Counter

HOPE ABANDONED

Every Man Entombed In Harwick Mine Probably Dead

BODIES BLOWN TO ATOMS

Frightful Experience of Rescuers Who Went Down Into Water and Ice Among Dead--Carelessness Caused Disaster

Pittsburg, Jan. 27.—Even the elements seem to be conspiring to prevent the work of rescue at the Harwick mine, in which 184 miners were entombed as the result of an explosion on Monday. Almost zero weather and a bitter wind swept down over the little valley where the mine is located and nearly added another list of dead to the long black table already measured off.

At 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon 16 men went into the shaft to do the work of bratticing, bolstering, tunnelling and removing the debris that has barred their progress into the workings where the men were at labor when the explosion came. Their shift was supposed to be of three hours only. Even at that it was a hard task. Before the bucket reached the bottom they were drenched in water which the cold draught through the shaft soon turned to ice. Shortly after they were let down, two at a time in the bucket, a temporary hoist was started down the shaft.

Again and again efforts were made to reach the living men at the bottom of the shaft, but the wooden sides of the hoist, swollen by the water, stuck to the iron guide slide and then came hours of maneuvering to reach the bottom. The men below had no means of warmth, and many of them were standing in deep water. Every effort was made to lower the cage and finally it was loosened, and got within 12 feet of the bottom. A timber, blown across the way by the explosion, was in the path. The men were within easy reach of a rope, but their fingers, numbed and almost frozen by the cold, were unable to grasp the offered help.

It was 9 o'clock when the first three men of the party who went down at 3 o'clock were brought to the surface. Not one of them was able to walk, so numb was he made by the cold. Henry Beckert was one of the first men out of the cage. He was carried to the boiler house and after 20 minutes of warmth he said:

"It was a frightful experience. The cold and hunger—and no good that we could do. We were too cold to work. There is apparently no one to rescue. We had a hard time to find many of the dead. A shred of clothing here and another there, a jacket, a pair of overalls, but few bodies. When we left the bottom of the shaft there were 12 bodies lying there ready to be brought up. There are many others there and the bodies of many will never be found. The south main drift, in which we worked, gives little hope that many bodies recovered there will be recognizable. In the north main drift the way has been cleared for some distance, but we could not tell what was found there."

Just before 10 o'clock the last of the rescuers was brought to the surface and as the last man was helped to the cage, Mine Inspector Adams turned to the new party—three men—ready to go down, and said: "See that the timber that holds the cage from reaching the bottom is out of the way before you come up." The signal was given and they went down again into the water and ice among the dead.

The Allegheny Coal company, which owns the mine, has declared its purpose of establishing a cemetery, a half acre in extent, in which to inter the bodies of the men killed in the explosion.

Two places are already prepared to receive the dead. The school house is ready for use as a morgue and another building belonging to the company near the entrance to the shaft is in readiness.

Many theories as to the cause of the explosion in the Harwick mine are advanced. One is that the recent high water had something to do with it. Mining experts do not regard this as probable. Men who know the Harwick say that gas in dangerous quantity has been in it ever since it was opened. Hence, they say that probably a careless miner exposed a naked flame to the gas. Miners are not allowed to carry matches into the workings, but it cannot be prevented unless a personal search is made each morning and this is not customary. Men working in gaseous mines become careless and that is probably what happened in this case.

Brothers Died Together

Liverpool, N. S., Jan. 27.—Arthur and William Wharton, brothers, were drowned while hauling their lobster traps. Their boats were capsized by a sudden squall and they soon succumbed in the water. Both were young men and unmarried.

Dominican Refugees In Cuba

Guantanamo, Cuba, Jan. 27.—The United States cruiser Hartford arrived here from Porto Plata and landed General Deschamps and other refugees from Santo Domingo. Cruiser Minneapolis has also arrived at Guantanamo.

Daniel Is Virginia's Choice

Richmond, Jan. 27.—The two houses of the general assembly chose John W. Daniel to succeed himself as United States senator for the term beginning March 4 next. The Republicans voted for Congressman Slemp.

POISONING SUSPECTED

Wright's Dramatic Death Followed His Conviction

London, Jan. 27.—At 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon Whitaker Wright, promoter of the London and Globe and other financial companies, who has been on trial since Jan. 11, on 26 counts of fraud, was found guilty and sentenced to seven years' penal servitude. At 4 o'clock he lay dead on the floor of a small room in the law court. Whether he took his own life by poison or whether death in its natural course robbed the law of its fulfillment will not be known until a post mortem examination is held. The indications, however, point to poisoning.

Until counsel commenced pleading the actual trial of Wright scarcely aroused that keen public interest which was exhibited when Wright was in the United States. Even the government was involved, for it had taken the stand that Wright could not be prosecuted. Furthermore, it was an open secret that many great and even royal names were indirectly involved in the proceedings. Friends of Wright had said that if driven into a corner he would tell who had profited by his transactions. Suspense reigned in many quarters while counsel for the defense made their appeal, but when the appeal was finished those involved breathed easier and public curiosity remained unsatisfied. It is estimated that the British public lost $40,000,000 through his schemes.

There are indications in the comments of the Liberal newspapers on the result of the case that it will be used as a political weapon against the government, Premier Balfour, acting on the advice of the law offices of the crown, having announced in parliament in December, 1902, that the case was not one for the public prosecutor. These papers insinuate that the government wished to shield Wright because he was a strong supporter financially and otherwise of the Conservative cause and because he had influential friends.

L Road Employes Mum

New York, Jan. 27.—In the midst of the homeward crush on the up-town elevated railroad station last night, a young woman who had tried to board a train was carried half a block clinging to the closed gate, then fell to the rails and was run over by six trains before the police could get a motorman to stop and take the body to a station further up-town. Elevated railroad employes maintained that they knew nothing of the matter and the police were not able to make any arrests.

Favored by South Americans

Washington, Jan. 27.—Charles M. Pepper, who was sent out by the United States government to ascertain the exact status of the great inter-continental railroad project which is to extend from the Straits of Magellan on the south to the Great Lakes on the north, has reported to Acting Secretary Loomis He travelled about 19,000 miles. Pepper gave an encouraging report of the attitude of the South American countries toward the project.

Long-Felt Want Supplied

Berlin, Jan. 27.—A patent has been taken out here for a combination meter calculating machine and automatic press which, it is predicted, will render disputes between the consumers of gas, water and electricity and those supplying them perhaps impossible. By the use of this machine a consumer can ascertain the amount of his bill at any time, for by simply turning a lever he receives a card upon which is printed the amount he owes.

Not a Presidential Candidate

St. Louis, Jan. 27.—President Francis of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition company, in speaking of the boom that eastern Democrats have started for him, said: "I am the president of one big concern now and that takes all my time. I have no time to consider other matters and am not a candidate for any other office."

NEWS IN BRIEF

Mrs. Catherine Kendall Steele died at her home in Lyndeboro, N. H. Her age was 102 years, 8 months and 12 days. She was born at Amherst, N. H. Her father fought at Bunker Hill in General Stark's brigade, and afterward became a captain in the Continental army.

Justus C. Adams, ex-speaker of the Indiana house of representatives and one of the most prominent politicians of Indiana, died at Indianapolis. He was born in 1841.

The house committee on war claims has authorized a favorable report on a senate bill authorizing a settlement of certain claims of the state of Vermont against the government, for which an appropriation was made in 1902.

Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow is confined to his home by an attack of grip.

Arthur Hunter, manager of the Polk Directory company, died at Memphis from acute yellow atrophy of the liver, an extremely rare disease. He was widely known as an authority on whist.

A movement to close every window glass factory in the country where the straight Philadelphia wage scale is not being paid has been started.

Professor Ralph G. Hibbard, a member of the Wesleyan university faculty, was found dead in his room at New Britain, Conn. Heart disease was the cause of death.

Rodney J. Hardy, a Boston grain merchant, dropped dead in the railroad station at Bristol, Conn., from heart disease.

Senator Clark of Montana, who underwent an operation for a disease of the ear, has so far recovered that he is able to take short walks and drives.

TIME IS NEARLY UP

Japan Wants Early Reply to Last Note to Russia

FUTURE COURSE IS SECRET

Activity May Be Confined to Seizure of Korea, to Which Russia Would Not Object--China's Efforts For Mediation

Tokio, Jan. 27.—The Japanese government has diplomatically intimated to Baron de Rosen, the Russian minister, that an early response is desired to Japan's recent note to Russia. It is calculated here that the Japanese note reached the Russian cabinet on the afternoon of Jan. 16 and it is felt that sufficient time has elapsed for its consideration and the preparation of a response. The Japanese government is conscious of the possible necessities of the military and naval situation and is unwilling to permit evasions and delays which are designed to gain time.

The future course of the Japanese government is a carefully guarded secret. The length of time that Japan is prepared to await the pleasure of Russia is unknown. It seems probable that it has been determined to act decisively within a few days. The popular temper has long opposed further delay. While many objected to Japan's taking the initiative, a majority would now welcome the issuance of a brief ultimatum, and a declaration of war, if that should prove ineffective.

Some outside opinion here inclines to the belief that the activity of the Japanese will be limited to the seizure of Korea, which enterprise, it is thought, Russia would not oppose. The Japanese government proceeds with absolute secrecy and the people of Japan are not even informed of the exact nature are not even informed of the exact nature of the demand on Russia.

Mediation Would Aid China

London, Jan. 27.—Dispatches from Tokio and Pekin agree that as a result of China's efforts to secure mediation, France has agreed to use her good offices, in conjunction with Great Britain and the United States, to arrange a modus vivendi between Russia and Japan. Further, the French minister at Pekin had intimated to Prince Ching his belief that if such mediation was successful the three powers in question could aid China in coming to an acquitable agreement with Russia regarding Manchuria.

The British and American ministers at Pekin are agreed however, according to the dispatches from Pekin, that such mediation is impossible, as neither of the powers concerned had invited mediation publicly and they have notified Prince Ching in accordance with their decision.

According to the correspondent of The Times in Pekin, Prince Ching admits that the suggestion to invite the mediation of the powers came from the Russian minister.

The Times this morning says it learns that the czar has been greatly impressed by the reports submitted to him of Russia's unpreparedness for war in the far east, the unsatisfactory state of the Siberian railroad, etc., and the effect of war upon the internal situation of Russia.

Troops to Guard the Yalu

Port Arthur, Jan. 27.—It is reported that about 150 wagons loaded with army stores have left Liao Yang daily for the past four days for the Yalu river, where it is intended to concentrate 8000 Port Arthur and Mukden troops. The authorities claim that the hostility of Japan compels mobilization on the Yalu and that on this river Russia has heretofore carefully avoided alarming Korea by an appearance of threatening Japan.

TWO KINDS OF CHILDREN

Children that grow too fast and those that seem hardly to grow at all, both need Scott's Emulsion.

It gives that rich vital nourishment which is the secret of all healthy growth. It rounds out the long limbs, and helps children to grow without using up all their strength in growing.

Mothers ought to know more about the wonderful help which Scott's Emulsion would give their children.

There is no secret about Scott's Emulsion. Nothing is covered up by obscure references to "active principles" or "alkaloids."

Scott's Emulsion is simply an emulsion of the best Norwegian cod liver oil combined with the hypophosphites and glycerin.

We'll send you a sample free upon request.
SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York.

GOGGIN'S STEALINGS

Nashua Trust Company's Shortage Is About $100,000

Nashua, N. H., Jan. 27.—After the bank commissioner had ended his day's work in looking over the affairs of the Nashua Trust company last evening he said that while he could make no definite statement as to the condition of the bank, he did not think that the shortage would exceed $100,000.

At the request of the bank directors President Newell of the Fourth National bank of Boston came here and an effort was made to obtain his assistance in raising a loan of $100,000 with which to tide over the bank's embarrassment. The bank commissioner was asked if he would recommend a reopening of the bank in case such a loan was made. The commissioner, however, said that he was obliged to refuse at this time.

A special meeting of the stockholders has been called for Feb. 13, at which time three propositions will be laid before them—first, to see if the bank will continue in business; second, to reduce the capital stock; third, to liquidate the bank.

All the depositors have been requested to bring in their bankbooks for the purpose of verification.

Magistrate's Unpleasant Duty

Paris, Jan. 27.—The sum of $8000 was recently stolen from the Christian Brothers' college at Passy. Magistrate Facot was appointed to investigate the matter and he found evidence that the thief was his son. The boy, accompanied by a woman, had fled to Brussels. He was formerly a pupil at the college. Facot followed his son to Brussels and induced him to return to France, where he was promptly arrested. Only a small part of the money was missing and the remainder has been returned to the Christian Brothers, who declare they will not prosecute young Facot.

Refused Big Increase In Pay

Indianapolis, Jan. 27.—The United Mine Workers have completed the work of the 15th annual convention. President Mitchell practically declined an increase of $2000 a year in salary when a resolution was introduced to increase it from $3000 to $5000. When put to a vote it seemed that fully two-thirds of the house voted "aye." He declared the resolution lost. President Mitchell, Vice President Lewis and Secretary-Treasurer Wilson were declared unanimously re-elected.

To Get Nearer Raw Material

Huntsville, Ala., Jan. 27.—The Merrimac Manufacturing company of Lowell, Mass., has decided to begin at once the construction of a third great cotton mill near this city and a contract has been awarded for the work. The new mill will have a spindle capacity of from 75,000 to 90,000. This decision, it is said, is the result of the advance in the price of cotton, which has made the margin of profit on manufactured goods so small in New England mill centres.

Bryan Talks to Clergymen

New York, Jan. 27.—Madison Square concert hall was filled last night when W. J. Bryan began his speech on "Moral Issues." In the audience there were many women and the body of the hall was more than half filled with clergymen. There was no presiding officer, Mr. Bryan being escorted to the platform, where he discussed national affairs on the same lines as in his other speeches of the past few weeks.

Novel Answer In Damage Suit

Washington, Jan. 27.—The answer of the Countess Esterhazy, against whom a suit for $100,000 damages, in which she is charged with having alienated the affections of the plaintiff's husband, was filed by Louise M. DeLang, includes, besides a general denial of the charges, the allegation that Mrs. De Lang has no legal claim upon the affections of Martin DeLang because she was not legally married to him.

Convicted of Perjury

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 27.—Former Circuit Court Commissioner Albers was found guilty by a jury of perjury committed on a former trial for bribery. The court granted a stay of sentence until Feb. 21. Albers was released on $3000 bail. The penalty for perjury is imprisonment in the state prison for a term not to exceed 15 years.

Cannot Run at a Profit

Raleigh, Jan. 27.—At a meeting of the representatives of the 20 cotton mills of Alamence county, held at Burlington, it was resolved to curtail the production one-fourth on account of present high prices of cotton and the inability to sell goods at a profit.

Democrat Loses His Seat

Washington, Jan. 27.—House committee on elections No. 3, by a party vote, agreed on a report unseating Representative Howell (Dem.) from the Tenth Pennsylvania district, and seating Mr. Connell (Rep.), the contestant.

Long Trip to Pay Little Bill

Austin, Jan. 27.—Congressman Burleson has arrived from Washington, having travelled 3000 miles to pay his poll tax of $1.75 in order that he might retain his privileges as a voter and officeholder in Texas.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Thursday, Jan. 28.
Sun rises—7:03; sets—4:52.
Moon sets—2:47 a. m.
High water—7 a. m.; 7:30 p. m.

Heavy snow has attended the Ohio valley storm, especially in northern Ohio, western Pennsylvania and western New York. Scattered rains have fallen in Atlantic coast districts south of New York and heavy snow has fallen in New England. Snow will continue in New England.

That Pale Face Needs Iron

Tells you that you need iron and you can have it in the most approved and agreeable form by taking the new iron tonic, Peptiron Pills. They ironize the blood, and that means they give the face, lips, cheeks, and ears a good, healthy color, and strengthen and tone the whole system.

They are a specific for all anemic conditions, nervousness, sleeplessness, dyspepsia, poor circulation, cold hands and feet.

They are pleasant to take, acceptable to the stomach and readily assimilated, a perfect boon to delicate women and girls, invalids and convalescents.

Peptiron Pills (Chocolate coated)

"I have been taking Peptiron Pills six weeks," said a grateful lady, "and am realizing great benefit, feel stronger, and know by what my friends say that I look better. I am glad my confidence in Hood's Sarsaparilla led me to take Peptiron Pills."

Peptiron Pills, 50c. or $1, the latter a full month's treatment. Prepared by C. I. HOOD CO., Hood's Sarsaparilla, Lowell, Mass.

Selling Agent in Quincy:
E. J. Murphy, 1657 Hancock St.

You can buy WEDNESDAY at
PRATT'S
3 5-cent Loaves for 10 cents
2 Packages Luck, 15 cents
L. M. PRATT & SON.

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.
Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

4 for 1
Trading Stamps
AT THE
HOSIERY STORE.
LOW PRICES ON
BOYS' and GIRLS'
OUTING FLANNELS.
FINE LINE OF NECKWEAR.
LARGE ASSORTMENT
NEW LACES.
City Employment Office.
MRS. C. J. MILLER,
1383 Hancock Street,
CITY SQUARE.

F. S. BUXTON,
TEACHER OF VIOLIN
WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.
Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

HALL and BURGESS,
Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.
JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.
HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

Dr. Emmons'
Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Every member, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively leaves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS

and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
A. Pierson, 92 Granite street.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
F. J. Pierson, 149 Granite street.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EASTMILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Undaunted.

"Didn't I tell you I couldn't see him?"

"Yes, sir. I told him that, but he said he could fix that all right. He's an oculist."—San Francisco Examiner.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	41	24	18	28	30
Monday,	25	16	18	34	32
Tuesday,	29	10	28	33	33
Wednesday,	31	26	38	25	31
Thursday,	—	34	46	41	16
Friday,	—	35	40	41	20
Saturday,	—	35	44	30	11

New Advertisements Today.

To Let—Apartment.
L. M. Pratt & Son—Good Meats at low prices

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

It does not thaw much today.

Thrusday is bargain day with L. M. Pratt & Son.

The "Humor and Philosophy," appears today.

A patent was issued this week to Patrick Clifford of this city.

Charles F. West of Wollaston is in the list of patentees this week.

W. S. Pote, the foreman shot at the shipyard, is reported to be improving.

Last night was unfavorable for the hypnotic exhibition of Prof. Jacob but he should have a crowd at Faxon hall this evening.

Conductor Craig has now got his name in black type in the Herald contest. The next thing will be to get a star against his name.

The Daily Ledger is desirous of obtaining the names of all Quincy people born on the 29th of February, whether old, middle-aged or young.

The Hospital Aid association hold an important meeting Thursday afternoon at two o'clock with Mrs. George S. Keyes, of Alleyne terrace, to which any one interested in the Hospital is invited to attend.

The Independent whist club met with Miss Mabel Wilson of Squantum street Monday evening. Prizes were taken by Miss Harriet Hawkins and Mr. Henry Swanson. Refreshments were served. This was the sixth meeting of the club.

Some are bothered in finding the number of the Ledger telephone in the catalogue of the company. It appears under "Q." Look for "Quincy Daily Ledger and Patriot, Geo. W. Prescott & Son, Quincy." Our number is 78-3 Quincy.

The Local of the Retail Clerks International and Protective Association held its annual meeting last week. John H. Quinlan was elected president, and William A. Hodges Jr., secretary. The Grievance committee are: J. H. Gurnan, J. A. Daley, B. R. McQuinan, D. Coleman and Albion Dixon.

Bush Hammers Stolen.

Bush hammer thieves have commenced their work in Quincy again. Two places have been visited. The first was Tuesday noon at Deacon Bros. sheds. The men were in the blacksmith shop eating dinner when someone went into the shed and stole three hammers. Tuesday night hammers were stolen from the sheds of John Ross on Gilbert street.

SCHOOL BUDGET

To Be Reported to Council on Monday.

The Sub-Committees Are Named.

One Teacher Resigns and the Vacancy is Filled.

A regular meeting of the School Committee was held on Tuesday evening. Messrs. Porter, Burke, Churchill, Hallowell and Smith were present.

TEACHERS.

The resignation of Miss Mary A. Sayward of the Cranch school was received and accepted.

Miss Alice M. Lane was elected to fill the vacency at the Cranch school.

BUDGET.

In executive session the committee considered the annual budget which will be forwarded to the City Council next Monday evening.

SUB-COMMITTEES.

Chairman Porter announced the following sub-committees for the year.

High,—Messrs. Porter, Hallowell, Miss Adams.

Adams,—Miss Adams, Messrs. Huntiug, Burke.

Coddington,—Messrs. Hallowell, Porter, Smith.

Cranch,—Messrs. Smith, Hunting, Burke.

Gridley Bryant,—Messrs. Porter, Burke, Peirce.

John Hancock,—Dr. Hunting, Miss Adams, Mr. Porter.

Lincoln,—Messrs. Hunting, Porter, Miss Adams.

Massachusetts Fields,—Messrs. Peirce, Churchill, Record.

Quincy,—Messrs. Churchill, Peirce, Record.

Washington,—Messrs. Smith, Record, Hallowell.

Willard,—Messrs. Burke, Hallowell, Porter.

Wollaston,—Messrs. Record, Peirce, Churchill.

Books, Supplies and Sundries,—Messrs. Hunting, Record, Miss Adams.

Textbooks,—Miss Adams, Messrs. Churchill, Peirce.

Transportation, — Messrs. Record, Smith, Peirce.

Evening Schools,—Messrs. Churchill, Burke, Smith.

Special Subjects,—Messrs. Peirce, Smith, Hunting.

Rules and Regulations, — Messrs. Hallowell, Churchill, Miss Adams.

Teachers, — The Chairman, Messrs. Record, Hunting.

Finance and Salaries,—The Chairman, Messrs. Hallowell, Smith.

Calling the Doctor.

It is a popular delusion that doctors are compelled to attend to any and every call made upon them. Nothing of the kind; but medical men very rarely refuse, although in many cases the chance of receiving a fee is remote. Street accidents or people suddenly taken ill (sometimes a malingerer) will make a kind hearted onlooker run to the nearest doctor for assistance, quite oblivious as to who is responsible for payment. As a matter of fact, the one who calls the doctor is liable.—London Tit-Bits.

Artists.

"I see that those New York society women have discovered a method of hiding their blushes."

"What is it?"

"They paint them over."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Let those who complain of having to work undertake to do nothing. If this does not convert them, nothing will.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal conditon, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

DIED.

BAXTER—In Quincy, Jan. 26, Mr. James S. Baxter, aged 72 years and 9 months. Funeral from late residence, 6 Pleasant street. Friday, Jan. 29, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Burial private at convenience of the family. Please omit flowers.

FELTIS—In Quincy, Jan. 27, Mrs. Mary A., wife of Mr. H. Arthur Feltis of 22 Mechanic street, aged 30 years, 1 month.

PIPER—In East Milton, Jan. 26, Mr. Edward H. Piper of Granite place.

LOVETT—In Boston, Jan. 25, Mr. Joshua Lovett of Milton, in his 64th year.

Husking Bee.

The young people of Bethany church repeated their husking bee entertainment at North Weymouth Tuesday evening for the benefit of Pilgrim church, and it was as great a success as at Quincy. Upon arrival of the talent they were served a good supper. The amusing incidents of a husking pleased the audience and they appreciated the entertainment to its fullest. A little difficulty was experienced in getting home because of the storm which delayed the electric cars.

The Cochato Ball.

The annual ball of the Cochato club at Braintree Tuesday evening was a grand society event, being largely attended by Braintree, Quincy, Weymouth and South Shore people. The hall was handsomely decorated, and the music was excellent. The grand march was led by Floor Manager C. Frederick Howe and Mrs. Howe. The patronesses were: Mrs. John A. Barbour, Mrs. Horace R. Drinkwater, Mrs. Frederick R. Griffin and Mrs. C. Frederick Howe.

Tibet Monasteries.

Monasteries of the lamas in Tibet are always perched on the top or steep sides of a hill. They are built in stages, connected by abrupt passages and stairs guarded by Tibetan mastiffs. These dogs are almost as high as a donkey and are so fierce that it goes hard with a stranger who attempts to enter without an attendant lama.

To Clean Diamonds.

To clean diamonds wash them in a lather of soap with a soft brush. With cold water wash off the lather and polish with chamois leather dipped in eau de cologne.

Rings.

In olden times rings were worn by monarchs and rulers alone, but as civilization advanced and women were more chivalrously regarded the ring was given her as the token of high dignity bestowed upon her in the marriage ceremony.

Apples.

When buying apples, choose those that weigh heavily. These are the best, and there is less waste in large ones than in small.

Christmas Beliefs.

There is an old superstition that to be born on Christmas day is to be lucky all one's life, and in Silesia there is a belief that a boy born on Christmas day must be brought up a lawyer or he will become a thief.

The Cocoa Tree.

The cocoa tree in Brazil begins to bear fruit at the end of four years. Trees planted seventy years ago now yield over thirty pounds each.

Cigars.

Light Havana cigars contain less nicotine than those of Porto Rico, and those of Porto Rico less than those of Germany. When one smokes, the nicotine lodges just back of the burning part.

Mexican Thieves.

Mexican "rateros," or pickpockets, are the most adept of their kind in the world, with the possible exception of those in Havana.

Not Dangerous.

Consumers of sweetmeats need not be alarmed when they hear that orthohydroxycinnamicanhydride is used in the confectionery trade. It is but a scientific name for coumarin, the active principle of the Tonkin bean.

Kissing as an Assault.

For picking up and kissing a little boy in the street a Birmingham (England) man has been fined $10 or one month's hard labor for assault.

An Odd Legacy.

Among strange legacies may be classed that of a Vermont man, who left $500 to his church, the income to be used in sweeping the snow off the church pavement and in strewing ashes and sawdust on the slippery places.

Cossacks.

The Cossacks are a peculiarly prominent feature in the Russian military organization. They give their military services for fifteen years in return for which they pay no taxes.

Marine Insurance.

Marine insurance is very old. The earliest voyagers, the Phœnicians, practiced a kind of insurance. The master, before sending his small bark to the edge of the earth, mortgaged her against her return. If she came back he returned the loan with a heavy premium.

☞ Eyeglasses fitted scientifically. No guess work.—Williams.

JAPANESE POETRY.

It Is Confined to Lyrical Effusions of the Utmost Brevity.

Japanese poetry is absolutely confined to lyrical effusions of the utmost brevity. The Japanese poem is generally limited to three, four or five lines and seldom exceeds a few dozen. One would look in vain for a poem of the length of Bryant's "Thanatopsis." Japanese literature has never invaded the epic field and knows no metrical form which even remotely resembles an ode, a ballad or a long poetic narrative like "The Ancient Mariner." Also minor metrical arrangements like the rondel, triolet, villanelle, etc., are absent. Of what, then, does Japanese poetry consist? If one discusses its apparent lack of scope and resources with a Japanese, he is sure to point to the "Manyoshiu Kogi" (Collection of Myriad Leaves). True enough, its bulkiness is most alarming, as it extends to 122 volumes. But it proves to be only an anthology of short poems, each complete, bearing no relation to other stanzas, except in the choice of subject, the work being divided into poems of spring, summer, autumn, winter, poems of parting, love, sorrow, etc. Collections of this kind, admirably printed and supplied with numerous indexes and elaborate commentaries, are published at intervals under the auspices of the government. They represent the classical poetry of Japan.—The Reader.

FEMININE INTUITION.

The Philosophy of the Girl at the Candy Counter.

The girl at the bonbon counter put up five large boxes of judiciously selected candy under the personal supervision of a nervous young man. He left a card for each of them, handed over a list of addresses for their delivery, paid his bill and walked out looking decidedly glum.

"Ought to bag a sweetheart out of that broadside," remarked the cashier.

"Guess again," said the salesgirl. "It's caramels to car fare that he has a sweetheart and that he has quarreled with her, their first, probably. He is sending that candy to his ladylove's dearest friends, because he knows they will not fail to tell her about it.

"A candy counter is the horoscope of the human heart to girls who can read it. When a young man buys a pound of candy, any old thing handy, without looking twice at it, his affections are not very deep set. When he begins to get particular in his selections, Cupid is getting in his fine work. The lovers' quarrel inevitably ends in such a reckless display as you saw just now. When the reconciliation takes place, we shall have nothing in stock good enough for that fellow. When he's married, he'll stop coming."—New York Press.

Are You Bilious?

It interferes with work, pleasure and happiness—everybody is so at times; in many cases it makes life a burden—the fault is with the stomach, liver and kidneys. An occasional dose of pills will remove the evil if you take

Beecham's Pills

Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c. and 25c.

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
Tuner in Quincy 25 y.
Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.
Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.
Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marten's store.
Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence.

W. G. CHUBBUCK,
Furniture and Piano Mover
IN AND OUT OF TOWN.
Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.
JOBBING.
Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.
lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in al. parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

AN INVETERATE SMOKER

[Original.]

The dinner ended shortly after 11 o'clock and cigars were passed. One of the guests held his cigar between his fingers without lighting it.

"Why don't you smoke, Joslin?" asked the host.

"I will when the clock strikes 12."

"Why at 12?"

"I will explain, if you will permit me, by telling a story: Several years ago I fell in love with and wooed a young lady whose father was a crank. He had a number of fads which he inflicted mercilessly on others and a number of antipathies which he would not permit others to inflict upon him. His chief dislike was tobacco in any form.

"Now, from my youth up I have been a great smoker. At ten years of age I bought miniature cigars or cigaritos and smoked them, not because I thought it a fine thing to do, but because I enjoyed them.

"Well, my devotion to the young lady I have referred to met with a favorable response, and I was accepted. She gave me to understand, however, that she had no fortune except what her father might give her or leave her in his will, and it would be impossible for her to marry me without his consent. There would be no difficulty in obtaining it, and he had promised when she married to settle a third of his property upon her. All we had to do was to humor him until after the settlement, which would occur simultaneously with the marriage.

"I passed six months of torture. I listened to the old man's stale jokes, rode out with him in summer under furs and in winter with not even a lap robe. I enjoyed music which he detested, so I heard none. I liked to go to the theater, but as he condemned theaters and actors I did not dare show my face in a playhouse. But the crown of deprivations was the giving up of smoking. My fiancee informed me on the first day of our engagement that to smoke in her father's presence would be like shaking a red rag before a mad bull. To show her how much I loved her I agreed not to smoke till after the wedding. This she commended highly, and I took the first opportunity to inform her father that I did not smoke.

"The time spent without my beloved cigars was maddening. Nevertheless I refrained, and when my wedding day came I was as free from nicotine as a baby. When I awoke on that momentous day I admit my chief joy was not that I was going to be married, though I loved my fiancee desperately, but that as soon as the settlements were made, the marriage ceremony over and we were driving to the station I would light a cigar. To this my bride to be had assented.

"We were to be married at 12 noon in presence only of the family. The eccentric father had a horror of large weddings and would consent only to a private one. I went to my room at 10 o'clock to dress. My toilet was completed in half an hour, and I had nothing to do till 11:30. I had bought a box of the best cigars I could find, and they were on my mantel. I took out a number to put in my satchel and momentarily held them under my nose.

"Gentlemen, the fragrance of those cigars was irresistible, delicate, delicious, intoxicating. 'Why not?' I said. 'I have an hour here alone. At the end of that hour the settlements will be made. What risk is there in my smoking here alone?' I bit off the end of the cigar, scratched a match and lighted it. Then I threw myself into the arms of an easy chair and the arms of delight at the same time.

"I finished the cigar at 11:20 and hurried away, reaching the house in twenty minutes. My father-in-law to be called me into his study to explain some points to be attended to in the settlements.

"'The amount,' he said, 'that I give my daughter is four hundred thousand'— He stopped short and sniffed the air. 'Who's been smoking in this room?'

"I was terror stricken, but, controlling myself, I looked sympathetic. He went about poking his nose here and there till, coming very near me, he took up my arm and smelled of my sleeve.

"'What's this?' he exclaimed. 'I thought you told me you didn't smoke.'

"I tried to stammer an explanation, but broke down.

"'Give my daughter to a man who has the vilest habit known to man—not good enough for beasts, not one of whom smokes! Not I.'

"I argued that the preparations had gone too far to retreat.

"'It is never too late to retreat from a bad bargain. The marriage shall not take place, or, if it does, my daughter shall go to you penniless.'

"As soon as my fiancee and her mother received the startling news they began a desperate effort with the irate man to induce him to give way. For their sakes he finally agreed to do so on my promise never again to touch tobacco in any form. This was finally amended to extend only one year after his death."

"He died a year ago today?"

"One year ago tomorrow. He was walking in a new building he was erecting and fell through an elevator shaft."

"Were you in the building at the time?" asked the host with mock gravity.

"Your question is not only in very bad taste, but unkind. However, I am happy at being able to allay your suspicions by assuring you that I was miles away."

The clock began to strike 12, and Mr. Joslin lit his cigar.

ALBERT HUNT TAILER.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

Copyright, 1904, by Sampson-Hodges Co.

WHAT HE OVERLOOKED.

A lad and a lass and a little red sleigh,
With Dobbin to draw them, were speeding away.
Above in the heavens the roguish stars blinked
The way that for ages at lovers they'd winked.

"For every star falling this right you may claim—
To kiss the young lady; so get in the game."
This message Marconic was flashed through the air,
But he didn't get it or else didn't care.

A rocket celestial flashed over the sky.
"I see a star falling," said Bess, with a sigh.
"That's nothing surprising or startling or queer,"
Said John. "They're quite common at this time of year."

Just then a bombardment of twinklers began,
But John sat erect, like a sawdust stuffed man,
While Bess said: "Oh, my! But, say, isn't this grand?"
But somehow she couldn't make John understand.

A passing cloud darkened the moon's yellow light;
The stars seemed to whisper: "Make haste! It's all right!"
But John only wondered just what had piqued Bess,
For as to the trouble he couldn't quite guess.

The stars at each other winked hard with delight
As John turned away with a formal "Good night."
They said: "Such a sleigh ride, with never one kiss!
Just call up the foolkiller; tell him of this."

He Was Battle Scarred.

"Yes, I have been through four wars," said the veteran, "and I have had some experience."

"Four wars?" said his admirer. "Which ones?"

"Mexican, civil, Spanish and matrimony," sadly replied the old soldier.

Looking For a Snap.

"What do you think of that man? His wife takes in washing to support him!"

"I wonder if she has any unmarried sisters."

The Welcome Letter.

A letter from home—how it cheers the heart
Of the boy who has wandered wide,
And causes the tears of joy to start
If there is a check inside!

When a youth is broke in a foreign land
And living by crook and wit,
It cheers him up to beat the band
To have dear pa remit.

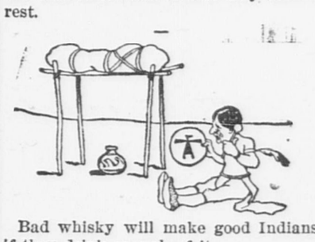
Close to the Mark.

Wallie—How can you tell a lobster when you see one?

May—Now let's change the subject. I don't want to get personal.

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

The standing army is never sent to the seat of trouble that it may take a rest.



Bad whisky will make good Indians if they drink enough of it.

The man who never stole an umbrella never had a chance on a wet day.

A man seldom complains that his room is too hot when some one else is buying the coal.

Bohemia loses some of its glamour when a man becomes initiated and finds out how many of its inhabitants want to borrow a quarter of him.

Often a man comes nearer being the star performer at his funeral than at his wedding.

When a man tells the truth in a horse trade it is a sign that he will never go to congress.

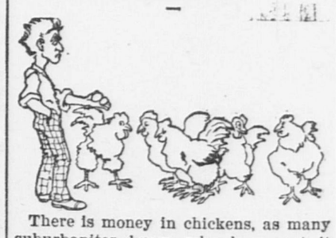
It must amuse the birds to see what an amount of time and energy man expends trying to make flying machines.

If laziness is a disease, the man misses a good deal who has never had it.

There is some doubt as to whether brain or hair culture is the purpose of a modern college education.

Many a man has been saved the pangs of appendicitis by being too poor to have an operation.

It is seldom a grass widow can be accused of being grass color.



There is money in chickens, as many suburbanites know who have put it there.

Often the servant girl problem looks quite different from the servant girl's side of it.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Advertisements in this column inserted at following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, . . 25c.
" " three days, . . 50c.
" " one week, ... 75c.

Additional lines will be charged for at the rate of 5c per line. Seven words equal a line. Long terms furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—Three Reliable Men. Steady job; pay $12.00. Address "CONTRACTOR," Ledger Office, Quincy, Jan. 22.

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers on machines, steady work. Apply to MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street. Jan. 13.

FOR SALE.

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom made pung built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition. GEORGE H. WHITE. Quincy, Jan. 12.

TO LET.

TO LET—Apartment, 18 Charles street, Fore River Station, 5 rooms, bath, furnace, hot water, set tubs. Quincy, Jan. 27.

TO RENT—Quincy House, Washington street, adjoining Public Library, low to right party. Apply to H. T. NEWMAN, 21 Adams Building. Quincy, Jan. 26.

TO LET—Tenement of 6 rooms, bath, furnace on South street. Apply to JULIUS JOHNSON, 5 Temple street. Quincy, Jan. 25.

TO LET—Unfurnished Rooms suitable for two ladies or man and wife. Inquire 48 Washington street, library side. Quincy, Jan. 25.

TO LET—A Five Room Cottage on Granite Street. Apply at 53 Newcomb street. Quincy, Jan. 25.

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street, $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TAYLOR, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30.

WOLLASTON, near R. R. Station, Electrics. To Let—Tenement of 5 rooms, in good repair, on second floor, newly painted and screened. Small family preferred. Apply to L. W. NASH, opposite station. Jan 21.

TO LET—Nice tenement containing 5 rooms and bath, furnace heat, sun parlor, 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec.

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 7 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. Dec. 29.

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23.

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Squantum recently occupied by L. C. Sprague & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 91 Granite street. Oct.

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes from Central Railroad Station. Rent, $40 per month or year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec.

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all improvements, electric lights, with garage at Quincy Point. Within one minute of electric cars and within ten minutes walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Co. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24.

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the Hancock Building, City Square. A rare opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in Greenleaf Block. These are all heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin Block, only one flight up, and right at head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered, good rooms, besides ample closets, city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers, one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms. New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—Just put in repair.

A Shop on the ground floor in rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust
Music Hall Block,

ADVERTISING IN THE QUINCY DAILY LEDGER BRINGS BEST RESULTS.

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 24. QUINCY, MASS., THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

Feast for Inner Man and Lovers of Wit.

Joy for Followers of Terpsichore.

ALL GOODS WILL BE DELIVERED FREE AT RESIDENCES IN QUINCY.

John H. Pray & Sons Co.

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF

FLOOR COVERINGS

Assortment — COMPLETE
Prices — — — RIGHT
Work — — — PROMPT

It is generally known that we are ***Distributors of Floor Coverings*** of every description, and we desire it to be equally well known that we have all grades of ***Upholstery Fabrics, Lace Curtains, Furniture Coverings, etc.***

The advice of an interior decorator is at your service, if desired. Goods displayed either in our show-room or at residences. Estimates furnished for covering single pieces of furniture or for completely decorating either a single room or an entire house.

For eighty-six years, under the same firm name, we have distributed to the public, to our neighbors, to our friends, Carpets and Rugs, and until we added Interior Decorations and Upholstery Fabrics our sole and entire business has been Floor Coverings.

Does not this record make for intelligent confidence on your part?

Pray Building, Washington St., opposite Boylston St. BOSTON

Represented in Quincy by Mr. Otho A. Hayward; in Wollaston by Mr. W. J. Wellington

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON

Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

Head-Ease

- FOR -

Headache

A powder for the cure of Headache, Neuralgia, Sleeplessness and Colds.

In Envelopes, 3 Powders for 10 Cents.
In Boxes, 12 Powders for 25 Cents.

MADE ONLY BY

CHAS. C. HEARN,

DRUGGIST,

1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

THE VERY BEST

VERMONT BUTTER,

25 cts. per lb. 5 lb. box $1.25.

BEST ELGIN BUTTER, 23 cts. per lb.

5 lb. box, $1.10.

Meadowbrook Creamery,

1399 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass.

MEN'S BANQUET.

A Turkey Dinner Served at Universalist Church.

Rev. E. W. Preble Toastmaster.

Other Clergymen Among the Speakers of the Evening.

The men of the Universalist church scored another grand success Wednesday evening when they served a bountiful turkey supper at the vestry to about 200 people. Many churches were represented in the gathering. The gentlemen supplied very generously and there was an abundance of well cooked turkey with dressing and cranberry sauce, also tongue and ham, pickles and rolls, mashed potato, pies in variety, cake, oranges bananas and coffee.

Charles A. Hobart was chairman of the committee, which included the following gentlemen:

Head Waiters,—Walter Loud, Frank Stoddard, Adolph Osgood, Peter Gomez and Frank Osgood.

Assistants, — Louis Gomez, Abel Gomez, Harry Holton, Ed. Taber, Clifford Taylor, Robert Hardwick, Cady Loud, Robert Kelsey, Frank Carlton, Harry Winslow, L. W. Fiske, Fred Osgood and Orman Philbrook.

Stewards, — William Osgood and Henry P. Furnald.

Rev. E. W. Preble of Malden, a former pastor, presided at the post prandial exercises, which opened with a beautiful tenor solo by Mr. Willis C. Haynes of Boston, who was recalled.

Mr. Preble read a letter of regret from Rev. Merrill C. Ward who was expected to preside, saying there seemed to be a conspiracy to keep him and Mrs. Ward away. They had commenced to move to Southbridge and their furniture was delayed, and frozen water pipes and gas pipes demanded attention. Both were hungry to be at the banquet of the ever dear friends of Quincy. He was sure there would be a good feast and hoped all would have a good time.

Mr. Preble was also sorry to note the absence of Franklin Jacobs, the toastmaster last year, who is detained at home by illness.

After three or four stories Rev. W. H. Morrison of Brockton was introduced. He also was an adept at story telling and kept all in good humor. He referred to the chairman as Grandpa Preble. He said we all miss Rev. Mr. Ward. We would all have been pleased to shake his hand once more and wish him Godspeed in his new field.

He was sorry to have Mr. Ward leave Quincy. He would like to have kept him in this vicinity. He has done a splendid work in Quincy. Few men are as loyal to the church as Rev. M. C. Ward. No pastor has so thoroughly won your love. You will always love and respect him.

The best way to show regard is to be loyal to the old church. Let his good work go right along. Mr. Ward is a Universalist and a follower of his church.

There are four kinds of examples: The good and the bad examples of bad men, and the good and the bad examples of good men. Many good men have set a bad example by not going to church and upholding it. Cities will never be pulled down by the slums but by the indifference of good people. We want guides, and not guide posts.

The readings of Mrs. Susie Furnald are always appreciated at this church, and she was twice recalled.

Chairman Hobart of the committee then offered the following resolutions which met with hearty approval:

WHEREAS,—We the members of the First Universalist church of Quincy, desire at this time to testify our appreciation of the work of Rev. Merrill C. Ward, our retiring pastor, who has been called to a new field of labor. He has indeed been an earnest and faithful worker in the Master's vineyard, and under his leadership new life has been infused into our church and through the inspiration of his life we have been aroused to greater effort in sowing the seeds of liberal christianity.

RESOLVED,—That we will cherish with affection the memory of Bro. Ward's four years' pastorate which has been so helpful to us all, and we regret that the pastoral relations are now severed.

RESOLVED,—That we desire to testify to his christian character, his devotion to the cause of the great principles which Universalists represent, and his loyalty as a friend, and that he will carry into his new field of labor our earnest prayer for his future success.

Rev. Charles Conklin who will supply the pulpit of the church this year, was the next speaker. He congratulated the men on their success, and was pleased to see the numbers increase. A successful church is one where all work to extend the kingdom of God and humanity. He heard no criticism of Rev. Mr. Ward, and his uplifting influence ought to be felt for years.

Mr. Haynes entertained with more sweet tenor solos.

It was announced that a purse of $50.25 had been raised which it was intended to present to Rev. Mr. Ward, and it will be sent to him together with a copy of the resolutions adopted.

SLUGGED THE GUARD

Sensational Midnight Escape of Prisoners In a Maine Jail

Saco, Me., Jan. 28.—Joseph Bradley and John Nagle, both of whom were yesterday sentenced to one year's imprisonment for burglary, overpowered the guard at the city jail at midnight, pounded him into unconsciousness and, after locking him in a cell, escaped. Charles Chasse, who was serving a sentence of one year for larceny, also left the jail. Bradley and Nagle were to have been removed to the state prison today.

Owing to the cells being cold, the men were allowed to remain in the corridor until a late hour. At midnight Guard Murphy entered the corridor to escort the men to their cells, when both prisoners sprang upon him. The guard fought them until he was rendered unconscious by being struck upon the head with a bottle. He was thrown into a cell and the cell door locked. Taking the guard's keys, the prisoners left the building, followed by Chasse, and locked the door after them.

Murphy was discovered an hour later by his wife. His condition is serious.

Kennebunk, Me., Jan. 28.—The three prisoners who escaped from the city jail at Saco were captured here at 1:30 o'clock this morning. All three were suffering intensely from the cold, and exhausted from their long tramp, and made little pretence of resistance. They were scantily clad, and could hardly have gone far in their condition.

Wrecked on Green Island

Cape Porpoise, Me., Jan. 28.—While trying to make a harbor during a blinding snowstorm the Beverly, Mass., fishing schooner Dorothy, an almost new vessel, went ashore on Green island and went to pieces. The crew escaped in safety, but had no time to save any of their effects. The Dorothy had several thousand pounds of fish aboard when the storm came up. Captain McKay tried to reach this port, but he was unable to distinguish the beacon lights and ran onto Green island.

Anxious to Avert Strike

Boston, Jan. 28.—The threatened strike of the teamsters of the city was discussed in all its phases at a meeting of the Team Drivers' district council last night, and the whole matter was referred to a committee who will have a conference with the master teamsters. The district council represents 15,000 teamsters. It is evident that the members of the union are determined to exhaust every possible means of settlement before resorting to a strike.

Bean Convicted of Murder

Woodstock, Vt., Jan. 28.—Joseph Bean was found guilty of murder in the second degree in causing the death of Ephraim Root last October. Bean was brought into court to receive sentence in a state of complete collapse. A sentence of imprisonment for life was imposed, but execution of the sentence was deferred until the filing of a formal bill of exceptions. The sentiment of the community here is that the verdict was unfair to Bean.

Some are bothered in finding the number of the Ledger telephone in the catalogue of the company. It appears under "Q." Look for "Quincy Daily Ledger and Patriot, Geo. W. Prescott & Son, Quincy." Our number is 78-3 Quincy.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

FINED $10 EACH.

Two Shipyard Men Start a Row on Neponset Electric.

James H. Connelly was badly used up Wednesday night, and it is alleged that William Gibbons and Wilkins Thomas are the men who did the job.

The story as told in court was that Gibbons and Thomas, who were together, boarded the car leaving Neponset for Quincy at 7.35. Connelly was also a passenger on the car.

Gibbons told the conductor that his friend on the rear platform would pay. This man said he had no money. They offered the conductor a drink of whiskey and offered to sell a watch.

When near Barry's corner, Thomas hit Connelly in the face and Gibbons also struck him. Both blows were without provocation.

The conductor got the three men off the car and Thomas and Gibbons began to beat and kick Connelly in the face. They were separated and got onto the car again. The conductor in the meantime had telephoned to Quincy for an officer to meet the car to arrest the men for evading fare.

The two men left the car before it reached Quincy but they were later arrested by Officer Goodhue and Burrell.

Connelly's face was badly bruised. The two defendants, who are employed at the Fore River works, were said to be under the influence of liquor.

They were arraigned in court for assult on Connelly and fined $10 each.

More Hammers Stolen.

Bush hammer thieves were about again Wednesday and entered the yard of Prout Bros & Co., and stole three bush hammers. Wednesday afternoon Inspector McKay recovered in a Boston pawnshop six of the hammers previously stolen.

DOES YOUR HUSBAND SHAVE

often enough to please you? In the drug stores there has been placed a new lather for the face called "EASY-SHAVE," made from glycerine and oils, which makes the beard soft and shaving a pleasure. A perfect shampoo for the hair. Price 15c. Get a package today.

MILLER'S.

Orange Sale.

Navel Oranges, 17c. doz.

New Dates, 4c. lb.

Roast Pork, 10c. lb.

Short Lamb Chop, 12 1-2c. lb.

$10.00 worth of Stamps with a pound of Tea, 60 cents.

$10.00 worth of Stamps with 2 pounds of 35c. Coffee.

V. E. MILLER,

CASH GROCER,

Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass.

BOWLING LEAGUE.

The Weymouths Gained on the Quincys Last Night.

Once again in the Old Colony bowling league the leaders have won as many as the tail enders have lost and vice versa. And the same is true of the two Weymouth teams midway in the contest.

On Wednesday, however, the Weymouth team gained on the leaders, being the only team to increase their percentage.

The standing to date is:

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Quincy	36	30	6	83
Weymouth	36	23	13	64
East Weymouth	36	13	23	36
Quincy Point	36	6	30	17

At Quincy.

East Weymouth came over to the Granite St. alleys Wednesday evening and were defeated two games out of three. Quincy won the first by 7 pins and second by just one pin. East Weymouth took the third game by 12 pins. Nash was high man of night, rolling 267, closely followed by Morton with 264. Nash also got the best single of 101. Smith and Welsh were tied for high honors on the East Weymouth team, each rolling 262.

Score:

QUINCYS.

	1st	2d	3d	Total
Morton,	83	89	94	264
Grant,	87	67	88	242
Nash,	85	101	81	267
Westland,	85	80	72	237
Moorehead,	76	84	63	223
Totals.	415	421	396	1233

EAST WEYMOUTHS.

Smith,	93	93	76	262
Flannery,	83	74	86	243
Welch,	84	98	80	262
Newcomb,	68	72	81	221
Farrar,	81	83	85	249
Totals,	409	420	408	1237

At Weymouth.

The Weymouth team had very little difficulty in defeating the Quincy Points Wednesday evening at Weymouth, winning each game by good margins. Glover and Burrell rolled good totals for Weymouth making 272 each. McMasters did the best work for the Point team rolling 252. Glover got the best single of the night rolling 99.

Score:

WEYMOUTHS.

	1st	2d	3d	Total
Burrell,	93	96	83	272
Turner,	74	68	86	228
Peleran,	78	78	87	243
Glover,	99	90	83	272
Connell,	88	88	89	265
Totals,	432	420	428	1280

QUINCY POINTS.

G. Dunn,	72	72	76	220
Caldwell,	68	69	91	228
McMasters,	77	85	90	252
Lyons,	77	88	74	239
Flynn,	79	75	73	227
Totals,	373	389	404	1166

Junior League.

In the Junior league the Quincy juniors were defeated three straight games by East Weymouth at the East Weymouth alleys. Quincy Points lost two games out of three to Weymouth at the Point alleys.

The Daily Ledger is desirous of obtaining the names of all Quincy people born on the 29th of February, whether old, middle-aged or young.

LEAP YEAR PARTY.

The Plauderei Club Were the Hostesses.

A Social and Enjoyable Event.

About Two Hundred Were in Attendance.

Demure young men and pretty and handsomely gowned young ladies were present in large numbers Wednesday evening at the Leap Year party held at Quincy Music hall under the auspices of the Plauderei club.

It was a social success in every way and proved beyond all question that young ladies are capable of managing an affair of this kind and carrying it through successfully. Whether any engagements will follow in the near future as a result of the party remains to be seen.

Lyon's orchestra furnished the music, and dancing was in order from 8 to 12 o'clock.

The matrons were: Mrs. Daniel J. Deasy, Mrs. Alfred W. Goodhue and Mrs. Francis T. Mackedon.

The maids were: Miss Stella Catherine Brown and Miss Lillian Eleanor McDonnell.

The ushers, who compose the members of the club, were: Miss Annie J. Walsh, Miss Mary Elcock, Miss Helen Gavin, Miss Sadie Gavin, Miss Mary Lyons, Miss Rose Brown and Miss Matilda McDonnell.

A Departure.

The city council of Haverhill has authorized the finance committee to float a temporary loan of $200,000, this being a departure from the usual custom, as the city treasurer has always been authorized to secure the loan in anticipation of taxes.

At Gibraltar.

The U. S. torpedo boat destroyers Buffalo, Decatur, Chauncey, Dale, Barry and Bainbridge have reached Gibraltar.

TODAY'S COURT.

William Gibbons and Wilkins Thomas were arraigned for assault on James H. Connelley at Quincy. They were fined $10 each.

The continued case of James Reiley for assault on Winfield S. Pote was called and again continued until Saturday.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

You Had Better Write Down

TELEPHONE No. 114-4.

AND CALL UP

The Hancock Fish Market,

Formerly C. H. BROOK'S Market,

Cor. Saville and Hancock Streets.

Everything of the **Very Best.** Fish orders taken and delivered by the

CONSOLIDATED GROCERY & PROVISION CO.,

PROPRIETORS,

Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—Three Reliable Teamsters. Steady job; pay $12.00. Address "CONTRACTOR," Ledger Office. Quincy, Jan. 22.

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines, steady work. Apply MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy. Jan. 13.

FOR SALE.

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom made pung, built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition. GEORGE H. WILSON. Quincy, Jan. 12.

TO LET.

TO LET—Apartment, 18 Charles street, River street, Fore River district, 5 rooms, bath, furnace, hot water, set tubs. Quincy, Jan. 27.

TO RENT—Quincy House, Washington street, adjoining Public Library. Inquire to right party. Apply to H. T. WILLMAN, 21 Adams Building. Quincy, Jan. 26.

TO LET—Tenement of 6 rooms, bath, furnace on South street. Apply to JULIUS JOHNSON, 5 Temple street. Quincy, Jan. 25.

TO LET—Unfurnished Rooms suitable for two ladies or man and wife. Enquire 48 Washington street, library side. Quincy, Jan. 25.

TO LET—A Five Room Cottage on Wilson Street. Apply at 53 Newcomb street. Quincy, Jan. 25.

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, improvements, at 22 Blake street. $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30.

WOLLASTON, near R. R. Station and Electrics. To Let—Tenement of 6 rooms, in good repair, on second floor, cupboards and screened. Small family preferred. Apply to L. W. NASH, opposite station. Jan 21.

TO LET—Nice tenement containing 6 rooms and bath, furnace heat, situated 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31st

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec. 29.

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23.

TO LET—The Boat Shop on Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Yankee & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 60 Greenleaf street. Oct. 3rd

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes from Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 3rd

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, within 5 minutes at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24.

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the Hancock Building, City Square. A great opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—has good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust.

Music Hall Block, QUINCY

ADVERTISING IN THE QUINCY DAILY LEDGER BRINGS BEST RESULTS.

YOU CAN BUY

THURSDAY

-- AT --

PRATT'S

2 lbs. Good Steak, 25 cents.

Lamb Chops, 10c. lb.

L. M. PRATT & SON.

CHOIR BOYS'
Fifth Annual Concert

By the combined Boy Choirs of St. Chrysostom's Church, Wollaston, and Christ Church, Quincy,

QUINCY MUSIC HALL,
Tuesday Evening, Feb. 16, 1904,
AT EIGHT O'CLOCK,
For the Choir Boys' Camp.

A Chorus of 70 Singers, assisted by Superior Soloists.

MR. E. LANDIS SNYDER, Director.

Reserved Seats, 50, 35 and 25 cents.
Quincy, Jan. 23. 1-tf-p-2w

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

OUR
Mark Down Sale
OF COATS
Was a great success.

The people of Quincy Realized the Values they were getting for a little money.

We shall continue the Low Prices this week and some Coats we are obliged to mark still Lower to keep a line of prices.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

I Can Quickly Sell for Cash

Without local publicity, your Business, Real Estate or Partnership, no matter where located Send me full particulars, price, etc.

Address. CHARLES E. POWELL,
19 W. Mohawk St., Buffalo, New York.
Jan. 22. 1m

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.

OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
Jan. 31. tf

F. S. BUXTON,
TEACHER OF VIOLIN

WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.
Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-1y

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,

Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple,	$8.00
Dry Pine Wood,	7.00
Dry Pine Slabs,	6.00
Green Hard Wood,	7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.

THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,
Yard between Miller and West Streets.
Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.
Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1839.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

It is said that the administration is trying "to bring Russia and Japan together." They seem inclined to get together without much help.

An original system of wireless telegraphy has been devised in Washington. The fact that it was invented by a clerk raises the question whether it can be made to work.

Senator Quay's bill before Congress for the admission of Oklahoma and Indian Territory to statehood provides that these states shall never restrict the right of suffrage by an educational qualification, or on account of race, color, or previous condition of servitude. This is something to think about, and the attitude of statesman upon the proposition will be watched with interest.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Taking all things together, there must be a strong reason for the delay in pouncing on little Japan by big Russia. The reason is not so much because of armaments, nor of guns, nor of population, but because the man behind the Japanese gun is a man superior to the man behind the Russian gun. The Japanese has been availing himself of Western civilization, while Russia, with her cousins, the Tartar races of China, has been content to believe all Western civilization and progress to be nothing but barbarianism with a thin veneering. On the face of the figures, there ought not to be the slighest difficulty in the crushing of Japan by Russia—but there is, and Russia's great advance is in the fact that she has discovered the reason why it would be well to hesitate before striking a blow.—Cincinnati Tribune.

☞ The papers that are talking about the Dolliver service pension of $12 a month as putting a mercenary valuation on patriotism and depriving it of its nobility and loveliness evidently lose sight of the fact that this is the year 1904, and that the men for whom this allowance is wanted enlisted in the years between 1861 and '65. There wasn't any surplus in the federal treasury to be raided in those days, there wasn't any talk of pensions big and little, but only a paltry $12 and $14 a month which, if it had all gone home, would have been a paltry sum to keep the family together in those times of high prices. There can be no valuation put on the patriotism of those days, but there can be a measure taken of the national idea of justice today that will lavish money on unnecessary expenditures and deny it to men who have offered everything for their country and are in need today.—Haverhill Gazette.

☞ Not only is Congressman Gillette's business-like insistence that the department clerks in Washington shall render to the government a proper day's work—such as the rest of us have to perform indorsed by the newspapers of the country as a whole, but especially warm are the commendations of the press of his district. It could not be otherwise. Mr. Gillette is right beyond challenge. That his course has so much disturbed Washington is only a new illumination of the atmosphere which officialdom, with its easy-going ways so easily begets. If many are surprised that so palpable a business proposition has awakened such resentment, others of us are not. The sin which doth so easily beset all departments of the public service is that routinism which ever seeks to "beat the government."—Springfield Republican.

☞ We shall watch with interest the progress and result of Mr. Hearst's effort to reached the presidency by the newspaper route. As he has achieved so much by advertising himself and his wares, he is justified in thinking that he can achieve much more. Of course, the presidency ought to be beyond the scope of this class of operations, and may be it is; but we shall have to wait and see. As newspaper publishers we are interested also in the demonstration of the power of the press. Can it be made to appear that notoriety is a good substitute for worth? That is the real point. It is done often by means of liberal advertising; and the people seem very willing victims of the pretentious. Now, can this method be employed successfully to put a citizen into the White house? Mr. Hearst owns three newspapers devoted to his aggrandizement, and has determined to establish another for his purpose in St. Louis. We think it not the best investment of his money in so far as it relates to advertising his claims to attention. Space in other papers would be of more value to him; but this is his method and he is lavish in its use. We shall see what it produces.—Mobile Register.

☞ There is some talk of a movement for a commission to be appointed by a court to examine into the financial condition of the city. On the understanding that the statute provides for such a procedure, we do not see why anybody should interpose objection. Such a movement does not in the least insinuate irregularity or dishonesty. It merely seeks an authorative statement from a source which can have no possible motive to gloss or to make special interpretations. So far as relates to the conduct of the officers which have immediate control of the financial affairs of the city, they should have, as has been frequently said before, the most searching examination of methods, practices and accounts at frequent intervals; and this with no regard whatever to the degree of confidence which is reposed in the ability and integrity of the individual officials involved. Solely as a matter of general principle, the financial machinery of a city ought to be thoroughly inspected and overhauled at no very infrequent intervals. We should suppose that officials who were conscious of their rectitude and confident of their business-like methods would not merely offer no objection, but would welcome the most thorough examination.—New Bedford Standard.

POISON AND REVOLVER

Wright Had Made Careful Preparation For the Worst

London, Jan. 28.—At the post-mortem examination of the body of Whitaker Wright his brain was found to have been abnormally large. Portions of deadly tabloids of cyanide of potassium still undissolved were found in the stomach. A revolver of American make, fully loaded, was found concealed in his hip pocket and is an evidence of his strong determination to end his life.

It is now supposed that Wright's ostentatious consumption of tabloids for indigestion and insomnia during the last days of the trial was designed to disguise, in case of necessity, the taking of the fatal dose. According to the doctors the man prolonged his agony by taking too many of the cyanide of potassium tabloids, as a smaller dose would have brought death more swiftly.

All of Wright's conversation with his intimates and attendants during his last days proves that he hoped until the last for acquittal, although he made such careful preparation for the worst. Had he surely convinced himself that conviction was unevitable there was nothing to prevent his committing suicide previously, for he was never searched during his trial, and with the exception that he was always shadowed by detectives, he had complete freedom of movement.

Many Subjects Debated

Washington, Jan. 28.—General debate in the house on the urgent deficiency bill digressed to a discussion of political topics, the race question and aerial navigation. Mr. Burkett (Neb.) led off with a discussion of the political situation from a Republican viewpoint and Mr. Cochran (Mo.) spoke for the Democrats. Mr. Hardwick (Dem., Ga.) made an extended address on the race problem. The appropriations committee recommended the tabling of a resolution calling on the secretary of war for information as to expenditures that he had made in connection with flying machine tests. Speeches were made in opposition to the motion. The resolution was tabled. Mr. Landis closed the day in a political speech in which he declared that Mr. Roosevelt will be nominated.

Long and Costly Strike Ended

Pittsburg, Jan. 28.—The lockout of the building trades, which has been on for 17 weeks, was settled last night and all workmen are privileged to return to work. The settlement came with an agreement between the committees of master plumbers and the journeymen, in which the latter were worsted. The plumbers struck for $4.50 a day, an increase of 50 cents. This strike was followed by sympathetic strikes. In retaliation, the Builders' Exchange league ordered a tie-up of building operations, throwing idle 10,000 men. Since the plumbers' strike was inaugurated the men have lost $750,000 in wages and the builders considerably more than $1,000,000.

Impaired Digestion

May not be all that is meant by *dyspepsia* now, but it will be if neglected.

The uneasiness after eating, fits of nervous headache, sourness of the stomach, and disagreeable belching may not be very bad now, but they will be if the stomach is suffered to grow weaker.

Dyspepsia is such a miserable disease that the tendency to it should be given early attention. This is completely overcome by

Hood's Sarsaparilla

which strengthens the whole digestive system

NOT ONE SURVIVOR

All Those In Harwick Mine at Time of Explosion Are Dead

BODIES ARE COMING UP

Official Number of Dead Is Now Placed at 174--But Eighteen of Those Recovered Have Been Identified Thus Far

Pittsburg, Jan. 28.—Three full days have elapsed since the terrible catastrophe at the Harwick mine of the Allegheny Coal company and 71 bodies have been brought to the surface. Only 18 have been identified.

The Allegheny Coal company last night, in an official statement, admitted that all of the men who were in the mine when the explosion occurred are dead. There are 171 names on the list, which does not include Selwyn M. Taylor, the mining engineer, or the two men who were on the tipple above the mine shaft when the explosion came. Nor does the list include Daniel Lysle, whose body was found in the mine yesterday. He was one of the men who went down to work Tuesday night, but became separated from the rest and wandered far ahead. The body was found sitting back to the wall. He had evidently been overcome by the after damp.

The list of 171 names was made public last night by Treasurer Parks of the company and Secretary Terry, after a consultation with General Manager Scheetz. Mr. Terry says it is possible that one or more of those included may have escaped death, but this is hardly probable. The only man in the list who is known to be living is Chris Gunia, who is not yet out of danger. He was found at the bottom of the shaft by the rescue party headed by Taylor.

This brings the official number of dead up to 174, but the list may be incomplete, as it is possible that some boys went into the pit to work under their fathers' direction. Hutchinson, the custodian of the lamps, says that between 150 and 190 lamps were given out on the fatal Monday morning and no man was given more than one.

In the blacksmith shop, about 100 feet from the mouth of the shaft, 27 coffins, each containing its burden, are lined up. About 300 yards up a winding road in the midst of the little hamlet on the hillside is the schoolhouse. The desks and chairs have been removed. On the floor in rows, two in number, but growing slowly, lie 21 bodies, just as they came from the shaft.

Three triple sets of rooms on the west side of the south main level have been thoroughly explored and there are still more to get into before the work is completed.

The coal company has bought a half acre of ground adjoining the Lutheran cemetery between Cheswick and Springdale, and here those not identified or whose families have not the means to pay for other burial will be interred.

About $2000 has been subscribed for the stricken families. In addition, Mayor Hays holds $3000 that will be given to the Cheswick relief committee.

This morning it is said that over 80 more bodies have been found and are being collected at the bottom of the shaft. It is not known when they will be brought up.

Taft Reaches Washington

Washington, Jan. 28.—W. M. Taft, former governor general of the Philippines and new secretary of war, arrived here last evening. Governor Taft was escorted down the railroad trainshed by General Chaffee and Assistant Secretary Oliver and as they passed through a lane formed in the crowd there was prolonged cheering. Governor Taft, General Chaffee, Colonel Edwards and General Oliver were driven to the war department, where Secretary Root formally welcomed his successor.

Stricken From Stock Exchange

New York, Jan. 28.—The board of governors of the New York Stock Exchange last night decided to strike from the list of stock dealt in upon the exchange the common and preferred stocks of the American Steel Foundries company. J. E. Schwab, brother of Charles M. Schwab, is president. Charles M. Schwab is one of the directors.

Cargo of Cotton Afire

Charleston, Jan. 28.—Steamer Manhattan, from New Orleans to Bremen, came into this port with cargo afire. She has 37,000 bales of cotton, many hundred tons of cottonseed meal and a large quantity of cypress logs. It will be several days before the extent of the fire and loss can be ascertained.

Woman Killed In Auto Wreck

Nice, France, Jan. 28.—An automobile in which three women were riding was driven at high speed along the road at Cannes when it collided with a car. Miss Radthorn, an American, was killed, and the other two women sustained serious injuries.

Alderman's Sentence Stands

Chicago, Jan. 28.—Discharge on a writ of habeas corpus was refused Alderman Brennan, who was sentenced to prison for election frauds. It was contended that the court which sentenced Brennan exceeded its jurisdiction.

CITY BREVITIES.

Lent will begin Feb. 17.

Below zero this morning.

What has February in store for us?

Come gentle spring! Ethereal mildness come!

The last day of January will be Septuagesima Sunday.

Mrs. James B. Pollock, who has been the guest of her parents, has returned to New York.

The days are nearly ten hours long. There are now increasing two or three minutes each day.

William Westland, who has been seriously ill, was at his store for the first time on Wednesday.

The games of basket ball at the Coliseum tonight will be between the Dorchesters and Quineys, and the Porter and the Quincy juniors.

Two Quincy people have already reported to the Daily Ledger, that their birthday was on the 29th of February—one a boy and the other a woman.

Henry W. Fay, the City Treasurer elect, is at City Hall familiarizing himself with the routine of the office. He will take possession of the office next Monday.

Superintendent F. E. Parlin will make the Founder's day address at the Brigham Academy at Bakersfield, Vt., next Wednesday. He was principal of the school from 1886 to 1890.

The reception at Music hall, Atlantic, this evening to Rev. J. H. Whitaker, will be a community affair, more than a church gathering. All the people of Atlantic are invited, and there will be music and a good time. The hours are eight to ten.

Next Tnesday there will be a "Decision Day" rally of the East Norfolk Christian Endeavor Union at the United Presbyterian church in Fort square. The Rev. William W. Sleeper of Wellesley will make the principal address. There will be singing by a junior chorus of thirty voices.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

A Word to the Wise.

Cholly Choffer—And tell me, my good man, if an automobile runs over somebody in your little town is he fined?

Tarantula Pete—Nope; buried.

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you, in 6 to 14 days. 50 cents.

☞ Eyeglasses fitted scientifically. No guess work.—Williams.

REAL ESTATE BARGAIN.

FOR SALE—Modern House of 10 rooms, bath and furnace, 5 minutes' from the central railroad station, good neighborhood, mortgaged for $2,400.00. Will be sold for $3,700.00 if taken within 30 days from Jan. 25th. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass.
Jan. 28. tf

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 25th, 1904. The Joint Committee on Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in Senate Bill No. 16, to prohibit the taking for public purposes of land or edifices used for religious worship; also House Bill No. 219, together with the petition of Amasa F. Conant for compensation for loss of business resulting from changing the grade of Mt. Vernon street, in the city of Boston: and House Bill No. 269, on petition of Peter F. Ward for legislation relative to actions of tort by joint tenants for waste and trespass, at room No. 227, State House, on Tuesday, Feb. 2d, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. WILLIAM F. DANA, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee.
Jan. 28. 2t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
NORFOLK SS. PROBATE COURT.

TO all persons interested in the estate of

ALEXANDER FELTIS,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, George Holden Tinkham, the administrator de bonis non of the estate of said deceased has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County, on the tenth day of February, A. D. 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
Jan. 28. 3t-28, 6 9

PARLOR FURNITURE.

The parlor is usually the best furnished room in the house. It is in this room you receive and entertain your friends, and a well planned and well furnished parlor adds much to the pleasure of living.

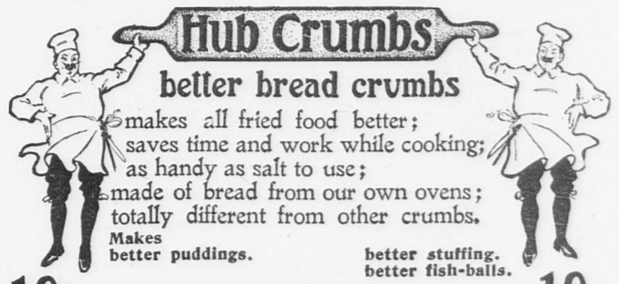
We have hundreds of delightful combinations of furniture for parlor furnishing. Dainty Sets of 3 or 5 pieces. Turkish Sets that are luxurious and restful. Odd piece Sets with Fancy Chairs and Rockers, and an endless assortment of Odd Chairs and Rockers in the newest shapes.

We have the Carpets, Rugs, Draperies, Tables, Bric-a-brac, Cabinets and Pictures.

PARLORS FURNISHED FROM $25.00 to $150.00.

Cash or Credit. Green Trading Stamps on all cash purchases.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store.
Hancock Street, Quincy.
We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.



At your grocer's or S. S. Pierce Co. Cobb, Bates Yerxa Co.
Mrs. Howard's Cook Book and sample on request. 244 Purchase St. Boston Mass.

REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in al. parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

RUBBERS.

We have all kinds of up-to-date
BEST QUALITY
RUBBERS
From the smallest to the largest sizes.
Our Prices are Low.
Our Goods are the best to be had at any Price.

GEORGE W. JONES,
Adams Building, - QUINCY.

A STORY

---BY---

HERMAN WHITAKER

WILL BE

The Daily Ledger

NOVELETTE

FOR SATURDAY.

IT WILL BE ILLUSTRATED.

A Breakfast Treat That Makes You Eat.

Karo Corn Syrup is the pure golden essence of corn with all the nutritive elements so characteristic of this strength-giving, energy-producing cereal retained. Its flavor is so good, so delicious, so different that it *makes* you eat. Adds zest to griddle cakes and gives a relish you can't resist, no matter how poor the appetite. Makes any meal appetizing.

Karo

CORN SYRUP

The Great Spread for Daily Bread.

Sold in airtight, friction-top tins, which are excellent for various household uses. Fine for canning fruit and jelly. Three sizes. 10c, 25c, 50c. At all grocers.

CORN PRODUCTS COMPANY, New York and Chicago.

SAVE THIS COUPON . .

DAILY LEDGER PREMIUM.

SOLID GOLD FOUNTAIN PEN.

For TWO of these coupons and SIXTY-NINE CENTS we will furnish for a time LEDGER readers with a SOLID GOLD, fully warranted Fountain Pen, Polished barrel, rubber cap screw section, beautiful delivery, worth $2. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Present coupons at McCONNELL'S FRUIT STORE, 1414 Hancock St. Quincy, or

Hiram A. Hayden, Agent, 118 Washington St., Quincy.

Mail Orders Promptly Attended to. We Pay Postage.

DANCING.

COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.

BASKET BALL

AND DANCING

THURSDAY EVENINGS.

...ses for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
...mbles every Saturday night.
...for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

...ivate Lessons or Classes ...rmed by Appointment.

TERMS.

...Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2.
...n Tickets, good for all Public Classes and ..., Sunlights and Annual Events from ..., 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies ...hildren $5. A discount of 50 cents to all ...parents and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

...am Wilson will furnish music for all of ...asses, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of ...ces will play at the Saturday Night assem... and at all large parties.

HALL.

...he hall is the largest in this vicinity and is ...ed for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will ...Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his ...ant new store in City Square, with a full ...of new Household Furnishings.

...or further particulars apply to ELMER W. ...KER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coli... Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

PICTURES

FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.

...lease bring them in and see for yourself. ...ures copied from Photographs. Good ...s guaranteed.

H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

MAIN SPRINGS

...in while you wait. Warranted two years ... Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in ...r for one year, $1.00.

Work called for and delivered.

...NDBERG BROS., Faxon Block, Quincy.

...ail or send Postal. D...c. 28-tf

...otel Greenleaf

...ms Thoroughly Renovated.

Dining Room Strictly First Class.

...E. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.

...Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

...ALL and BURGESS,

...al Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.

AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.

...ustice of the Peace. Notary Public

...Rents and bills collected.

Room 13, Adams Building.

...Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

...ashington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.

...OHNSON & BROOKS, PROPRIETORS.

...HENRY T. BROWN, Manager, QUINCY, MASS.

...Tel. 81-3. 80 Washington Street.

...Aug. 11. 6mos.

...DVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

CARD.

Mrs. F. H. Hewins,

—: Formerly in the :—

Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations

METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.

Offices:

128 A, TREMONT ST., BOSTON, MASS.

Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903 tf

JAMES F. BURKE,

REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.

MORTGAGES.

Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.

Room 4, Savings Bank Building.

June 5. tf

W. A. BRADFORD,

Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting,

Jobbing promptly attended to.

Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.

Open Monday and Saturday evenings.

Telephone 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

HERBERT A. HAYDEN

Piano Tuner.

Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1311 Hancock Street, Quincy.

Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.

Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

FRANK W. BAILLIE,

PAINTER,

Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc

Whiting and Tinting a specialty.

50 Gay Street.

Quincy, July 6. tf

Hardware Supply Co.,

1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES

Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.

Dec. 29. tf

ANOTHER HALL.

Or Further Improvements of Faxon Hall Seem Necssary.

Editors of the Ledger:

Quincy is really getting to be more social, and there has been more going on than usual this winter, but the lack of an up-to-date hall, of a size between that of Quincy Music hall and Colonial hall is a great draw back to more extended entertaining.

Music hall is to large and too expensive for a social dance or small entertainments, while Colonial hall is too small, although ideal as to situation and prettiness.

It was hoped when Faxon hall was fixed last fall, although out of City Square and off the car line, it would perhaps fill the bill, but the owners did not carry their improvements far enough.

The hall is not up-to-date; the back entrance and ante-rooms are dingy and badly lighted. More gas lights are needed or those there should be supplemented by electric lights instead of kerosene lamps; the day of the kerosene lamp has gone by for public lighting. The walls of the hall should all be papered, and lightened up and made more cheerful and inviting. In its present condition one would hardly care to take an out of town guest there.

This is honest criticism and the writer hopes the management of Faxon hall will make such improvements and changes as will ensure their keeping their present patronage and securing more, and also stop the agitation for a new hall. If it is a question of money why not add a dollar or two to the renting price?

Recent Visitor to the Hall.

Three Days of Agony

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Jan. 28.—After three days of fearful suffering, Lewis Duff, mate of the schooner William L. Douglas, whose legs were caught in the sheet and were severed while the vessel was off Chatham, succumbed to his injuries. His home was at Chelsea, Mass.

Used Mails to Beg Money

Philadelphia, Jan. 28.—Alice Edwards, a young woman with numerous aliases, was held in $1000 bail for trial, charged with using the mails to defraud. J. W. Jenkins of Baltimore received a letter from the woman, asking for the loan of $12, and stating that she lost her satchel containing her money and promised to return the loan within a few days. Jenkins forwarded the letter to the postal authorities. At the hearing more than 100 letters of a similar character were exhibited from every part of the east.

Osage Indians Are Thrifty

Washington, Jan. 28.—A delegation of 18 Osage Indians from Oklahoma has arrived here to seek legislation for the allotment of their lands in severalty and the separation of their tribal funds into individual holdings. There are 1700 Osages and they have about $8,500,000 to their credit in the treasury, bearing 5 percent per annum, beside owning approximately 1,225,000 acres of land in Oklahoma, a large part of which is worth $50 an acre. Practically all of their lands are leased to cattle interests.

Attorney General's Livery Bill

Washington, Jan. 28.—Attorney General Knox sent to the house a statement showing that the total cost of the "livery" for his department is $3389. The attorney general says his department has no automobiles and that "the horses and carriages are used exclusively by the attorney general and the solicitor general."

Assaulted an Apprentice

Watertown, N. Y., Jan. 28.—James Clark, George Perry and Roger Hastings, locked out moulders from a shop, were last night sentenced to six months in the penitentiary, without the option of a fine, for assaulting Joseph Freeman, employed as an apprenticed moulder in a non-union shop.

Of Great Quantity and Value

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 28.—Raw silk and silk goods to the value of $1,932,000 are en route across the Pacific to Vancouver on board the Empress of China, due to arrive on Feb. 3. It will take 20 freight cars to transport the shipment across the continent to the silk mills at Weehawken, N. J.

Bomb In King's Palace

London, Jan. 28.—A dispatch to The Central News from Madrid says that during King Alfonso's levee at the palace the police discovered an infernal machine underneath a bench near a doorway of the palace, which was crowded at the time with persons of distinction.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Commander Tucker of the Salvation Army is looking into the feasibility of locating a colony of the poor of large cities in Southern California.

The National Editorial association has definitely decided to hold its 19th annual convention in St. Louis May 16, 17, 18, and 19.

At the annual meeting of the Vermont Merino Sheep Breeders' association it was announced that the association had registered more than 500,000 sheep, seven-tenths of which were in Vermont.

Tomorrow will be the birthday anniversary of William McKinley, the beloved martyr President.

☞ Main Spring while you wait. Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

MAYOR RELEASED

Coroner's Action In Iroquois Inquest Declared Wrongful

NO BLAME ON HARRISON

Judge Says It Is Unreasonable to Hold Him as a Criminal Party to Acts of His Appointees--Mayor Makes Statement

Chicago, Jan. 28.—Mayor Harrison was late yesterday ordered by Judge Tuthill to be immediately discharged from custody in connection with any responsibility for the wholesale loss of life in the Iroquois theatre fire. The judge declared that the mayor was in no way whatever guilty or liable and that the coroner's jury in ordering Mayor Harrison held to the grand jury had put an unjust stigma upon the mayor, who had failed in no particular whatever, either in omission or commission.

In delivering his opinion Judge Tuthill said: "I have gone over the testimony of Fire Marshal Musham and Building Commissioner Williams and the mayor particularly, and I can say without qualification or hesitation that I find not one word in the evidence which tends, even remotely, in my judgment, to show that the mayor had any knowledge of this matter or that he was in any respect negligent of any duty imposed upon him by the laws or by the rules that commonly apply to persons who are responsible for the safety of others.

"I find that there were gross violations not only of the city ordinances, but of common rules of safety that anybody without expert knowledge would have said were absolutely essential at the Iroquois theatre. But how the mayor, who is simply at the head of the city government, could be held responsible for any misconduct on his part, in view of this evidence, I cannot conceive. It seems to me it would have been just as reasonable to say that because an insane asylum was burned that the governor could be held over by a coroner's jury for being a criminal party to such loss of life, and held over criminally to a grand jury because forsooth, an insane asylum under the charge of one of his appointees, the warden, had been burned.

"It seems to me it would be just as logical to say that because there should be a destruction of a building at West Point or Annapolis and lives should be lost there, to say that the President of the United States should be held over by a coroner's jury to answer for an indictment by a grand jury for criminal complicity."

Judge Tuthill concluded: "It seems to me that it is a very great wrong to place upon the mayor of the city this undeserved stigma, as I find it to be, without any basis in the law or in the facts as they have been testified to before the coroner's jury."

Following his release Mayor Harrison made a public statement in which he said: "The only possible feature which the jury were able to find, connecting me with the Iroquois fire disaster was the alleged negligence and incompetency of my appointees, Fire Chief Musham and Building Inspector Williams. I want to call attention to the fact that Chief Musham has been connected with the Chicago fire department for 40 years, winning his way to the position of assistant chief by the gallant and heroic conduct of a lifetime. Upon the retirement of Chief Swenie I appointed Musham chief. The appointment was strictly on merit and met with unanimous approval. When the position of building commissioner became vacant last summer I invited the Builders' club, the Association of Architects and other non-partisan professional organizations to nominate the best available man for the vacancy. They named Mr. Williams, a Republican, and gave me the strongest testimonials to his character and efficiency and I appointed him. Both men were considered ideal appointments. The imputation of guilt upon these two men is entirely unjustifiable, but to strike at me, over their shoulders, is a little short of infamy."

Where United States Fits In

Panama, Jan. 28.—The constitutional convention voted that the following article be included in the constitution of the republic: "Should public peace or constitutional order be disturbed in any part of the republic of Panama, the government of the United States may intervene to restore peace or order in the event that the United States shall have guaranteed the independence and sovereignty of this republic."

Burton Pleads Not Guilty

St. Louis, Jan. 28.—United States Senator J. R. Burton of Kansas was admitted to $5000 bail to answer on March 7 for trial on the indictment charging him with accepting money for the alleged use of his influence with the postal authorities to prevent the issuance of fraud orders against the Rialto Grain and Securities company. When arraigned he pleaded "not guilty" to the charge.

Damages Against Uncle Russell

St. Paul, Jan. 28.—E. C. M. Rand was given a verdict for $7500 by the jury in his suit against Russell Sage for services in connection with Sage's trusteeship of the Hastings and Dakota land grants. Rand sued for $15,000.

DESPERADOES HELD

Four of Gang Captured at Lynn Are Identified by Victims

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 28.—In the arrest of Frank Hayden and George Dart one of the most important captures in the annals of the police department of the shoe city has been made. The police are satisfied that Hayden is the "tall man" who has figured in all of the big crimes during the last two or three months.

Only four of the eight men who were taken into custody by the police occupy cells at the station house. These four are Hayden, Dart, McDermott and Murray. They were arraigned in court, where they were identified by many of their victims, on the charge of breaking and entering the National Popcorn works at Lynn on Jan. 18. Their cases were continued until next Saturday, and the bail of each was placed at $5000, in default of which they were committed to the Lynn police station.

Nestor, Carver and Higgins were released by Judge Berry, as there was not sufficient evidence against them, while Harry Gate was given his freedom without his having to appear in court.

Simmons Is For Canal Treaty

Washington, Jan. 28.—The senate proceedings yesterday included a speech by Mr. Simmons (N. C.) in support of the PaPnama canal treaty. Mr. Simmons was the first Democratic senator to favor the measure on the floor of the senate. He announced his disapproval of the intervention of the United States in the Panama revolt, but said that as the revolution was an accomplished fact, and was such before the treaty was made, he could not accept the theory that the treaty itself was invalid.

Kaiser's Significant Remark

Berlin, Jan. 28.—At the reichstag dinner last night, given in honor of the emperor's 45th birthday, President Von Ballestrem of the reichstag related a recent conversation between himself and Emperor William during which, in response to Von Ballestrem's reference to the emperor having met the czar during his recent illness, the emperor said: "In case of there being anything serious the matter with me, I wished to leave my son in agreeable and neighborly relations."

South Americans Our Friends

Washington, Jan. 28.—Charles H. Pepper, Pan-American railway commissioner of the United States, who returned a day or two ago from South American and Central American countries, called on the president to present to him personal greetings, of which he was the bearer, from chief executives and cabinet ministers of several of the countries he had visited. He said that the kindliest feeling for the United States obtains throughout the southern countries.

Civil Versus Military Law

Victor, Col., Jan. 28.—Deputy Sheriff Underwood, armed with a capias issued by the district court, made a demand on Colonel Verdeckberg for John M. Glover, a former congressman, who is incarcerated in the bullpen at Camp Goldfield. Verdeckberg refused to surrender Glover. Glover is charged with assault with intent to commit murder.

Ex-State Auditor Under Fire

Des Moines, Jan. 28.—Representative Geneva offered a resolution in the house proposing an investigation of ex-Auditor Merriam's conduct of office. The resolution is the outcome of Governor Cummins' bi-ennial message, in which reference was made to alleged irregularities in the collection of fees from insurance companies.

Daniel's Attitude on Panama

Richmond, Jan. 28.—In his speech thanking the general assembly for his re-election to the United States senate, Senator Daniel criticised the administration's policy regarding Panama and said in sending troops down there we had violated a treaty with a friendly country. He said he never could support such action.

Novelty In Coaching Oarsmen

Ithaca, N. Y., Jan. 28.—Coach Courtney's latest device for coaching crews is the use of a mirror, 20 feet in length, in which the eight men in the 'varsity machines in the crew room can see themselves as they row. The mirror has just been set up.

Larger Pension For Old Widow

Washington, Jan. 28.—The house committee on pensions unanimously agreed to report a bill to increase from $12 to $24 the monthly pension of Annie Waters, 98 years old, a widow of a soldier of the war of 1812, living in Ralls county, Mo.

Friendly Toward Colombia

Guayaquil, Jan. 28.—A cablegram has been received from the minister of Ecuador at Rio Janeiro announcing that owing to his diplomatic influence Brazil, Chile and Argentina have postponed their recognition of the republic of Panama.

Clerk Stole From Bank

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 28.—The grand jury returned 19 indictments against Fred W. Peterson, charging him with embezzlement from the Merchants and Planters' Farley-National bank, where he was employed as collection clerk.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Friday, Jan. 29.
Sun rises—7:02; sets—4:53.
Moon sets—3:50 a. m.
High water—8 a. m.; 8:30 p. m.

There is no well defined storm centre on the weather map. The temperature has fallen sharply in eastern New York, southern New England and thence southward. The weather will be fair in New England.

ORRINE

A Scientific Cure for Drunkenness.

Absolutely Safe, Sure and Harmless.

Will Cure Forever the Craving for

Whiskey, Beer or Wine.

ORRINE will Restore any Drunkard to Manhood and Health.
A Simple Home Treatment; Can be Given Secretly if Desired.

Cure Effected or Money Refunded.

Ask your druggist *whom you know* what he thinks of ORRINE; he will indorse our statements as truthful in every respect. If ORRINE fails to cure we will refund you every penny paid for it as cheerfully as we took it.

Mothers, wives and sisters, you cannot cure those who are afflicted with this most terrible of all diseases by your fervent prayers, or eyes red with tears, nor by your hope that they may stop drinking. It can be done only with ORRINE. You have the remedy—will you use it? If you desire to cure without the knowledge of the patient, buy ORRINE No. 1; if the patient desires to be cured of his own free will, buy ORRINE No. 2. Full directions found in each package. **Price $1 per box.**

All Correspondence Confidential.

For free book—Treatise on Drunkenness and how to Cure it—write to THE ORRINE CO., INC., WASHINGTON, D. C., or call on

EVENING DRESSES.

Transparent Silks—Wider Belts Than Ever.

Soft crepe de chines and eastern silks which have a certain degree of transparency are charming worn over pale colored slips. Thus white can be made up over pale green trimmed with pale green embroidery and a cluster of parma violets and their leaves. These diaphanous materials are particularly good form for young girls and make admirable dressy costumes.

The expensive velvet gown should be made practical by having two bodices, one for day and the other for evening wear. This last if cut plainly may do

BLACK CHANTILLY GOWN.

service for many occasions simply by changing the trimmings in the shape of berthas of fancy lace or flowers.

Pink and pale blue is a combination just now much in favor, especially on ball gowns, where it takes the form of pale pink roses and forgetmenots.

Belts are wider than ever, and no gown can be quite smart with a narrow belt. Broad ribbon is crossed and fastens in the back with two oddly knotted ends. All the belts are brought down into a point in the front, where they are held by a jeweled pin or buckle.

Black costumes are now relieved by a bit of color, emerald green being one of the favorite shades for this purpose. Some of the handsomest black gowns are incrusted with ecru or even white lace, and this light colored lace is even seen on jet gowns.

The picture shows a black chantilly lace gown trimmed with white lace applique which has the wide cape effect and wide girdle.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Nov. 2. 6mos.

JOHN MAHON,

Teacher of Piano and Organ.

Organist at St. Mary's Church.

375 Franklin Street, Quincy.

Jan. 23. 1m

JOHN STREIFERD & SON, FLORISTS.

Telephone 13-7 Braintree.

Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.

Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

LEWIS N. CURTIS,

PAINTER, GLAZIER.

LEADED STAINED GLASS.

Decorator and Paper Hanger.

OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.

15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

PAINTING

and Glazing.

WARD L. HAYWARD

28 Mechanic Street.

Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

Insured for $2,000,000

L. Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, the eminent merchant of New York and Philadelphia, has taken out a policy in

The Prudential Insurance Co.

for $1,000,000, paying an annual premium of over $30,000. This makes him the most heavily insured man in the world, with the single exception of King Edward VII.

Mr. Wanamaker's total insurance is now $2,000,000.

Ask yourself WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed one-half this great amount with The Prudential.

Your business judgment will at once reply: "Because after full investigation and comparison, Mr. Wanamaker found that the company which could give him the best insurance for a given amount of money was The Prudential."

Ndoubtedly you will agree that Mr. Wanamaker does not pay over $30,000 per year except for most excellent reasons.

These reasons apply to YOU precisely as well as they do to HIM.

Better apply TODAY for information regarding Prudential policies to

FRANK CHESTER MANN,

General Agent for Eastern Massachusetts 209 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.

HENRY O. FAIRBANKS,

Aug. 27-eod-1y Special Agent.

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE

Tuner in Quincy 25 y.

Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession. Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.

Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marten's store.

Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.

Telephone at office and residence.

W. G. CHUBBUCK,

Furniture and Piano Mover

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up and Cleaned and Relaid.

JOBBING.

Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.

lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

What It Costs

... AND ...

What It Pays

are two values of newspaper advertising that the merchant has to consider. But the most important thing is

WHAT IT PAYS.

The merchant can get space in papers of small circulation and little influence for a little less money than the same size space would cost in the DAILY LEDGER and the QUINCY PATRIOT.

DOES IT PAY

to throw away the certainty of the profitable returns which are sure to LEDGER and PATRIOT advertisers, because it costs less to advertise in a cheaper paper?

Dr. Emmons'

Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively leaves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS

and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
A. Pierson, 92 Granite street.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
F. J. Pierson, 149 Granite street.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EASTMILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Black Male.

—New York Times.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	41	24	18	28	30
Monday,	25	16	18	34	32
Tuesday,	29	10	28	33	33
Wednesday,	31	26	38	25	31
Thursday,	26	34	46	41	16
Friday,	—	35	40	41	20
Saturday,	—	35	44	30	11

New Advertisements Today.

State House Hearing.
Real Estate Bargain.
Lost—Book of green trading stamps.
Probate Notice.
V. E. Miller—Orange Sale.
Shawl Wanted.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Good sleighing.

A clear sky today.

The moon will full Sunday night.

An eye and ear test of the pupils in the public schools will soon be made.

It is reported that eggs are being imported from England, Belgium and Russia because of the egg famine.

At basket ball Wednesday the girls team of the Weymouth High school defeated the Braintree High 9 to 3.

Prof. Jacobs had a larger crowd at his hypnotic exhibition at Faxon hall last evening, and puzzled the audience.

At 6 o'clock tonight the infant daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Karl F. Kenrikson will be christened at the Finnish church on Buckley street.

The Ledger fountain pen coupon will appear but a few times more, after which the price of the pen will positively be advanced. Those who wish to take advantage of this offer should do so at once. Hundreds who have secured these pens are praising them and don't see how they can be put out so cheap.

Among the Quincy people at the eleventh annual dinner of the State Executive Committee of the Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday evening at Tremont Temple were Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Bailey, Amos D. Albee and Delcevare King. Among the speakers were President D. Chauncey Brewer, President of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Gov. Garvin of Rhode Island, and others.

—A Somerville man whose neighbors all think he is lazy, because apparently he has never done anything in all his life, invented a new game last winter, and now he is drawing royalties of $150 a week—Journal.

MARRIED.

MILLER—HASTINGS—In Boston, Jan. 25, by Rev. Edward R. Thorndike, Mr. Albert E. Miller of Boston to Miss Gertrude S. Hastings of Boston.

DIED.

BAXTER—In Quincy, Jan. 26, Mr. James S. Baxter, aged 72 years and 9 months. Funeral from late residence, 6 Pleasant street, Friday, Jan. 29, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Burial private at convenience of the family. Please omit flowers.

CUMMINGS—In Quincy, Jan. 27, Mrs. Rhoda A., widow of Mr. Robert C. Cummings of East Howard street, aged 83 years and 6 months.

SERIOUS FALL.

Man on Staging Thirty Feet High Loses His Balance.

James Sullivan, a workman employed at the new power station of the street railway at Quincy Point met with quite a serious accident this morning. He was at work upon a staging, and was in the act of hoisting a board, when he lost his balance and fell a distance of thirty feet to the ground, striking his head on a pile of iron. He received numerous bruises about the body and sustained a fracture of the skull. The police ambulance was called and he was removed to the City Hospital.

Braintrees Now Lead.

The Merrymount and Braintree clubs met at Braintree Wednesday night at a series of games. The result was seven points for Braintree and three for the Merrymounts.

Braintree secured two points at bowling, two at pool, and one at billiards, whist and cribbage.

Merrymount secured one each at bowling, billiards and whist.

The standing in the series is: Merrymount, 14; Braintree, 16, as follows:

	Merrymount.	Braintree.
Bowling,	6	3
Billiards,	2	4
Pool,	3	3
Whist,	1	5
Cribbage,	2	1
Total,	14	16

A Pracical Joke.

The guests at Hotel Greenleaf were surprised this morning on taking their seats at breakfast table to be handed a very rare menu card which read as follows:

BREAKFAST.
Thursday, January 28, 1776.
Fruit
Welch Rarebit — Poached Kisses
Cereals
Sliced Ribbon — Honey Cucks
Meats
Raw Quail — Frosted Flank
Eggs
Potatoes
Small Velvet Sea Moss Tutti-Frutti Sponge Bread, etc.
New York Float — Gold In Crumbs
Mashed Cafe Brains — Plain Paste
French Wine — Grape Sunshine

No one seems to know by whom the menu was prepared, The Chef denies all knowledge of its preparation, and the only explanation is suggested by the date of the card which is Jan. 28, 1776.

Possibly some of "ye olden time" landlords were roaming the earth or were attracted down (or up) by this old fashioned winter, and ventured into the hotel to warm up and investigate modern methods, discovered the model menu maker and tried their hand at "setting up," in modern style. This may account for the queer combinations of the bill.

Annual of Christ Chnrch.

The annual meeting of Christ church parish was held Wednesday evening. Supper was served at 6 o'clock and was followed by the election of the following officers:

Warden, for two years,—Charles T. Hardwick.

Clerk,—James Smith, Jr.

Treasurer,—John E. Sprague.

Vestrymen, for two years,—Charles L. Hammond, W. L. Thomas, W. E. Burke, Richard L. Tappenden and William A. Deacon.

Delegates to the Archdeaconary,—Solomon Fuller, Elisha Packard and George H. Brown.

Delegates to the Diocesan Convention,—Solomon Fuller, Frank Fessenden Crane and George H. Brown.

Vessels Blocked by Ice

Bucksport, Me., Jan. 28.—Not since the famous freeze-up of the Penobscot in 1875 has there been so much ice in the lower river and bay as at present. The up-river is solid three miles below the usual point. Several sailing vessels bound out are frozen in and many coast towns are practically cut off from water transportation for the present. Several days of mild weather will be needed to improve the situation.

Death of General Kellogg

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 28.—General Stephen W. Kellogg, a former congressman, a delegate to the Republican national convention which nominated Abraham Lincoln for the presidency, and one of the best known men in this section, died at his home here last evening, aged 82, after an illness of but a few hours' duration. He was born at Shelburne, Mass., and was a lawyer by profession.

Shipping May Be Tied Up

Boston, Jan. 28.—Unless some satisfactory agreement is reached within a few days between vessel owners and their sailors with regard to the former's decision to cut wages $5 a month the probable effect will be to tie up coastwise shipping to an alarming extent. Several big schooners are lying an anchor in the harbor, unable to proceed, it is said, from lack of crews.

—Now write to your congressman to send you some garden seeds. Spring will soon be here.

WOULD BE FUTILE

Powers Cannot Act as Mediators In Far Eastern Quarrel

RUSSIA PROPOSED PLAN

Endeavored to Use China as Catspaw In Negotiations After Japan Had Declared Against Outside Interference

London, Jan. 28.—Dispatches on the far eastern situation do not reveal any change therein. The Japanese government is holding conferences with bankers and others with regard to providing sinews for a possible war. Cablegrams from Tokio comment significantly upon the calm and confident attitude of the Japanese people.

A report from Tokio represents France as suggesting French mediation between China and Russia concerning Manchuria. The Pekin correspondent of The Times, however, gives a different version of the report. He says that Prince Ching, president of the Chinese board of foreign affairs, fearing that in the event of a Russo-Japanese war China would become involved against her will, asked M. Dubail, the French minister at Pekin, whether France would mediate between China and Russia conjointly with Great Britain and the United States. He also sent high officials on a similar mission to Sir Ernest Satow, the British minister, who, says the correspondent, doubtless explained the insuperable difficulties of such a course.

M. Dubail subsequently informed Prince Ching that France was willing to use her good offices in an endeavor to obtain the assistance of Great Britain and the United States in arranging a modus vivendi between Russia and Japan, adding that if this mediation were successful the three powers could doubtless assist China in an equitable arrangement with Russia regarding Manchuria.

Prince Ching admits, adds the correspondent, that the suggestion that he invite mediation came from M. Lessar, the Russian minister at Pekin. Such a course appeals strongly to the Chinese. They employ intermediaries in every transaction in life and belief in the blessing of mediation is inborn in every Chinaman. Thus Russia gains an advantage with the Chinese by expressing a desire for mediation which Japan cannot accept and which she has already signified that she cannot accept.

It is idle to deny that the Chinese are impressed by this latest move of Russia. An appreciable change in their attitude can be observed since it occurred. The correspondent, telegraphing later, says that the British and American ministers are acting in complete agreement. They have enlightened the Chinese upon the difficulties of offering mediation to Russia and Japan, neither of which has openly invited it, and one of which has already intimated to the powers that she cannot accept it.

Correspondents of The Times in the principal towns of Russia report active warlike preparations and the belief that war is appreciably nearer. At Vladivostock large orders have been given out for American corned beef for the Russian navy.

The correspondent of The Times at Rangoon reports continued heavy shipments of rice from Burmah to Japan.

Yarn Needs Confirmation

Paris, Jan. 28.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Paris edition of the New York Herald telegraphs that Germany and Denmark have reached an understanding under the terms of which, in the event of Great Britain fighting with Japan agaiust Russia, Germany would amicably occupy Copenhagen with a powerful force, thus effectively closing the Baltic and preventing the Russians from leaving or the British from entering that sea.

Blair Was Heavily Insured

St. Louis, Jan. 28.—Mrs. James L. Blair, widow of the former general counsel of the Louisiana Purchase exposition, has left St. Louis for New York, where, it is said, she will make her home. Practically all the companies carrying life insurance have paid their obligations. The total insurance amounted to more than $1,000,000.

Coal Barges Going to Pieces

Jeffersonville, Ind., Jan. 28.—Three mils of coal barges, 57 in number, belonging to the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal company, and loaded with coal, are grounded and going to pieces near here. Two hundred men are at work trying to save them. It is estimated the loss will be $500,000. Ice in the river caused the damage.

Eggs Among the Luxuries

Chicago, Jan. 28.—Unless the cold spell which burdens Kansas, Missouri, Arkansas and other great egg-producing states loosens its grip, an egg famine is probable. The supply in the hands of Chicago merchants is inadequate. Eggs which were purchased last week at 28 cents wholesale are now considered a bargain at 33 cents.

Mail Steamer Long Overdue

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 28.—The little steamer Staolin, operating on the mail route between Juneau and Sumdum, is believed to have been lost with all on board. At least half a dozen passengers were on the Staolin when she left Windham bay. Her crew numbered six men. She is 20 days overdue at Juneau.

MILTON.

The sleighing in and about Milton is fine, except on those streets where car tracks have been laid.

Rev. Edward Anderson of Quincy will preach at the East Milton Congregational church on Sunday.

The alarm from Box 18 at 10.20 P. M. last Saturday was for a fire in a woodshed owned by Calice Goudneau on Capin street. Loss not over $100.

The alarm from Box 41 at 9.15 Sunday morning was for a slight fire in the cellar of the house of Michael Henry on Central avenue, caused by hot ashes. No damage.

Revival Meetings.

The revival meetings close tonight at the United Presbyterian church with special services.

The meeting Wednesday night was largely attended and one of power. Evangelist Kenyon preached on the text "If the light that is in thee be darkness how great is that darkness." He emphasized the fact that to be deceived in regard to the truth or to mislead or to deceive any one regarding the light and truth of God, was against the man's soul and against God. The devil is the prince of darkness, Jesus the prince of light, he said, and all who were living in sin and rebellion against God are enveloped in spiritual darkness. Often sitting as judges of the light while they are groping in darkness. He urged christians to clean up their filthy habits and stop all uncleaness.

Rev. Kenyon has preached powerful sermons. He understands the word of God and knows how to present it. Any desiring evangelistic services would do well to employ him. He inspires men and women to study the word of God as no other man we have known.

Scores of Bibles are being bought to enter into the Bible training class to be organized at the close of the services.

Entertainment at Wollaston.

A very pleasing entertainment under the auspices of the Ladies' Social circle of the Wollaston M. E. church was given in the vestry Wednesday evening. An orchestra composed of home talent rendered several pleasing selections. Miss Marianna Heath pleased the company with vocal solos. Miss Beatrice Walker, a young Quincy girl of much promise, who is just completing her three years' course at the Emerson School of Oratory, gave several selections to an appreciative audience which filled the vestry.

More Warships.

Sec. Moody concluded his recommendations Wednesday before the house committee on naval affairs says the W shington correspondent of the Globe.

He presented two plans prepared by the general board of the navy as the building program for next year.

The first was based on an expenditure of $34,000,000, and included provision for one battleship, one armored cruiser, three protected cruisers, four scout cruisers, two squadron colliers and two submarine boats.

The second plan provided for an expenditure of $30,000,000 and is a duplicate of the first program with the elimination of two of the scout cruisers.

TRUE'S ELIXIR

The only sure, safe, entirely vegetable remedy for worms in children or adults. 35c at your druggists. DR. J. F. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Me.

TO-DAY

And Every Day until the Bankrupt Stock of

C. F. DERBY

Is Closed out we will sell

MEN'S and BOYS'

CLOTHING,

Furnishings and Hats

At Lower Prices than any other store.

COME AT ONCE

For Best Bargains.

You want good goods for a little money. We want the cash. Here is your opportunity.

BANKRUPT SALE,

Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

THE TROUBLE WITH DAN

[Copyright, 1903, by T. C. McClure.]

It was a wet night, very wet and chill, although the fine rain barely made the gutters run. A saturating night, deceptive to the eye and bringing woe to those unguarded souls who braved its seeming mildness scorning umbrella or mackintosh.

In the house of Finch Macomber all was hospitality and cheer. The volume of many cordial voices mingling with the strains of the city's choicest orchestra poured out into the gloom as the doors opened to admit well covered figures whose somber wrappings gave little hint of the rich apparel beneath.

She who a half hour ago was Justina Macomber, now to be known as Mrs. Almon Hartwell, stood, bright eyed and smiling, by her husband's side. Her hand ached from many fervent grasps; her round cheeks blushed from many kisses, welcome and otherwise. She longed for the moment when escape would be hers, and with Almon's arm about her they might hear the shutting of another carriage door and speed away upon life's happy journey.

The man at the door was still busy, although that lull had come between general arrival and departure. At first his broad, clean shaven face had borne a grin of polite welcome. Now it was grave and worried, and he glanced frequently over his shoulder to scan the throng crowding the rooms behind.

Many knew the old family indoor man and nodded at him familiarly, wondering at his perturbed look. Then his mistress came up.

"What's the trouble, Dan? Tired out?"

"No, mum."

"Anything go wrong?"

"No, mum; but there's a-many people here. Most of 'em I know. Some of 'em I don't. I'm frettin' lest you may have somethin' stole, mum."

Mrs. Macomber chuckled. "There isn't the slightest danger, Dan. What with an officer watching the presents and a detective keeping his eye on things, we needn't worry, I guess. Why don't you go now and get a bit to eat and a cup of coffee? You haven't sat down since morning. I'll tell Mary to take your place."

"No, mum! Not till they're all gone, mum."

"You're foolish," said the lady and moved away.

"Maybe!" muttered the old man, leaning one thick shoulder against the wall. "The bobby's a weary boy he's told me. Three nights now and not sleepin' well. 'Dan,' he says to me this noon, 'I dread the evenin'. 'Tis hard for one pair of eyes to cover a mob. Two of us is one too few,' says he, 'but Mr. Macomber gives me the grand laugh, and I'll have to 'tend bar alone.' And it's so.

"The detective? A needle in a haystack! Oh, well, there'll prob'ly be nothin' happen. Ah, but to think of Miss Tina a-lavin' us. And to stop and kiss old Dan goodby when she starts for the church, all in her weddin' gown like the angel she is. A baby when I first come twenty year ago to work on the hosses. Liked me, she did, and 'twas 'Dan, Dan!' till I was like a nurse gal and in the house helpin'. And me, three months after a ring fight. 'Twas time I quit; too old, too old. Lucky I've been to get where I am and no one suspectin'. Still, 'twas an honest trade, and only now and then I'd meet a man. A waiter, a coachman, a trainer, a fighter, a hostler, a nurse gal—he—he—and now a nice respectable old butler man mindin' the door and everything else. Sure, 'tis a curious round, a bloomin' queer one. Father a Yankee, mother English, me born in Australia, brought up in Frisco, fit in Kansas City and now for twenty year a New Yorker, decent and layin' up coin. Dan, you're not a bad sort to do so well by your gray hairs."

These reflections, cut short by a burst of shouting mirth, a rush of feet, a shower of rice and a flying slipper, changed to swift attention. Dan closed the portal after the fleeing couple and watched the scattering to the dressing rooms, for the exodus was at hand.

The crowd began to thin with Dan's rapid dispositions. A heavy set man, with his overcoat collar high turned to his ears, pressed close upon the heels of the Drayton party. There was a sudden stoppage. Dan's watchful eye narrowed sharply. The old servant's hand stole cautiously up the back of the overcoat beside him to touch the hair and lift it slightly with an unfelt finger.

"Wig," he growled to himself, "and cropped! By"—

"Right along!" sounded his pleasant call, and with the movement his foot went out. The gentleman beside him stumbled and clicked his teeth with an exclamation.

"Beg pardon!" said the butler and caught him gently around the body, but with hands that ran searchingly and pressed on curious hard knobs.

"Go on, please," entreated Dan calmly, dropping his right arm and slipping to the left and forward. "Not hurt, sir, I hope?"

A mumbled "No," with a shake of the lowered head.

"Do move out!" cried the butler. "I want room. He's fainted."

No one had seen that heavy, paralyzing heart blow nor heard the gasp as the victim sank to his knees. Some looked back and shook their heads, unknowingly, to see good old Dan tenderly supporting the sufferer, while he called genially across the hall to the detective, talking to Mr. Macomber:

"Bracelets!"

After the last carriage had rolled away another was driven up, and the bracelets worn by the short hafted, hard jawed man, so unceremoniously bundled in, were not Justina's.

ELLIOT WALKER.

THE ATHLETIC WOMAN.

Her Outdoor Exercise Makes Her Graceful and Supple.

The woman who follows an outdoor sport is usually a very graceful woman. She who golfs, who rides the wheel, who wields the croquet mallet, is the woman who is graceful and supple. Men are, as a rule, much more graceful than women because men are out in the open air more than women and are more active.

The woman who takes to the rocking chair at 9 o'clock in the morning and who sits all day, getting out for only a few minutes, is not the woman who will preserve her figure. At forty this woman will look her age, and at fifty she will look a great deal older, says the Ohio State Journal.

Don't forget that age is told not by the lines in the face, but the figure. The middle aged figure is well known. The hips and abdomen are prominent, and there is fat on the shoulder blades. Then there is the figure of old age. This is a withered figure, thin above the waist line and heavy on the hips. This is the stage when a woman begins to look as though she were seventy long before she has lived out her sixties.

Patti and hundreds of other women have kept their figures and are lovely to gaze upon even now, when in the mellowed leaf. And the woman of domestic life can also be lovely, even though her years have piled upon her.

THE CHEERFUL WOMAN.

She Is a Blessing to Herself and Those About Her.

The woman who is always cheerful and obliging is a boon to those with whom she is associated.

Amiability that springs from a well regulated and cultivated mind and heart is the amiability that will stand the wear and tear of the most bitter experiences that can come to a woman.

It is not indifference because the woman who feels most deeply is often the one whose cheerful presence and refined concealment of the griefs and troubles that are nearly crushing her has been well tutored in such lessons of self control wherein pride and self respect deny to the world at large a knowledge that is so freighted with humiliation.

The world is much like a mirror, and gives back the reflection it receives. If you gaze into it with a scowling, disagreeable face, you will see that face reflected, and the world soon criticises mercilessly the face that betrays what it should take pains to conceal.

The cheerful woman is a blessing, and that cheerfulness can be cultivated is patent on every side. Some of the most amiable, lovely women are the greatest sufferers. But it is a well established fact that the greatest sufferers are the most silent and patient.

KITCHEN HELPS.

Use a little ammonia in the dishwater when washing glasses.

In buying a range be sure that it has an asbestus lined oven. The asbestus means a cool kitchen and a hot stove.

Milk rinses off bottles and glasses easily if these are dipped in water as soon as emptied. They are not clean, but they will clean all the easier when the time comes.

A good way to prevent a teapot from getting musty is to put a lump of sugar inside. This will absorb all dampness and insure a fresh cup of tea the next time the pot is used.

Do not leave the dripping pan over which meat has been broiled covered with fat in the bottom of the lower oven. It will be forgotten, and when the oven burners are lighted there will surely be a blaze of burning fat.

Women as Lawyers.

Today women are admitted to the bar on equal terms with men in thirty-four states of the Union. Woman is intellectually as capable of studying law as man. There is nothing to deplore in the tendency of women to enter the law. They lose thereby neither charm nor any true womanly character. No study or training can change a genuine woman to anything else. She will be after, as she was before, the same genuine woman. As far as education is concerned, woman is in the law to stay, and the world will be the better for it. New York university has a regular law course for women and has graduated some sixty-eight with the degree of bachelor of laws. The work of these women in the law school is generally excellent and in some cases brilliant.—Professor Ashley in Harper's Weekly.

Bisque of Rice.

Recipe for bisque of rice, one of Mrs. S. T. Rorer's ever reliable and well tried dishes: Wash half a cupful of rice, throw it into a quart of boiling water and boil rapidly for ten minutes; drain; put it in a double boiler with a quart of milk, half a cupful of finely chopped celery and a bay leaf; cover and cook slowly for thirty minutes. While this is cooking cut a good sized onion into slices, put it with two tablespoonfuls of olive oil or butter in a shallow frying pan; cook slowly until the onion is tender, but not too brown; add this to the mixture in the farina boiler; press the whole through a colander, return to the double boiler, add hastily a tablespoonful of butter, strain through a fine sieve and serve.

The Home Aquarium.

Goldfish are likely to die if all the water in their globe or tank is changed at once. It is said that the change from stale, standing water to fresh is too much for them and gives them cramps which will probably prove fatal. The ideal house aquarium contains, besides goldfish, three specimens of the aquatic plant Valisperia sporalis and eight water snails. The plant furnishes food for the snails, which in turn produce young snails, upon which the fish live.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Advertisements in this column inserted at following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.

LOST—On Bigelow or Chestnut street, a book of green trading stamps. Finder will be rewarded by returning the same to Union street, Quincy. Jan. 25-3t

WANTED.

SHAWL WANTED—Will person who took Blue Shawl from Music Hall last evening by mistake kindly return to Ledger Office? Quincy, Jan. 28.

WANTED—Three Reliable Teams. Steady job; pay $2.00. Address "CONTRACTOR," Ledger Office. Quincy, Jan. 22.

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, on machines, steady work. Apply MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy. Jan. 13.

FOR SALE.

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom made Pung, built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition. GEORGE H. WILSON. Quincy, Jan. 12.

TO LET.

TO LET—Apartment, 18 Charles street, River street, Fore River district, 5 rooms, bath, furnace, hot water, set tubs. Quincy, Jan. 27.

TO RENT—Quincy House, Washington street, adjoining Public Library, to let low to right party. Apply to H. T. WILLMAN, 21 Adams Building. Quincy, Jan. 26.

TO LET—Tenement of 6 rooms, bath, furnace on South street. Apply to JULIUS JOHNSON, 5 Temple street. Quincy, Jan. 25.

TO LET—Unfurnished Rooms suitable for two ladies or man and wife. Enquire of 48 Washington street, library side. Quincy, Jan. 25.

TO LET—A Five Room Cottage on Willard Street. Apply at 53 Newcomb street. Quincy, Jan. 25.

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street, rent $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TOBIN, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30.

TO LET—Nice tenement containing 6 rooms and bath, furnace heat, situated at 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 1082. Dec. 29.

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 25 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23.

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point recently occupied by L. C. Emerson & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Green street. Oct. 5-tf

TO LET.

House of 8 rooms and bath, 240 Goffe St. Furnace, gas, connections, in complete repair, one of the most convenient (yet retired) locations in city. Only small families, with prospects of extended occupancy, need apply. A permanent occupant for one room is obtained.

R. D. CHASE,
Savings Bank Building.
Quincy, Jan. 12 eod 16 p

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes from Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, within 5 minutes at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Co. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24.

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—five good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—with water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms—New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

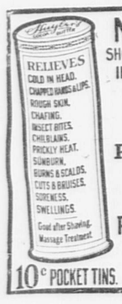
A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Music Hall Block, QUINCY

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 25. QUINCY, MASS., FRIDAY, JANUARY 29, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

JUMALA God Bless SIUNATKOON Our Baby LAPSEMME.



NO MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY SHOULD BE WITHOUT AN INDIVIDUAL STICK OF Hayler's PURE COCOA BUTTER

RELIEVES COLDS, ROUGH SKIN, BRUISES, SORENESS &c.

ALL DRUGGISTS, OR BY MAIL ON RECEIPT OF PRICE, SILVER OR STAMPS | Hayler's 863 BROADWAY, N.Y.

10c POCKET TINS.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF

Imported and Domestic Woolens

Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON

Beg to announce that they are now located at

No. 8 Faxon Block,

Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,

"LEADING TAILORS."

Quincy Dec. 28—tf

Head-Ease

- FOR -

Headache

A powder for the cure of Headache, Neuralgia, Sleeplessness and Colds.

In Envelopes, 3 Powders for 10 Cents.
In Boxes, 12 Powders for 25 Cents.

MADE ONLY BY

CHAS. C. HEARN,

DRUGGIST,

1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

THE VERY BEST

VERMONT BUTTER,

25 cts. per lb. 5 lb. box $1.25.

BEST ELGIN BUTTER, 23 cts. per lb.

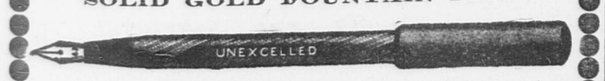
5 lb. box, $1.10.

Meadowbrook Creamery,

1399 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass.

SAVE THIS COUPON . . **DAILY LEDGER PREMIUM.**

SOLID GOLD FOUNTAIN PEN.



For TWO of these coupons and SIXTY-NINE CENTS we will furnish for a time LEDGER readers with a SOLID GOLD, fully warranted Fountain Pen, Polished barrel, rubber cap screw section, beautiful delivery, worth $2. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Present coupons at McCONNELL'S FRUIT STORE, 1414 Hancock St. Quincy, or

Hiram A. Hayden, Agent, 118 Washington St., Quincy.

Mail Orders Promptly Attended to. We Pay Postage.

CHRISTENING

Of Infant Daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Henrikson

Event of Interest to Finnish Citizens.

Refreshments and an Hour of Sociability Follow.

The christening of the infant daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Karl F. Henrikson of Buckley street on Thursday evening was the occasion of a happy gathering at their residence of about fifty friends, mostly of Finnish descent and connected with the Finnish Congregational church. Among the number was the aged father of the pastor and also several small children.

House christenings among the Finnish people are quite common, but the ceremonies are sometimes performed in the churches.

On this occasion the services were quite lengthy and impressive. During the singing of the processional the child was brought in by its Godmother, Mrs. John Piipanenen, who had as attendants Mr. William Huovinen and Miss Selma Henrikson.

Rev. Mr. Henrikson read for a Scripture lesson from Mark 10. Prayer was offered by Mr. John Waananen, a theological student. The pastor with his hand upon the child's head then repeated the Lord's prayer, which was followed by the Apostles Creed.

Considerable water was used in the baptism service, the head of the child being held over a basin. Three times the pastor applied the water, and baptized the child "Martha Rebecca."

Prayer was then offered by Mr. John Homi, another student. A duet followed by Mr. John Waananen and Miss Selma Henrikson, and then the benediction.

Refreshments were then served including coffee, sweetbread, cake, oranges and apples. Then an hour of sociability with songs, etc. A meeting at the church caused an early adjournment. The parting greeting was "Jumala Siunatkoon Lapsemme," which in English may mean, "God bless our baby."

☞ Main Spring while you wait. Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

THOMAS F. McGOWAN,
PIANO TUNER.
TONE AND ACTION REGULATOR.
37 Crescent Street, West Quincy.
Graduate of Chickering & Sons, Boston.
Telephone 204-4. Jan. 29-1m

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
Tuner in Quincy 25 y.
Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.
Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.
Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marten's store.
Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence.

W. G. CHUBBUCK,
Furniture and Piano Mover
IN AND OUT OF TOWN.
Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.
JOBBING.
Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.
lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN,
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.
OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5 Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
Jan. 31. tf

BEDE'S INVITATION

Would Have Democrats Disband and Vote For Roosevelt

Washington, Jan. 29.—The house was entertained by a speech by J. A. Bede, a Republican member from Minnesota, who made his maiden effort and won his spurs. His remarks were replete with wit and humor as well as serious thought. He received the closest attention of Republicans and Democrats alike and drew laughter and applause from one side and then from the other. At times both sides of the chamber joined in vigorous applause. Good-natured colloquies resulted from his thrusts at the Democratic party. Mr. Bede appealed to the Democratic party to disband and extended them an invitation to join the Republican ranks and make the election of Roosevelt unanimous.

When invited by a member of the minority to join the Democratic ranks he inquired who their candidate would be, but no name was forthcoming. The only opposition to Roosevelt, he declared, was from a little "bunch of Populists" in Wall street. The election returns from the west, he said, would simply be supplemental census figures. When he had concluded he was applauded on both sides.

There also was a discussion on finance by Mr. Hill (Rep., Conn.) and Mr. Williams (Dem., Miss.) besides references to the Panama canal and the race problem in the south.

Rose Stole $187,000

Cleveland, Jan. 29.—George A. Rose, cashier of the Produce Exchange bank, which closed its doors Jan. 22, made a confession last evening to the county prosecutor in which he said that his use of the bank's money began about six years ago. He said that about three years ago, when the loss had reached $20,000, an auditing committee went over the bank's books and reported everything satisfactory. Rose declares that when the shortage had reached $20,000 he knew that he would have to replace that sum, and seeing no other way of doing it than by speculating he continued to do so until the amount reached $187,000. The entire sum was lost with grain speculation in Chicago.

Tibetans Threaten British

Chumbi, Jan. 29.—Colonel Younghusband, commanding the British expedition to Tibet, has received a personal visit from one of the five great lamas of Tibet, who delivered an ultimatum warning him to return and promising that there would be serious trouble if he did not do so. It is expected that an attack will soon be made on the British camp. In the meantime the British, in the face of Arctic weather, are pushing the work of road-making through a gorge which is said to be more difficult to traverse and higher than the Kyber pass.

Heavy Customs Seizure

New York, Jan. 29.—Locked up in a storeroom in a government pier is a pile of cases of wine, cigars and Cuban cigarets, each case addressed to a prominent officer of the navy or army. Seals have been placed upon each case and unless the owners pay the duty the cases will be sold at auction. The goods were brought by the Sumner on her last voyage from Cuba. Special agents of the treasury department heard of the goods and the seizure was made.

Bad Weather In Newfoundland

St. Johns, Jan. 29.—Arctic ice floes now blockade the northern coast of Newfoundland and extend far out towards mid-ocean. The Grand Banks are covered. A furious blizzard is raging here, trains and shipping are at a standstill and on some parts of the island the thermometer registers 20 degrees below zero.

Train Wrecking Threatened

San Francisco, Jan. 29.—A threat to wreck every Southern Pacific train running through the San Joaquin valley unless the Southern Pacific company pays $10,000 has been made through anonymous letters. The railroad is guarding its tracks.

Reyes Leaves Us Tomorrow

Washington, Jan. 29.—Thomas Herran, the Colombian charge, has received word from General Reyes announcing his departure tomorrow for Colombia. Herran has not made any definite plans in regard to leaving this country.

An Open Shop Agreement

Detroit, Jan. 29.—The employing contractors and builders of Detroit have formed an association patterned after the National Building Trades Employers' association and have declared emphatically for the open shop.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.
Nov. 2. 6mos.

RECEPTION

By People of Atlantic to Rev. J. H. Whitaker.

About to Close His Pastorate.

Several Clergymen of the City in Attendance.

If Rev. J. H. Whitaker, who has recently resigned as pastor of Memorial Congregational church after seven years' service, needed anything to attest his popularity, as well as to the respect and esteem which the people of Atlantic have for him, it was furnished Thursday evening, when the people of Ward Six gave him a reception at Music hall.

The reception was not only to Rev. Mr. Whitaker but to his close and life long friend Mr. W. J. Sanborn. It was a reception not confined to the people of the parish, but was participated in by the people of Atlantic as a whole without regard to sect or creed.

The hall under skilful hands had been transformed into a large parlor. Large rugs almost covered the floor. Piano and banquet lamps, small tables and couches were arranged about the hall so as to give it a home-like appearance. Along the front of the platform were large clusters of fragrant pinks. Pine trees arranged about the platform, added greatly to the effect.

In the receiving party were Rev. Mr. Whitaker and Mrs. Edmund C. Wade, Mr. W. J. Sanborn and Mrs. Charles L. Coe. They stood in a cosy corner at the left of the platform.

The reception was from 8 to 10 o'clock and it was but a few minutes past eight when the people began to arrive, and from that time until the close there was a constant stream entering and leaving the hall.

Music during the reception was furnished by Miss Gertrude Lufkin, pianist, and Miss Katherine Halliday, 'cello. Miss Thomas, violinist, was to have been present, but was prevented by illness in her family.

Frappe and cake were served during the evening. Those serving were Miss Corinna Wild, Miss Emma Curtin, Miss Lillian Hammond and Miss Ellen G. Hermann.

The ushers were Mr. Charles A. Hall, Mr. Charles E. Cherrington, Mr. Frank M. Coe and Mr. Percy A. Hall.

Several other pastors were present. These included Rev. B. D. Beck of the Atlantic Methodist church, Rev. J. P. Cuffe of the Sacred Heart church, Rev. Carleton P. Mills of St. Chrysostom's church, Rev. Edward A. Chase of the Wollaston Congregational church and Rev. Edwin N. Hardy of Bethany church, Quincy.

Rev. Edward Norton of Quincy sent a letter of regret at his inability to be present.

The committee of arrangements, to whom the success of the affair was due, were: Mr. Charles E. Cherrington, Mrs. Charles A. Nealy, Mr. Charles A. Hall, Mrs. Ida Waterhouse, Mrs. George Hight, Dr. Maria Drew, Mrs. Theodore Parker and Mr. Charles L. Coe.

A meeting of the Finance Committee of the City Council was held Thursday evening.

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple,	$8.00
Dry Pine Wood,	7.00
Dry Pine Slabs,	6.00
Green Hard Wood,	7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.

THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,
Yard between Miller and West Streets.
Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.
Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

The Sunny South.

Quincy people envy Henry P. Kittredge and Henry L. Cobb. While here in Quincy people are humping themselves to keep warm and to keep the paths free from snow, they are sporting like English lords in their outing flannels and panama's in Miami, Florida.

Here in Quincy, Henry is known as plain Kit. In Miami, however, it is Capt. Kittredge. A paper published at that place contains an interesting account of an enjoyable boating party last Saturday where "with fair winds, bright sunny skies and lovely sparkling Biscayne bay, what more could the heart desire."

Gov. C. H. Sherburn of Hartford, Mich., was with the party and the article says his fine singing, joined by others of the party, gave zest to the enjoyment of the occasion.

Street Railway Club.

Supt. Conway of Quincy was on Thursday evening elected a vice president of the New England Street Railway club, which held a banquet at Hotel Brunswick. Hon. Russell A. Sears of Quincy, who is at the head of the law department of the Boston Elevated, was toastmaster, and the speakers included Henry M. Whitney, William A. Bancroft, Hon. George W. Bishop, Fuller C. Smith of Vermont, George G. Crocker, H. M. Putney of New Hampshire and Guy A. Ham. The new president of the club is J. H. Neal of the Boston Elevated, and the secretary John J. Lane, editor of the Street Railway Bulletin.

Basket Ball.

There were four games of basket ball in Quincy Thursday night; two at the Coliseum and two at West Quincy.

The principal game at the Coliseum was scheduled to be between the Dorchesters and Quincys. When the visitors arrived they learned that the Quincys were not registered and they refused to play.

The management were ready for them, however, and put on the Braintrees.

They proved to be a picnic for the home team who shut them out without a point while the Quincys scored 38.

The game between the Quincy Juniors and Porter A. A. of Weymouth was a close one. It resulted in a victory for the home team by a score of 6 to 4.

The games at St. Mary's hall were between the St. Marys and Fr. Mathews, and the St. Marys juniors and the Keleyites.

Both games were good ones; the St. Marys won from [Fr. Mathews by a score of 31 to 8, and the St. Marys junior won by a score of 10 to 6.

One of His Special Duties.

Whenever a baby arrives in the household of the Massachusetts Senate the services of the popular senator from this district seem to be in demand. On Thursday after adjournment, the senators assembled in the senate reception room, and on behalf of the senate Sen. Brackett presented W. A. Murphy, senate reporter for the Globe, with a purse containing $20 in gold, to be held in trust for his daughter, Caroline, born last week.

More for Registry.

The Norfolk County Commissioners petitioned the Legislature, on Thursday, for authority to spend $100,000 on the new registry of deeds building being erected at Dedham.

JINGLES AND JESTS.

Patent.

We'll live upon a patent food
And draw a patent breath
Until upon a patent bed
We die a patent death.

Then after that we will be sure
To criticise and carp
Unless on patent golden streets
We play a patent harp.

—Life.

Accidentals.

"Didn't you say there were accidentals in that music?" asked Mr. Cumrox.

"A great many," answered his daughter, who has musical ambitions.

"Well, it's a great comfort to know that you were not doing it all on purpose."—Washington Star.

A Mean Slap.

Miss Oldum (coyly)—When he proposed, I kept him in suspense for at least ten minutes.

Miss Sharp—Oh, I guess not. I suppose it merely seemed that long to you. —Philadelphia Ledger.

The Only Change.

My ladylove is perfect quite;
Her hair is brown, her eyes the same;
Her disposition's sweet and bright;
There's naught I'd change—except her name.

—Philadelphia Press.

THE CLIMAX

Is Reached at the Revival Meetings

About Ninety Converts in Month.

Truth Presented in Convincing and Powerful Manner.

The last meeting of the revival at the United Presbyterian church was the climax of what is generally conceded to be the greatest revivals ever held in Quincy.

There has been no excitement but a deep solemn intensity of feeling and interest which was manifest in the first meetings before Evangelist Kenyon came and continued right through to the end.

The meetings have been a blessing to the rank and file of the membership, lifting them up nearer to God, and bringing them into closer relationship with each other, besides developing workers along evangelistic lines, and inspiring a greater interest in the study of the word of God. This is characteristic of Mr. Kenyon's work.

The pastor has orders for about thirty Bibles (of the American revision.) The pastor's Bible training class will be organized Sabbath evening at the close of the service.

Four decided for Christ Thursday, making about ninety who have decided for Christ with others who will decide later.

The ladies meeting Thursday was well attended and very profitable. Rev. Kenyon read Col. 1: 9, discussing the will of God and the practice of Christian ethics from a woman's standpoint.

Mr. Kenyon has a happy way of dealing with delicate subjects that is well received. Having suffered himself he knows how to warn others. He was at one time an agnostic and familiar with all forms of wickedness.

He is himself a trophy of divine grace and rejoices in every reclaimed sinner, and he is certainly an adept at laying bare the devil's tactics, and the sins that damn and ruin men, as well as warning others against them. He is thoroughly evangelistic, orthodox on points of doctrine, knows his Bible as few men know it, and filled with the spirit, presents the truth in a most convincing and powerful manner which carries conviction to the hearts of his hearers.

The evening meeting was one of the best, and a beautiful closing to a great work of grace. The house was about full.

The testimony of thirty or forty of the new converts and older saints as to what God had wrought for them was affecting and powerful. How unsaved men and women could see and hear such sermons and testimony without yielding is marvelous. We hope to have brother Kenyon with us some time again and our prayer is that this work and spirit of revival may extend to the other churches of Quincy.

Runaway.

There was a lively runaway at South Quincy Thursday and a narrow escape for Mrs. E. S. Beckford. Mrs. Beckford was driving on Franklin street in a sleigh when her horse became unmanageable and ran away. He came down School street at a lively gait. When near the corner of School and Hancock streets Mrs. Beckford was thrown out. She was taken into the residence of Dr. Welch where it was found she had sustained no injury beyond a shaking up. The horse came down Hancock street and collided with a booby. He then freed himself but did not go far before he was captured.

TODAY'S COURT.

Thomas McDonald was fined $2 for coasting on Whitwell street.

JOHN MAHON,
Teacher of Piano and Organ.
Organist at St. Mary's Church.
375 Franklin Street, Quincy.
Jan. 23. 1m

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:
Four lines, or less, one day, - - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - 75 cents
Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.

LOST—On Bigelow or Chestnut street, a book of green trading stamps. Finder will be rewarded by returning the same to 9 Union street, Quincy. Jan. 28-1t

WANTED.

SHAWL WANTED—Will person who took Fine Shawl from Music Hall last night by mistake kindly return to Ledger Office? Quincy, Jan. 28. 1t

WANTED—Three Reliable Teamsters. Steady job; pay $2.00. Address "CONTRACTOR," Ledger Office. Quincy, Jan. 22. 6t

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines, steady work. Apply to MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy. Jan. 13. tf

FOR SALE.

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom made pung, built for the Grocery and Provision trade; double runner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILSON
Quincy, Jan. 12. tf

TO LET.

TO LET—Apartment, 18 Charles street, off River street, Fore River district, 5 rooms, bath, furnace, hot water, set tubs. Quincy, Jan. 27. 6t

TO RENT—Quincy House, Washington street, adjoining Public Library. Rent low to right party. Apply to H. T. WHITMAN, 21 Adams Building. Quincy, Jan. 26. 12t

TO LET—Tenement of 6 rooms, bath, and furnace on South street. Apply of CLIUS JOHNSON, 5 Temple street. Quincy, Jan. 25. tf

TO LET—Unfurnished Rooms suitable for two ladies or man and wife. Enquire 8 Washington street, library side. Quincy, Jan. 25. 6t

TO LET—A Five Room Cottage on Whitney Street. Apply at 53 Newcomb street. Quincy, Jan. 25. tf

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30. lp-tf

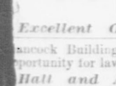
TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate 86 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 1082. Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

TO LET.



House of 8 rooms and bath, No. 240 Goffe St. Furnace, gas, sewer connections, in complete repair and one of the most convenient (yet retired) locations in city. Only small families, with references of extended occupancy, need apply. A permanent occupant for one room is obtainable.
R. D. CHASE,
Savings Bank Building.
Quincy, Jan. 12 eod 16 p tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per yr. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms new and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

NATIONAL GRANITE BANK.

REPORT of the condition of the NATIONAL GRANITE BANK, at Quincy, in the State of Massachusetts, at the close of business, Jan. 22, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts,	$509,831 11
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured,	212 75
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,	150,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds,	4,546 88
Stocks, securities, etc.,	38,036 28
Other real estate owned,	13,260 00
Due from approved reserve agents,	67,881 21
Checks and other cash items,	2,278 60
Notes of other National Banks,	1,559 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents,	1,955 05
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.: Specie, $31,994 15	31,994 15
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas'r (5 p. c. of circulation.)	7,500 00
Total,	$829,055 03

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in,	$150,000 00
Surplus fund,	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid,	104,298 32
National bank notes outstanding,	148,200 00
Due to State Banks and Bankers,	876 63
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks,	18,976 62
Dividends unpaid,	36 00
Individual deposits subject to check,	355,688 43
Demand certificates of deposit,	704 03
Cashier's checks outstanding,	275 00
Total,	$829,055 03

State of Massachusetts, County of Norfolk, ss.

I, R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of January, 1904.

JOHN H. DINEGAN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

THEOPHILUS KING,
CLARENCE BURGIN,
JAMES THOMPSON,
RUSSELL A. SEARS,
} Directors.

Jan. 29. It

REAL ESTATE BARGAIN.

FOR SALE—Modern House of 10 rooms, bath and furnace, 5 minutes' from the central railroad station, good neighborhood, mortgaged for $2,400.00. Will be sold for $3,700.00 if taken within 20 days from Jan. 25th. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass.

Jan. 28. tf

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 27th, 1904. The Committee on Metropolitan Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 185 (taken from files of last year) on petition of Marcus Cook and others to provide for a greater Boston by allowing Towns and Cities adjoining to be annexed by concurrent vote, at room No. 436, State House, on Wednesday, Feb. 3d, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. ALBION F. BEMIS, Chairman. ALFRED S. HALL, Clerk of the Committee. 29 2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 27, 1904. The Committee on Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in the bill (House No. 193) relative to destroying or injuring personal property; also petition (House No. 228) of George A. Scigliano for further legislation relative to liens for labor performed and material furnished; also petition (House No. 259) of John B. Lowney for legislation to authorize the recovery of indirect damages in actions against counties, cities and towns for personal injuries, at room No. 227, State House, on Wednesday, Feb. 3d, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. A. M. TAFT, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. 29-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 25th, 1904. The Joint Committee on Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in Senate Bill No. 16, to prohibit the taking for public purposes of land or edifices used for religious worship; also House Bill No. 219, together with the petition of Amasa F. Conant for compensation for loss of business resulting from changing the grade of Mt. Vernon street, in the city of Boston: and House Bill No. 269, on petition of Peter F. Ward for legislation relative to actions of tort by joint tenants for waste and trespass, at room No. 227, State House, on Tuesday, Feb. 2d, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. WILLIAM F. DANA, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. Jan. 28. 2t

Sheriff's Sale.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. Quincy, Dec. 22, 1903.

TAKEN on execution and will be sold at public auction on SATURDAY, the thirtieth day of January, 1904, at 9 o'clock A. M., at my residence No. 163 Franklin street, Quincy, said County, all the right, title and interest which John Roberts of said Quincy had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the twenty-second day of December, 1903, at 2 o'clock P. M., (being the time the same was seized on execution) in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in Quincy, said County, and being lots No. 106 and 107 on plan by Whitman & Breck, recorded with Norfolk Plans, plan book 11, plan 461 and with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 597, page 7 and lib. 633, page 315, said lots are bounded as follows:

Southeasterly on Roberts street, formerly called Smith street, 108 feet; southwesterly on land of Spargo, 80 1-10 feet; northwesterly on land of Richards, Brooks and Heirs of T. J. Nightingale, 180 feet; northeasterly on land of Phillips, 80 1-10 feet.

GEORGE H. FIELD, Deputy Sheriff.

Jan. 15. 5t--15-22-29

JOHN STREIFERD & SON,
FLORISTS.
Telephone 13-7 Braintree.

Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.
Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER,
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays
o and Holidays Excepted,
o At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST.,
o City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

And this is the last Friday of January, the day that is supposed to govern the weather of February.

The postoffice deficit will be $7,000,000 this year, yet people are demanding penny postage. It will come as soon as possible.

The wonderful metal, recently found in certain ores, and known as radium, continues to excite immense interest among scientists. Sir William Ramsay of England has ascertained that radium gives off a gas which slowly changes into helium, a hypothetical substance known only to the spectroscope. It is thought the changing of radium into helium makes possible the transmutation of metals. Thus former theories in relation to chemistry may be revolutionized. At present the only practical use to which radium is put is as a remedy for cancer, it being claimed that its rays destroy the cancerous tissue.

Drift of Opinion.

☞Small wonder that New York has got a pneumonia panic. With 1100 deaths from the disease so far this month, and all the hospitals filled with patients down with it, there seems to be occasion for uneasiness. Pneumonia is unusually prevalent here in Boston, but it has not developed the epidemic conditions that it has in New York.—Boston Herald.

☞Third rail troubles from sleet adhearing to the rail have been overcome on the line of the Aurora, Elgin & Chicago Railway. A solution of brine, stored in a tank on the front platform of the car, is fed upon the rail through a 1-4 inch rubber tube. It is applied 5 feet to 10 feet in front of the first contact shoe, and acts so quickly that the first shoe, it is said, will get current, this treatment apparently rendering the ice a good conductor. Eight gallons of brine suffices, so it is reported, for a run of 24 mile.—Scientific American.

☞There is a distinct tendency on the part of hundreds and thousands to attain publicity, even if it becomes notoriety. This is well known in every newspaper office, as the daily seems to be the channel through which publicity is secured. To attain this position in the limelight all sorts of things are done, many of them things which should not be done at all. The quicker we get back to the slow and honest methods which prevailed two or three generations ago the better it will be for the Nation and the people as individuals.—Commercial Tribune.

☞Not for a long time have eggs been so scarce and commanded so high a price. The cold winter appears to have had an unusually discouraging effect on the hens, or is the scarcity due, in part, to the increasing demand for eggs as a constant diet? That eggs are higher in winter than at other seasons is a condition long noted; but seldom have they commanded such prices as now. When fresh eggs are worth four or five cents apiece, it makes the home-provider hesitate in purchasing them. But, considered merely as a nutritious article of diet, are they costly, as compared with other kinds of food? Meat and poultry are also costly compared with former prices, although the rise may not be so great. Is not a good egg, if it does cost five cents, as satisfying and as nourishing as five cents' worth of choice steak or chops? There is no waste in eggs. At usual prices they are a cheap food, and it is not certain that they are uneconomical even at present prices.—Boston Herald.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

—There is a young girl at Adjiltur, in the Lebanon, named Anna Yussuf Nail, whose eyes are stated to possess the properties and powers of Roentgen rays. She can see through anything, and describes the contents of closed boxes, however thick and opaque they may be.

☞ Eyeglasses fitted scientifically. No guess work.—Williams.

PLANS WELL LAID

Governor of Massachusetts Presented With "War Relics"

DONOR ASKED A FAVOR

Wanted Check For $50 Cashed, but His Arrest on Charge of Forgery Checked the Governor's Kindly Intentions

Boston, Jan. 29.—Charged with forging the name of George B. Cortelyou, secretary of commerce and labor, to a check on the Columbia National bank of Washington for $25, and uttering the same at the Hampton house in this city, W. F. Mannix is under arrest. Incidentally the arrest has brought to light a plan to obtain money from Governor Bates and several Boston hotels by means of forged checks.

Some weeks ago Governor Bates and the Hotel Vendome received letters from W. F. Mannix & Co. of Long Lake, Minn., enclosing checks which they were asked to cash for the writer's son, who was soon to be in Boston. Governor Bates' letter began: "Dear governor: Enclosed please find a check of $50 for my son," and requested that the enclosed check be cashed.

As far back as September last Mannix wrote a letter to Governor Bates, dated Washington, on letter paper of a Washington hotel, but mailed in Boston, asking for information as to the title of the governor and the proper form to be used in addressing him. The letter, which was signed W. F. Mannix, received a courteous reply from the governor's secretary.

On Sept. 20 a second epistle arrived, expressing profound thanks and saying that the writer's son, W. F. Mannix, Jr., would call in person and bring a small token as a memento—a relic of the recent campaign of the American troops in China, which he wished the governor to accept as a curio.

A few days ago Mr. Hurtubis, the governor's secretary, was called by telephone from the Vendome and asked if he knew any W. F. Mannix, Jr., as such a person had been trying to cash a check for $50. Hurtubis replied in the negative, but subsequently the incident of the letters came to his mind, the name seeming familiar to him. Nothing was seen of Mannix at the state house, however, until Wednesday afternoon, when, after having passed the check at the Hampton house, he again called upon the governor, and presented him with several apparently valuable pieces of bric-a-brac enclosed in a Chinese box. Among the articles were a piece of "the Great Wall of China" and a bit of marble "from a Chinese temple within the forbidden city."

After an entertaining chat Mannix disclosed to the governor his plight as a stranger, saying he had a check for $50 sent by his father, on a Washington bank, but which he found it difficult to cash for lack of identification. Governor Bates instructed Secretary Hurtubis to assist Mannix either by identifying him or by advancing some cash. The check was made out by "The Hennepin County Herald" of Long Lake, Minn., in favor of Mannix. As it was late in the day Hurtubis advanced $5 to Mannix ad told him to call on Thursday for the balance of his money, which the latter promised to do.

After Mannix's departure Hurtubis ascertained by telephoning to Washington that the check was worthless and, discovering that Mannix had left the Vendome without repeating his attempt to cash the check, he notified the police, who were already searching for Mannix in connection with the Hampton house affair. Mannix called again at the state house, according to his promise, and was at once placed under arrest.

The prisoner, it is said, admitted that the check passed at the Hampton house was worthless, but pleads that he was intoxicated at the time and not responsible for his acts. It is said that a similar check purporting to be signed by Secretary Cortelyou was passed Wednesday night by Mannix upon another Boston hotel. Several letters enclosing checks alleged to have been forged were found upon him, when he was arrested, addressed to various hotels.

Mannix, it is said, served in Cuba during the Spanish war, where he also was a newspaper correspondent. Subsequently he saw service in China, and after his return started the Hennepin County Herald at Long Lake, Minn. He claims to have a wife who is stopping at one of the up-town hotels. Mannix is 35 years old, well groomed and attired in the height of fashion.

New York's Generous Offer

New York, Jan. 29.—After an inquiry by the health department of rumors that a trust had been formed to handle anti-toxin, Health Commissioner Darlington has come to the conclusion that there is such a combination and offers to sell such a surplus of the remedy as this city may have on hand to such other cities as may need it. New York city manufactures its own anti-toxin.

Something New In Surgery

Vienna, Jan. 29.—Professor Gussenbauer, a surgeon of Austria, has conducted successful experiments with radium for enlargement of the gullet in cases of cancerous contraction of the oesophagus, thereby obviating the necessity of recourse to artificial nourishment.

KILLED BY DROWNING

Chinaman's Head Forced Into Tub of Water and Held There

Hanover, Mass., Jan. 29.—Quong Sing, a laundryman, was murdered in his shop here, his head having been forced into a tub of water and held there by a box of soap. During the afternoon Cyrus L. Ryan, who had been working for the E. H. Clapp Rubber company here, was arrested by the state police as he was leaving a train in the South station at Boston on suspicion of having killed the Chinaman. Quong Sing was about 25 years old. He had been in business here for several years.

The body was found by Mr. Paxton, proprietor of a market near the laundry, who had entered the Chinaman's place and, not finding him, looked into a back room. The body was bent over the edge of a tub and the heavy box of soap held the upper part of it, forcing the head into the water. All about were signs of a struggle, and the Chinaman's belongings, including articles which had been kept in a trunk, were scattered about as if a robbery had been committed.

Fine Work of Surgeons

Stamford, Conn., Jan. 29.—A delicate surgical operation was performed last night at the Stamford hospital on W. H. Smith, who has been desperately ill with anaemia. The operation consisted in blood transfusion. The vein of the arm was opened and one quart of defibrinated blood was injected. The doctors say the operation was successful. Before the operation the flesh of the patient was pale and cold and after it the natural color of the flesh was apparent. The operation was performed by Drs. Biggs, Whithorne and Hazen.

Death From Gas Explosion

Providence, Jan. 29.—An explosion of illuminating gas beneath the sidewalk on Lonsdale street killed Edward Cull, 29 years old. Many windows were broken and the foundations of neighboring buildings jarred by the force of the explosion. Cull was one of a gang of workmen in quest of the leak in the gaspipe. When they found it gas escaped in a small quantity. One of their number applied a lighted match, the explosion resulting. None besides Cull was injured. Cull leaves a widow and two children.

Fifteenth Incendiary Fire

Sharon, Mass., Jan. 29.—The town's unknown and much sought for incendiary scored his or her 15th fire within six months but, unlike the preceeded blazes, the damage was slight, although the property threatened was considerable. Charles Brymer left his barn about 8 o'clock last night and half an hour later the building was on fire. Brymer says that he left no light in the barn and that there was nothing on the premises from which a fire could have started.

Convicted of Wife Murder

Bridgeport, Conn., Jan. 29.—Peter Kelley, charged with poisoning his wife by the use of strychnine, was convicted of murder in the second degree by a jury. Counsel for Kelley gave notice of an appeal on the ground that Judge Wheeler erred in excluding evidence calculated to show Kelley's innocence. The state alleged that Kelley's motive was to get possession of property standing in the wife's name.

Fishermen Abandoned Vessel

Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 29.—According to a dispatch received here fishing schooner A. M. Nicholson of Bucksport, Me., is drifting about the Gulf of St. Lawrence, frozen in an ice field, the crew having abandoned her off Bay of George, N. F. The crew of nine men, with the captain, made their way across the ice fields to shore, after a very hard journey of 10 miles.

Young Lineman Killed

Portland, Me., Jan. 29.—Herbert Marshall, a telephone lineman, was at work on a pole when he lost his balance and in falling grasped a wire which carried a 2500-volt current. A fellow-workman went up the pole, disengaged Marshall's hands from the wire, and carried him down. Marshall was dead before the ground was reached. He was but 17 years old.

Child Killed and House Burned

Lakewood, R. I., Jan. 29.—The failure of 3-year-old Earl Williams to obey his mother's warning not to play with matches resulted in a fire in which the child was burned to death. His sister, a little older, was rescued without being injured, and the house was destroyed. Both parents of the children were absent at the time.

Hospital Gets $50,000 Gift

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 29.—At a special meeting of the trustees of the Lowell general hospital a check for $50,000 was received from Frederick Ayer to be used exclusively for the construction of an additional building. The new building will be known as the Frederick Fanning Ayer building.

Had Small Fare and Lost a Man

Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 29.—Another halibut fisherman, schooner Corona, has arrived with a discouragingly small fare and her flag at half mast for the loss of one of her crew, Almon Nickerson of this city. The body of Nickerson was not recovered.

Strike Breakers Attacked

Trenton, Jan. 29.—The strike of the rubber workers in this city continues unsettled. The strikers have pickets out and when men employed at the Grieb Rubber works were returning from work last night they were attacked. The police were called out and the workmen were escorted to their homes. No blows were struck and no arrests were made.

CITY BREVITIES.

Carnation day.

No school today because of the storm.

A holiday three weeks from next Monday.

First Church Social club dance at Faxon hall this evening.

There will be a children's column in the Daily Ledger tomorrow.

The fifth meeting of the City Council of 1904 will be held Monday evening.

As though January had forgotten something, another snow storm visited Quincy today.

Tomorrow will complete five weeks of continuous sleighing, and there was also sleighing before Christmas.

A consecration meeting will be held by the senior Endeavor society at the Wollaston Congregational church at 6.30 P. M. Sunday.

Albert Keating is rejoicing over the fact that he is a grandpa to a bouncing boy born at Braintree on Tuesday, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon M. Keating.

As soon as the weather permits Julius Johnson is to erect a large apartment house on Revere road. Pictures of the proposed house are displayed in his office window.

Business has been good this year with the carriagesmiths and blacksmiths. It has required new vehicles and runners to stand such a winter, so that mishaps and breakdowns have been frequent.

Can't Lose Him.

"Do you know, Miss Fanny, I believe I could sit and talk to you forever?"

"Yes, I believe you could."—New York Evening Journal.

Disfigured Skin

Wasted muscles and decaying bones.
What havoc!
Scrofula, let alone, is capable of all that, and more.
It is commonly marked by bunches in the neck, inflammations in the eyes, dyspepsia, catarrh, and general debility.
It is always radically and permanently cured by

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Which expels all humors, cures all eruptions, and builds up the whole system, whether young or old.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills: the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

CHOIR BOYS'
Fifth Annual Concert
By the combined Boy Choirs of St. Chrysostom's Church, Wollaston, and Christ Church, Quincy,
QUINCY MUSIC HALL,
Tuesday Evening, Feb. 16, 1904,
AT EIGHT O'CLOCK,
For the Choir Boys' Camp.
A Chorus of 70 Singers, assisted by Superior Soloists.
MR. E. LANDIS SNYDER, Director
Reserved Seats, 50, 35 and 25 cents.
Quincy, Jan. 23. 1-tf-p-2w

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.
OUR
Mark Down Sale
OF COATS
Was a great success.
The people of Quincy Realized the Values they were getting for a little money.
We shall continue the Low Prices this week and some Coats we are obliged to mark still Lower to keep a line of prices.
D.E. Wadsworth & Co.
THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

GOOD IN PIE, CAKE AND PUDDING.
NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT
In 10c Packages with List of Valuable Premiums.

PARLOR FURNITURE.
The parlor is usually the best furnished room in the house. It is in this room you receive and entertain your friends, and a well planned and well furnished parlor adds much to the pleasure of living.
We have hundreds of delightful combinations of furniture for parlor furnishing. Dainty Sets of 3 or 5 pieces. Turkish Sets that are luxurious and restful. Odd piece Sets with Fancy Chairs and Rockers, and an endless assortment of Odd Chairs and Rockers in the newest shapes.
We have the Carpets, Rugs, Draperies, Tables, Bric-a-brac, Cabinets and Pictures.
PARLORS FURNISHED FROM $25 00 to $150 00.
Cash or Credit. Green Trading Stamps on all cash purchases.
HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store.
Hancock Street, Quincy.
We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

REAL ESTATE.
Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in al. parts of the city.
JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,
Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass
Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.
April 25. tf

YOU CAN BUY
THURSDAY
--AT--
PRATT'S
2 lbs. Good Steak, 25 cents.
Lamb Chops, 10c. lb.
L. M. PRATT & SON.

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.
JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.
HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

PICTURES
FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street.
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

MAIN SPRINGS
Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.
Work called for and delivered.
SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

Hotel Greenleaf
Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

HALL and BURGESS,
Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

F. S. BUXTON,
TEACHER OF VIOLIN
WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEWBURY AVE.
Atlantic, Dec. 21. 1p-1y

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

GET YOUR
Job Printing
AT THE PATRIOT OFFICE,
Where it will be done Promptly and
At Reasonable Prices.

PUDDING.
E MEAT
ble Premiums.

urnished room
ou receive and
planned and
the pleasure

ombinations of
Dainty Sets of
are luxurious
Fancy Chairs
tment of Odd
hapes.
perics, Tables,

$150 00.
ash purchases.
& CO.
Store.
Quincy.
evenings.

TE.
part of life is gone.
y, this would not be
Consult me. I have
Lots for sale in al.
Builder,
Quincy, Mass
or sale.
tf

TURES
VERY LOW PRICES.
m in and see for yourself.
rom Photographs. Good
HMAN, 303 Water street.
g 20. tf

SPRINGS
ait. Warranted two years
ghly cleaned and kept in
.00.
for and delivered.
ROS.,
xon Block, Quincy.
D.c. 28-tf

Greenleaf
Renovated.
Room Strictly First Class.
NS ABRAMS, Lessee.
tf

BURGESS,
rtgages, Insurance.
and APPRAISERS.
Notary Public
llected.
11, Adams Building.
1y

UXTON,
OF VIOLIN
w more pupils. Begin-
. Residence 62 NEW-
lp-1y

T. CRANE,
ESTATE,
nd APPRAISER,
Street, Quincy, Mass
tf

ng
OT OFFICE,

You Had Better Write Down

TELEPHONE No. 114-4.

AND CALL UP

The Hancock Fish Market,

Formerly C. H. BROOK'S Market,

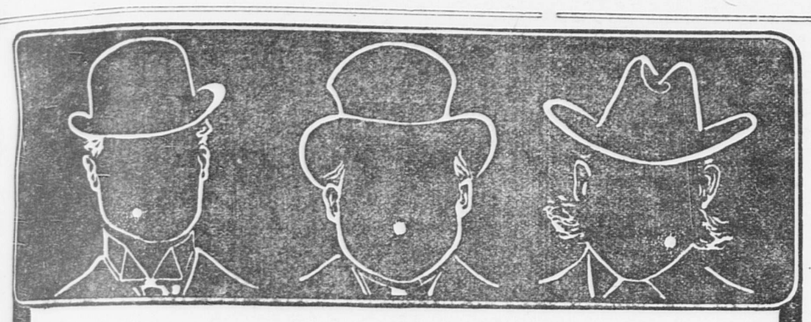
Cor. Saville and Hancock Streets.

Everything of the **Very Best.** Fish orders taken and delivered by the

CONSOLIDATED
GROCERY & PROVISION CO.,

PROPRIETORS,

Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.



Headlights of the

Cremo

You see them everywhere—the signal of enjoyment and satisfaction that shines brightly from the face of every Cremo Smoker—5c.

Largest Seller in the World.

The Band is the Smoker's Protection.

A STORY

---BY---

HERMAN WHITAKER

WILL BE

The Daily Ledger

NOVELETTE

FOR SATURDAY.

IT WILL BE ILLUSTRATED.

RUBBERS.

We have all kinds of up-to-date

BEST QUALITY

RUBBERS

From the smallest to the largest sizes.

Our Prices are Low.

Our Goods are the best to be had at any Price.

GEORGE W. JONES,

Adams Building, - QUINCY.

MILLINERY NOTES.

Camellias the Leading Flower—Beaver the Smartest Material.

Camellias are quite the smartest millinery flower. There is something about its stiff waxen petals and important exterior which adapts itself particularly well to millinery purposes, and the foliage, too, is particularly effective against fur or lace. To get the very fluffy effect in hats the skins of cats and rabbits are being dyed all the hues

WHITE BEAVER HAT.

of the rainbow, and flowers in velvet are placed on them of a contrasting or harmonizing shade.

As for the vogue of beaver, it still is on the increase, and no smooth felt can hope to be fashionable by its side.

The fluffy white beaver is the most fashionable material for hats, and this is often sewed with little ermine tails and trimmed with white ostrich tips. Black silk beavers are also modish, and they are trimmed with gold or silver braid and white or shaded pink roses.

Toques of moleskin and ermine are trimmed with white or shaded ostrich plumes.

Hats both for grown people and children are extra large. The prettiest hat for a child is a French sailor shape in beaver to match the little coat and trimmed with two big rosettes of ribbon of a pale contrasting shade.

The illustration shows a French sailor of white beaver bound with a deep shade of heliotrope velvet and trimmed with a twisted bow of the same and clusters of violets.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

FIFTY CENTS A MONTH

A small bottle of Scott's Emulsion costing fifty cents will last a baby a month—a few drops in its bottle each time it is fed. That's a small outlay for so large a return of health and comfort.

Babies that are given Scott's Emulsion quickly respond to its helpful action. It seems to contain just the elements of nourishment a baby needs most.

Ordinary food frequently lacks this nourishment; Scott's Emulsion always supplies it.

Imitations always cost less than the original, hence the substitutes for Scott's Emulsion can be sold for a few cents less. But you're not saving anything when you buy them. Cod liver oil has a market value and you get the pure oil in Scott's Emulsion. That's the difference.

We'll send you a sample free upon request.
SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York.

BURIAL OF MINERS

Over a Hundred Bodies Recovered From Hardwick Mine

APPEAL FOR ASSISTANCE

A Committee Urges Immediate Contributions For Destitute Families--Experts Say Explosion Was Due to Fire Damp

Pittsburg, Jan. 29.—Burial processions and rescue parties in charge of recently recovered bodies passed each other on the road that leads from the Harwick mine to the morgue at Cheswick and many were the pathetic scenes. Of the 106 bodies of the victims of Monday's explosion recovered 56 have been identified and 18 have been buried. It is expected that the mine will be cleared of the dead by tonight.

The first funerals were held yesterday afternoon. Rev. E. O. Graham of the Lutheran church and Rev. Vincent Manelli of the Italian Catholic church of New Kensington were in charge. In the open air in front of the mine blacksmith shop the friends and relatives of those that have been identified were gathered.

The coffins were placed in a group along one side of the building with the minister standing by them. The bodies of those miners who belonged to the Catholic church were in a group by themselves and over them the priest stood until all were ready to be moved to the cemetery. It was a short and simple service, only a few words and a prayer and then the journey to the cemetery began. There a short service was held.

The foreign miners at Harwick, almost to a man, refuse to enter the mine to assist in the rescue work, but the volunteers from outside are bringing out bodies faster than the undertakers can handle them.

The following appeal was issued by the relief committee:

"Cheswick, Pa., Jan. 28.

"One hundred and eighty-four miners killed. Families destitute. The committee urges immediate and generous aid.

"George A. Bigley,
"Chairman of Relief Committee."

Among those to whom the telegram was addressed are Andrew Carnegie, President Roosevelt, Senator Hanna and John D. Rockefeller. The massage was also sent by telegraph to the mayor of every important city in the country.

Speaking of the Harwick mine disaster, James E. Roderick, chief state mine inspector, said: "Laws could be framed that would prevent just such an accident, but the trouble lies at Harrisburg. The present bituminous mining laws seem to be a compromise arrangement between the mine workers and the operators. The explosion was undoubtedly caused by the accumulation of fire damp. This is a fact and not a theory."

Inspector Cunningham, who is in charge of the mine now, says: "Every man in the mine was killed by an explosion of fire damp. They died much as if shot through the heart."

A Detroit Slugging Match

Detroit, Jan. 29.—Ben O'Grady, a Buffalo pugilist, is in a hospital and Noah Brusso was arrested last night as the result of a knockout at the Detroit Athletic club. A blow on the chin in the third round sent O'Grady to the floor and he was taken to the hospital, where he revived. The police, however, decided to hold Brusso until they became satisfied that O'Grady is out of danger.

"I should not think such a prominent man would care to have a cheap cigar named after him."

"Why not? He likes to have his name in everybody's mouth."—Brooklyn Life.

CRISIS IS DELAYED

Further Negotiations Between Russia and Japan Expected

London, Jan. 29.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg on the meeting of the council of state is the latest St. Petersburg news to reach here. The Daily Mail and The Daily Telegraph both report in their St. Petersburg dispatches the possibility of further negotiations, the latter paper saying that the culmination of the crisis is not expected before the beginning of March and reporting a sudden rise on the St. Petersburg bourse.

A dispatch to The Standard from Tokio says that according to information from a sure source large bodies of Russian troops are being moved to the Korean frontier from Feng Huang Cheng and other points in the interior of Manchuria.

A dispatch from Nagasaki to The Daily Telegraph affirms that the Korea government has bluntly refused the renewed demands of Italy for a gold mining concession in Korea.

A Two-Year-Old "Antiquity"

London, Jan. 29.—A sensation has been caused in art circles at the discovery of a silver statuette of Nelson, supposed to have been presented the hero by George III and which was purchased recently for $3000 by public subscription for presentation to the Royal United Service institution, is in reality the work of a young sculptor student named Richard Garbe and was executed two years ago. Garbe is quite blameless for this foisting of his work on the public.

Ferryboat Rammed by Steamer

New York, Jan. 29.—Three hundred passengers were thrown into a state of panic when the ferryboat Princeton was rammed amidships by the steamship Nacoochee in North river. No one was injured, but several women on the ferryboat fainted. One paddle-wheel of the Princeton was smashed and a big hole was made in the women's cabin. The Nacoochee was not injured. A strong flood tide was responsible for the accident.

Milwaukee's Municipal Scandal

Milwaukee, Jan. 29.—Supervisors Strauss, Fedge, Puls and Galewiski, and Peter J. Meade, a private citizen, were arrested last evening on indictments returned by the grand jury. The supervisors are charged with obtaining county orders under false pretenses and Meade is charged with perjury. Several other indictments were returned, but the names will be kept secret until arrests are made.

Mystery In Gas Poisoning

Erie, Pa., Jan. 29.—Escaping gas in the home of Glenn Saunders of this city resulted in the asphyxiation of Mrs. Saunders and her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Montgomery. Glenn Saunders will probably die and his 3-weeks-old baby and Eva Montgomery, a sister-in-law, are in a serious condition. The affair is shrouded in mystery.

A Trio of Scoundrels

Newark, N. J., Jan. 29.—Three men, said to be members of a local Mafia organization, were arrested in a lawyer's office while they were waiting to receive $1000 from Samuel Russo. In consideration for the money they were to sign an agreement withdrawing threats to kill him. Each man was heavily armed.

An $8,000,000 Nest-Egg

Panama, Jan. 29.—The constitutional Panama, Jan. 29.—The constitutional convention has approved a measure providing that of the $10,000,000 to be paid to the republic of Panama by the United States for the right to use the canal zone $8,000,000 is to remain untouched for the future benefit of the new republic.

Freight Bill of $23,000

Houston, Tex., Jan. 29.—A shipment of 3600 bales of cotton, destined for Japan, left here last night for San Francisco. The shipment required 41 freight cars and is a record, so far as Oriental trade is concerned. The freight bill amounts to $23,000.

Caused a Hundred Deaths

Paris, Jan. 29.—The general manager of the Metropolitan Electric railway, the driver and the guard of the train in the disaster last August which resulted in the deaths of about 100 persons are to be prosecuted on the charge of homicide through negligence.

Statesmen to Fight Duel

Madrid, Jan. 29.—As an outcome of a heated altercation in the chamber of deputies concerning the appointment of Mgr. Noxaleda to the archbishopric of Valencia, Minister of War Linares and Deputy Soriano are to fight a duel and have appointed seconds.

Half Harvest of Ice

Kingston, N. Y., Jan. 29.—The American Ice company has closed two houses at Barrytown and one at Ulster Landing, although neither one is more than half filled. This action was taken, it is said, because of too heavy ice and excessive cost of labor.

Distress Is Relieved

Berlin, Jan. 29.—The needs of the 13,000 inhabitants of Aalesund, Norway, which was destroyed by fire on Jan. 24, have been provided for adequately. Property losses are estimated at $4,250,000.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Saturday, Jan. 30.
Sun rises—7:01; sets—4:54.
Moon sets—4:50 a. m.
High water—9 a. m.; 9:30 p. m.

The area of high pressure that covered the middle Atlantic states and lower lake region has moved northeastward. Heavy snow will fall in New England.

ANXIOUS TO INDICT

Lynn Police Want Special Session of the Grand Jury

THE IDENTITY OF HAYDEN

Head of Gang of Robbers Believed to Be a Westerner--Unsuccessful Efforts to Locate Headquarters of Prisoners

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 29.—Efforts are being made by the Lynn police to induce District Attorney Peters of Essex county to convene the grand jury of that county in special session at once for the purpose of indicting Hayden, Dart, McDermott, and, if possible Michael Murray, for complicity in the Danversport assault and robbery and other crimes charged against the prisoners in Essex county. The Lynn police are showing marked activity in order to prevent the Suffolk county authorities from getting possession of Hayden before he can be tried and sentenced for crimes committed in Essex county.

The Lynn police claim that they should be permitted to exercise jurisdiction of the prisoners until it has been shown that they lack the necessary evidence to convict them of crimes committed in this city. If they cannot prove them, they believe that the prisoners should be tried for the Danversport affair, as Hayden, Dart and McDermott have all been identified by the victim, Whitman. If convicted of this offence, the prisoners could be given a life sentence, which would render unnecessary the trial of the men for other crimes.

While the police of several cities in Essex county have had an acquaintance for a year or two with Frank Hayden, the ringleader of the gang of burglars and safeblowers under arrest, they are desirous of learning more about him. He is thought to hail from the west and his photographs are to be sent to the authorities of that part of the country with the hope of securing his identification and additional facts about him. George Dart needs no additional identification, as he is well known to the police of Boston and Lynn.

At the present time the police are trying to locate the headquarters of the prisoners, but thus far have been unsuccessful. It is believed that they did not stay in any one place a long time, bnt, instead, lived at the cheap Boston hotels. It has been ascertained that the gang of which Hayden and Dart are members have been frequenters of a Howard street liquor saloon in Boston and the police say that on the night preceding the burglary of the office of the Metropolitan coal office in East Boston, Hayden, Dart, the burglar who was killed, and eight others were in the saloon. The police are especially anxious, now that Hayden and Dart are under arrest, to establish the identity of the burglar who was killed. He also is thought to have hailed from the west.

The Lynn police have found the chisel which Dart threw into a snowbank while running away from Inspector Colby and Officer Burckes on the morning he was captured, and by it the police expect to be able to prove at least three breaks against the prisoner. A portion of the wooden handle had been broken off.

Jan. 3 the office of A. C. Brown on Union street, Lynn, was entered and a small amount of money and some bankbooks taken. While making an investigation the police found a jagged piece of wood, which proves to be the missing portion of the handle of the chisel which Dart was seen to throw away. The chisel also fits marks on the windows and cash registers of the National Popcorn Works. On Jan. 7 the Casino publishing office, Loring avenue, Lynn, was also broken into, and there the bankbooks which had been taken from Brown's store were found.

Murder Charge Against Hayden

Boston, Jan. 29.—A warrant was issued by the East Boston district court for the arrest, upon the charge of murder, of Frank Hayden, leader of the gang of alleged burglars now under arrest at Lynn. Hayden, who has been identified as the leader of the men who assaulted the watchman and robbed the safe of the Metropolitan Coal company in East Boston on Dec. 27, is accused of the murder of one of his pals during the running fight directly after the robbery. This man was found dead upon the marshes after his companions had escaped, and the police theory is that he was killed in order to prevent his giving information against the others. The warrant was obtained by the East Boston police upon their own initiative, who believe they have a good case on the murder charge.

Cool-Headed Theatre Manager

St. Louis, Jan. 29.—A man falling over a chair started a panic in Havlin's theatre last night, but the prompt action of Manager Garen, in turning on the lights and making a speech from the stage, prevented a general stampede and nobody was hurt. When Garen had concluded the audience was quieted and he was applauded.

In Supreme Court's Honor

Washington, Jan. 29.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt entertained at dinner at the White House last night in honor of the supreme court. Covers were laid for a large company. All the justices of the supreme court were present except Justice Brown, who is sick.

TO-DAY

And Every Day until the Bankrupt Stock of

C. F. DERBY

Is Closed out we will sell

MEN'S and BOYS'

CLOTHING,

Furnishings and Hats

At Lower Prices than any other store.

COME AT ONCE

For Best Bargains.

You want good goods for a little money. We want the cash. Here is your opportunity.

BANKRUPT SALE,

Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

I Can Quickly Sell for Cash

Without local publicity, your Business, Real Estate or Partnership, no matter where located Send me full particulars, price, etc.

Address. CHARLES E. POWELL,
19 W. Mohawk St., Buffalo, New York.
Jan. 22. 1m

DANCING.

COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.

BASKET BALL

AND DANCING

THURSDAY EVENINGS.

Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.

10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all ormer pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.

William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.

The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.

For further particulars apply to ELMER W. BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

MILLER'S.

Orange Sale.

Navel Oranges, 17c. doz.

New Dates, 4c. lb.

Roast Pork, 10c. lb.

Short Lamb Chop, 12 1-2c. lb.

$10.00 worth of Stamps with a pound of Tea, 60 cents.

$10.00 worth of Stamps with 2 pounds of 35c. Coffee.

V. E. MILLER,

CASH GROCER,
Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass

Dr. Emmons'

Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively cures no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. Dr. J. W. EMMONS CO., 179 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS

and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
A. Pierson, 92 Granite street.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
F. J. Pierson, 149 Granite street.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EASTMILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Couldn't Help It.

"Why did you smite that little lad?"
"Well, you see, lady, I jest felt like I had ter hit somethin', an' he was handiest."—San Francisco Examiner.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	41	24	18	28	30
Monday,	25	16	18	34	32
Tuesday,	29	10	28	33	33
Wednesday,	31	26	38	25	31
Thursday,	26	34	46	41	16
Friday,	26	35	40	41	20
Saturday,	—	35	44	30	11

New Advertisements Today.

State House Hearings.
National Granite Bank Statement.
Thomas F. McGowan—Piano Tuner.
Wanted—Bookkeeper desires position.
Wanted—Foreman for granite yard.
To Let—Furnished Rooms with board.
To Let—House and Stable.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Another novelette will appear tomorrow in the eight-page Ledger.

Inspector McKay has recovered ten hammers up to date in Boston pawn shops.

The Old Farmer's Almanac predicts considerable snow and cold weather in February.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Doane of Arlington street had a daughter born to them Friday, Jan 22.

Eleven gas companies have been fined $100 each for selling gas not up to legal requirements. Quincy is not in the list.

Olga Elwell celebrated her eighth birthday Wednesday afternoon by giving a Valentine party to her young friends.

Master Raymond Hall entertained about twenty-five of his friends at his home on Willow street, Thursday, from 4 till 7 o'clock.

A whist tournament was held at the Granite City club rooms Wednesday evening. The prize for the best score was awarded Shirley F. Nutting.

Bush hammer thieves were about again Thursday night. The yard of Milne & Chalmers was the place visited and several hammers were taken.

There will be a "greater Boston" hearing at the State House next Wednesday. It is a question over which the people do not seem to enthuse much.

Mr. William Michael of School street, South Quincy, received on Wednesday the sad news of the death of his brother, Mr. George Michael of Hardwick, Vermont.

The little folks who attended Stanley Cummings' birthday party last Saturday had a good time playing games. A sleighing party had been arranged but the severe snow storm prevented.

At the next meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian Alliance for Feb. 3 at 2.30 o'clock, Rev. James Huxtable of Boston will give an address upon "Tolstoi and his Religion." All are cordially invited.

At the whist party given by Mrs. B. Porterfield at 65 Granite street Thursday afternoon the following prizes were awarded: Mrs. Davidson, six glasses; Mrs. Fletcher, flannel skirt; Mrs. Jones, chair cushion; Mrs. Marnock, chair cushion; Mrs. Donahue, six fruit plates; Mrs. Langhorn, tray cloths; Mrs. Pratt, pin cushion; Mrs. Dorr, collar.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Canty of Norfolk Downs are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter.

At noon today, but little snow had fallen in the storm, but under cover of darkness the storm may get in its work.

James W. Sweeney of Phipps street was floor director at the Boston P. O. Clerks' ball held in Mechanics Building Tuesday evening.

The beauty of the lines of the new house for Elmer Ricker on Bigelow street are more and more apparent each day. Considerable work is being put into the roof.

Prof. Jacobs closed his three days' hypnotic entertainment at Faxon hall Thursday evening. He found several good subjects and amused the audiences each evening. Some vocalists were developed Thursday night.

Rev. E. N. Hardy and Mr. C. A. Miller were delegates yesterday to the ecclesiastical council called to consider the resignation of the Rev. E. W. Merriam from the pastorate of the Congregational church at Cohasset.

Miss Agnes S. Reynolds of Glencoe Place, one of our popular and well known young ladies, was last evening married to Mr. Alexander Mowatt who has been for a number of years a resident of the Klondyke. The officiating clergyman was the Rev. E. N. Hardy. Mr. and Mrs. Mowatt after an extended wedding trip will make their home on Glencoe Place.

Charges Against Congressman

Washington, Jan. 29.—Charges have been filed at the interior department against Bird S. McGuire, the delegate in the house from Oklahor a, charging that in violation of the law he has been prosecuting claims in behalf of Indians and accepting fees therefor while serving as a delegate in congress. The charges have been referred to the department of justice.

Would Disfranchise Negroes

Wilmington, Del., Jan. 29.—Negro disfranchisement was suggested as one of the slogans for the next Democratic campaign and Judge George Gray was lauded at the eighth anniversary dinner of the Democratic league of Delaware, the pioneer Bryan organization of the state.

Escaped Prisoner Surrenders

Philadelphia, Jan. 29.—Conscience-stricken and hungry, William T. Adams walked into police headquarters and said he had escaped from the reformatory at Concord, Mass., on Jan. 10 and was anxious to be returned to serve out his three years' sentence. He was locked up.

Political Murder In Cuba

[illegible] disturbances over the election contests culminated here last night in a fight in a cafe between the adherents of the rival political leaders and ended in a riot in which one man was killed and several were wounded. The populace is excited.

Mail Carrier In the Toils

Buffalo, Jan. 29.—William O. Goehrig, a letter carrier, is under arrest, charged with stealing from the mails. The loss through the Buffalo postoffice has amounted to several thousand dollars. Goehrig has been a mail carrier five years.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

—Every horse in the British army is numbered, and has a little history kept for it all to himself. The number is branded upon the animal's hind feet—the thousands on the nigh hind foot and the units, tens and hundreds on the off hind foot.

BORN.

KEATING—In Braintree, Jan. 26, a son to Mr. Gordon M. and Mrs. Edith (Ripley) Keating, formerly of Quincy.

DIED.

CUMMINGS—In Quincy, Jan. 27, Mrs. Rhoda A., widow of Robert C. Cummings, aged 83 years and 6 months.
Funeral from late residence 126 East Howard street, Saturday Jan. 30, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

THOMPSON—At Sailors' Snug Harbor, Jan. 27, Capt. Robert Thompson, aged 74 years.

CARD.

Mrs. F. H. Hewins,

—: Formerly in the :—

Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.

Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations

METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.

Offices:

128 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.

Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903 tf

NEWS IN BRIEF

Samuel Roads, editor and journalist, died at Marblehead, Mass., his native town, of valvular affection of the heart. He was 57 years old and unmarried. He served several terms in both branches of the legislature.

Secretary Wilson has issued the annual quarantine order on account of the splenetic or Texas cattle fever. It is effective Feb. 1 and includes California, Oklahoma and Texas and the southern states.

Philip Howes, a railroad engineer, died at Clinton, Ia., aged 74. He brought the first northwestern train across the Mississippi river on rails laid across the ice in 1859.

Najeb Arbeely, said to have been at one time consul general to Jerusalem, was stricken with cerebral hemorrhage and is at a New York hospital in a critical condition.

General Joseph Darr, formerly chief of staff of General Rosecrans and provost marshal general of the department of Missouri, died at Washington.

Pence and Bones.

A writer in a London newspaper says: "The other day I heard an Englishman defending our system of coinage on the ground that we are the only nation on earth who can say that the system is bone of our bone. For there are 240 bones in the body and 240 pence in the pound; there are 120 bones in the head and trunk and 120 in the limbs and 120 pence in half a sovereign; each limb contains 30 bones, and a half crown contains 30 pence; in the spinal column there are 24 bones and in a florin 24 pence, and as we have 12 ribs on each side, so we have 12 pence in every shilling. See how the proportions of the skeleton of our commerce conform to nature's teaching. No wonder it is vigorous."

The Candle Nut.

The candle nut is a native of the Pacific islands, and the name is derived from the fact that the kernels are so full of oil that when dried they are stuck on reeds and used as candles. The people of Hawaii, after having roasted these nuts and removed the shells, reduce the kernels to a paste, which is flavored with pepper and salt and is said to be a most appetizing dish. The husk of the nut and the gum which exudes from the tree have medicinal values, while the burned shell of the kukui is used to make an indelible ink with which tattooing is done.

Figuring It Out.

"Did the old lady give you anything when you took her trunk upstairs without knockin' the lid off?" inquired the first porter.

"No, but she thanked me kindly."

"Well, kind words will never die," returned the first porter.

"Neither will they buy groceries."—Cleveland Leader.

Disposing of Papa.

"I always contend, sir," said the girl's father meaningly, "that young men should be in bed before 10:30 each night."

"Yes?" replied the young man who was calling on the girl. "I hope you set that good example yourself, sir."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Unusual.

Old Chum—What made you decide to marry her?

Newly Married—Because during our long acquaintance she never once sent me a sofa pillow.—Detroit Free Press.

The Sophisticated Wife.

Mr. Newrich (in city)—Mariar, pass them beans.

Mrs. Newrich—Don't be absurd, Frank. Them's salted ammons.—Pennsylvania Punch Bowl.

The difference between salary and wages is precisely the difference between accepting a position and getting a job.—Detroit Free Press.

—A wheelwright in Lincolnshire, Eng., is 80 years of age, and his claim to distinction is based on the fact that he has been 73 years in the Sibsey church choir. Seventy-three years without a miss, and still at it, attending every Sunday.

—It is said that the speed of swallows when migrating, is not less than 50 miles an hour; so that, when aided by the wind, they soon reach warmer latitudes. It has also been calculated that the swallow can fly at the rate of 92 miles an hour, and hawks and several other tribes at that of 150 miles an hour.

—The first elevator was built in 1850 using worm gears. Owing to the low hight of buildings there was little demand for elevators until the localization of commerce filled the great centers of distribution with merchants and merchandise, so that story after story was added to buildings, necessitating the rapid development of the elevator.

It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.

COINS OF THE PAST.

Gold Pieces That Were Once Common, but Are Now Rarely Seen.

Recent mention of the disappearance of the $2.50 gold piece from circulation and the premium this coin commands as a curio has set many to rummaging in old pocketbooks and bottoms of cash boxes and drawers in search of odd or out of date coins. Some have found a $2.50 piece, but not many. The $3 piece, once quite common, but always a sort of curiosity, is oftener found, and many have specimens of the little gold coins representing 25 cents and 50 cents which were not minted by the government and probably have not so much gold in them as they represent. They used to pass as coin, but were never in general circulation, being so easily lost that they soon became scarce. One of the handsomest coin relics seen is a $10 gold piece bearing the mint stamp of 1799. It is larger than the present $10 piece. The owner has it hung in a band and wears it as a charm on his watch chain. The owner says he refused an offer of $150 for this relic. The old octagonal $50 pieces were quite common in California in early days, when gold dust was largely used as a circulating medium. They were made of pure gold, and, while they had not the elegant finish of the gold coins minted by the government in these days, many still remember them as the handsomest coins they ever saw. Many people now would consider them handsome on account of the $50 in them.—New York Tribune.

BURNING THE YULE LOG.

The Custom One of Ancient Origin. The Yule Candle.

The custom of burning a large log of wood which is known as the Yule log is very ancient in its origin. All through the middle ages every farmhouse, cottage and castle in England burned its Yule log upon the hearth, the log being dragged in with much ceremony.

At Yuletide when the great log flamed
In chimneypiece and laugh and jest went round.

The word "Yule" itself seems to be derived from the Anglo-Saxon "Geol," meaning December. Earlier still the Yule, or midwinter, feast is seen in its most flourishing state among the Norsemen, who commemorated the fiery sun wheel with a mighty feast. They believed that during the twelve nights from Dec. 25 to Jan. 6 they could trace the actual movements of their great Odin, or Odhinn, the god of storms, and other deified beings on the earth. The Yule log, with its cheery blaze, comes to us across the centuries as a dim memory of the fires lit to celebrate the setting out of the sun on his northward journey toward the light and warmth of summer.

A large candle known as the Yule candle used also to light the Christmas eve festivities. It was a bad omen if the candle burned out before the evening was at an end.—Detroit Free Press.

ALWAYS BE SANGUINE.

Keep to the Highways and Shun the Back Alleys of Life.

Keep to the broad highways of hope and cheerfulness. Expect to succeed. Think success, and you will succeed. Keep out of the back alleys of gloom and pessimism. Join the procession of the cheerful, the willing and the hopeful. Be sanguine. Know the pleasures of living. Enjoy the sunshine of hope.

Keep away from the scavengers and ragpickers who infest the back alleys of life. Your pessimist is your scavenger, your ragpicker. He may be a necessary evil, a boil as it were on the body social, but too much of him is fatal. He never gave the world a smile. He never contributed to the good cheer of any human being. He never lifted the gloom from any distressed soul. He is the antithesis of progress. He is the pollywog which in the evolution of life is continually dragging backward toward the slimy past, resisting the progress of development which must go on with or without him.

Beware of the encroachments of the carping, pessimistic spirit. It is a hardy plant. It takes root easily in the mind, and, like the thistle, when once it gains a foothold it is well nigh impossible to uproot it, but it cannot live in an atmosphere of sunshine and cheerfulness.

Therefore, keep to the highways. Keep out of the back alleys.—Exchange.

Children's Weight.

Some curious experiments have been made at one of the royal philanthropic institutions in Copenhagen. For some years back the seventy boys and girls in the place have been carefully weighed every day in groups of fifteen and under. Thereby it is proved that the children gain weight mostly in autumn and in the early part of December. From that time till the end of April there is scarcely any increase in weight. More remarkable still, there is a diminution till the end of summer.

Hobson's Choice.

Tom—I've been bidden to her wedding, but I'm not going.

Dick—But your absence will surely be noticed. Do you think you can afford that?

Tom—Well, when you can't afford to have your presents noticed your absence is imperative.—Philadelphia Press.

Where It Should Begin.

"But why do you have your hero marry in the first chapter?" they asked. "Because," replied the author, "it has always seemed absurd to me to end a novel just where a man's troubles really begin. That's where you should begin the story."—Chicago Post.

When a man tells you that all women are delusions and snares, it's doughnuts to fudge he has been snared by a delusion.—Cooking Club.

Against Cruisers.

The Washington correspondent of the Herald says: There is some opposition among naval officers and the members of the House committee on naval affairs to the naval increase program recommended by Secretary Moody. Officers of the construction board do not favor that part which contemplates the construction of protected cruisers and submarine boats.

A majority of naval officers on duty at the navy department who are not members of the general board, believe that the increase in the navy for the next few years should be confined to first-class battleships of the line of not less than 16,000 tons displacement, and that protected cruisers are worse than useless at this stage in the building up of the American navy.

They call attention to the fact that none of the great naval powers of the world, with which the United States is at any time likely to become engaged in war, is now adding protected cruisers. Naval construction, they say, is being confined to vessels which can take their places in the line of battle and give and take blows, and yet have sufficient speed to run away if engaged by a superior force.

Several members of the House committee on naval affairs are said to hold similar opinions.

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

W. A. BRADFORD,
Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting.
Jobbing promptly attended to.
Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.
Open Monday and Saturday evenings.
Telephone 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

Hardware Supply Co.,
1475 Hancock St., Quincy.
SKATES
Straps, Sharpeners.
BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.
LANTERNS, 50 cts.
COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.
Dec. 29. tf

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.
Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1351 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

The BEST
Newspaper
Attracts
The Best
People.
Try an "Ad"
In the
Daily Ledger.

What to Eat With the Fingers.

A man who has forgotten to get married and is consequently obliged to dine about town in various restaurants says that he can readily pick out persons not accustomed to dining away from home from their inexperience in using their fingers. At table d'hote places especially things are served as courses which are expected to be eaten with the fingers. No idea as to what is right can be obtained from the waiters, for it is the custom to put cutlery enough for the entire meal on the table with the soup.

Olives should be eaten with the fingers, though many of the uninitiated try to split them with a fork. Asparagus should be eaten with the fingers. That is why the cook does not throw sauce over the root ends. Green corn should be eaten with the fingers and not scraped from the cob with a knife. Spaghetti should be eaten with a fork and a crust of bread. In Italian restaurants a man who cuts his spaghetti into small pieces with a knife, as he would salad, is looked upon as a rank outsider.—New York Press.

The Peanut.

The home of the peanut, or ground pea (also often called pindar and goober), is believed to be Brazil, although it very soon spread to Africa, China, Japan and India and was recognized as a valuable agricultural product in these countries long before it was cultivated on a large scale in its native soil, which was not until the year 1870. In the old world, however, it has always been planted and harvested for the sake of the oil that it yields. This is said to rival olive oil in quality and to be used for the same purposes. The nuts raised in the east are far richer in oil than the American varieties.

The most popular of the American peanuts is the "Virginia running variety." The pod and nut of the Virginia variety are twice as large as those of the North Carolina or African peanut. The Spanish nuts, usually sold only after being shelled and salted, are still smaller, but of excellent flavor. Tennessee has two varieties, called the white and the red, the kernels of the latter having a dark red skin.

Dee's Magic Mirror.

There are several accounts of the manner in which the famous gunpowder plot of 1605 was discovered, but among the students of occult science the belief is that its timely discovery was made by Dr. John Dee by means of a magic mirror. Proof of how general this belief was at one time is given by the fact that in some editions of the Common Prayer Book, published in the eighteenth century, is to be found an engraving inserted before the service for Nov. 5 depicting a circular mirror on a stand in which is the reflection of the houses of parliament by night and a person carrying a dark lantern. On the left side are two men in the costume of the reign of King James looking into the mirror. On the right side at the top the eye of Providence throws a ray on to the mirror. Beneath are legs and hoofs, as if evil spirits were making their exit.

A Good Place to Avoid.

In the northern Shan states, on the border of Burma, there is a tribe called the Wild Was. These people propitiate with human skulls the demons whom they worship. Outside every village in their country there are many posts, all in one line, decked with human skulls. A niche is cut in the back of each post, with a ledge on which the skull can rest and grin through a hole in front of it. Every village has a dozen and some as many as a hundred of these head posts. Fresh skulls are in special request at harvest time and are purchased for large sums, those of distinguished visitors being particularly desired.

She Shut.

A story is told of Count Schouvaloff, a former Russian ambassador to England. He greatly admired Englishwomen and was heartily annoyed when he offended any one of them. While he was in London he learned English, and, having heard one famous English beauty say "Shut up!" to another, he imagined it to be a phrase of polite agreement, such as "Say no more." In this sense he himself addressed it to an illustrious lady the next night at dinner, to the lady's consternation, and his own when later he discovered his mistake.

Played an Organ.

The little daughter of a well known New York musician was much chagrined the other day by the ingenuous remark of a "new friend." Said the little girl proudly:

"My father is an organist."

"And does he have a monkey?" was the prompt rejoinder.

Novelty Excited Curiosity.

Owtlaight—I had an awful time thinking up an excuse to give my wife when I got home from the club last night.

Lushman—Did she demand one?

Owtlaight—Of course. I got home so early that it piqued her curiosity.—Exchange.

A Parallel.

An old farmer said to his sons: "Boys, don't you wait for somethin' to turn up. You might jest as well go and sit down on a stone in the middle of a meadow with a pail 'twixt your legs and wait for a cow to back up to you to be milked."

Worth Striving For.

She—And you don't think there is a chance in the world of our living through our lives without a quarrel?

He—There is always a fighting chance, dear.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Insubordination has ruined many a man's chances in life.—Schoolmaster.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - - 25 cts.
" " three days, - - - 50 cts.
" " one week, - - - 90 cts.
Additional lines will be charged for pro rata.
Seven words equal a line. Long terms furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—A Yard Foreman to take charge of from 30 to 50 cutters in granite. State experience and wages desired. Address "F. S.," Ledger Office. Jan. 29-tf

WANTED—A Young Lady with experience as bookkeeper desires position. Best of references if required. Address "M.," care Ledger. Jan. 29-tf

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines, steady work. Apply to MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy. Jan. 13.

FOR SALE.

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom made pung, built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILBUR
Quincy, Jan. 12. tf

TO LET.

TO LET—House of 9 rooms and bath, 12 Mill street. Stable, 3 stalls, large lot, water, 198 Washington street. Apply to GAREY, M. D., 1247 Hancock street.
Quincy, Jan. 30.

TO LET—Two Furnished Rooms, with or without board, one minute from car line, 16 Faxon avenue.
Quincy, Jan. 29.

TO LET—Apartment, 18 Charles street, River street, Fore River district, 5 rooms, bath, furnace, hot water, set tubs.
Quincy, Jan. 27.

TO RENT—Quincy House, Washington street, adjoining Public Library, to low to right party. Apply to H. T. WILLIAMAN, 21 Adams Building.
Quincy, Jan. 26.

TO LET—Tenement of 6 rooms, with furnace on South street. Apply to JULIUS JOHNSON, 5 Temple street.
Quincy, Jan. 25.

TO LET—Unfurnished Rooms suitable for two ladies or man and wife. Enquire 48 Washington street, library side.
Quincy, Jan. 25.

TO LET—A Five Room Cottage on Fifth Street. Apply at 53 Newcomb street.
Quincy, Jan. 25.

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street, rent $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TOBIN, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston.
Dec. 30.

TO LET—Nice tenement containing 6 rooms and bath, furnace heat, situated 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to F. F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec.

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRE[illegible] dence avenue, Quincy Adams.
Dec. 29.

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street.
Quincy, Nov. 23.

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point recently occupied by L. C. Emerson & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Granite street. Oct. 1-tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 8 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes from Central Railroad Station. Rent, $40.00 per month or $450.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 30-tf

SEASON of 1904.
FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, within 5 minutes at Quincy Point. Within one minute's walk of electric cars and within ten minutes walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass.
Dec. 24.

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently or with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—of 5 good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—with water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust
Music Hall Block, QUINCY

JOB PRINTING
AT THE
PATRIOT OFFICE

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

Vol. 16. No. 26. QUINCY, MASS., SATURDAY, JANUARY 30, 1904. PRICE TWO CENTS.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—A Yard Foreman to take charge of from 30 to 50 cutters in Quincy. State experience and wages desired. Address S., Ledger Office. Jan. 29-3t

WANTED—A Young Lady with experience as bookkeeper desires position. References if required. Address "M.," care Daily Ledger. Jan. 29-6t

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines, steady work. Apply to MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy. Jan. 13. tf

FOR SALE.

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom made pung, built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition. GEORGE H. WILSON Quincy, Jan. 12. tf

TO LET.

TO LET—House of 9 rooms and basement, 12 Mill street. Stable, 3 stalls, large lot, water, 198 Washington street. Apply C. W. GAREY, M. D., 1247 Hancock street. Quincy, Jan. 30. tf

TO LET—Two Furnished Rooms, with or without board, one minute from Square, 16 Faxon avenue. Quincy, Jan. 29. 6t

TO LET—Apartment, 18 Charles street, off River street, Fore River district, five rooms, bath, furnace, hot water, set tubs. Quincy, Jan. 27. 6t

TO RENT—Quincy House, Washington street, adjoining Public Library. Rent low to right party. Apply to H. T. WHITMAN, 21 Adams Building. Quincy, Jan. 26. 12t

TO LET—Tenement of 6 rooms, bath, with furnace on South street. Apply to JULIUS JOHNSON, 5 Temple street. Quincy, Jan. 25. tf

TO LET—Unfurnished Rooms suitable for two ladies or man and wife. Enquire 48 Washington street, library side. Quincy, Jan. 25. 6t

TO LET—A Five Room Cottage on Wilson Street. Apply at 53 Newcomb street. Quincy, Jan. 25. tf

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30. 1p-tf

TO LET—Nice tenement containing 6 rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PI[illegible] 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adam. Tel. 108-2. Dec. 29.

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes to Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24. tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Music Hall Block, QUINCY

JOB PRINTING
AT THE
PATRIOT OFFICE

AN APPEAL FOR THE PRESERVATION Of the Edmund Quincy House Commonly Known as the DOROTHY Q. HOUSE.

SUM OF $9,000 WANTED.

A Subscription for $500 Already Heads the List.

Subscribed by Hon. Charles Francis Adams, Formerly of Quincy.

Mr. Horace F. Spear, Cashier of National Mt. Wollaston Bank, the Treasurer.

The famous Dorothy Q house so closely identified with the early history of our country, may soon be torn down. This house, a portion of it being built in 1636, has for more than two centuries seen within its walls some of the most famous men and women of Massachusetts.

Here was born "Dorothy Q" of Dr. Holmes' poem.

Here John Hancock came courting beautiful Dorothy Quincy, and on the walls of the north parlor still remains the quaint wall paper, imported from Paris in anticipation of their wedding.

Here came John Adams and later John Quincy Adams, Benjamin Franklin and many of the Revolutionary patriots to partake of its hospitality.

The house is most picturesquely situated, standing upon the high road to Quincy and easily accessible to visitors. Singularly enough it happens that three successive owners of the mansion have held it without alteration, and it remains today exactly as it was in pre-revolutionary days. By the north side of the house runs the brook, alluded to by Judge Sewall in his diary March 1711.

When after a journey "to Braintree," he turned in "to Cousin Quincy's and lodged in the Chamber next the Brooke." Later another chamber still nearer the brook, was provided for the celebrated Tutor Flynt, in the ell which Colonel Quincy erected for the use of that celebrated man, who was for over half a century a tutor at Harvard college. The study used by him is still shown in the mansion.

The construction of the house is most interesting: In the dining room is a china closet of most beautiful design, painted rose color like a sea shell; there is said to be none other like it in this country.

The secret chamber between the floors where it is said soldiers were concealed in the Revolution and other features make the house of great interest.

In the rear of the house is a pear tree planted by Edmund Quincy, grafted with slips given to him by Benjamin Franklin, and in the garden is the old box hedge upon which "Dorothy Q" is said to have dried her laces.

The house belongs to Rev. D. M. Wilson, who having removed to Brooklyn, N. Y., was obliged a year ago to offer it for sale. The land has been cut up into house lots and must be sold.

The purpose of this appeal is to try to arouse in the hearts of Massachusetts men and women, to whom the history of their country is dear, a sense of their duty to future generations to preserve this historic dwelling which once gone cannot never be replaced.

The amount needed to purchase the property is $9000, if this can be secured the estate will be held by a board of trustees composed of well known men, and the preservation of the house forever assured as the rental from a portion of it will suffice for its maintenance.

All are earnestly asked to contribute, and the names of the donors will be preserved in a suitable manner within the house. Checks may be made payable to Mr. Horace F. Spear, cashier of the National Mt. Wollaston Bank of Quincy, treasurer, fund for preservation of the "Dorothy Q" house, Quincy.

Letters of inquiry will be cheerfully answered by Miss Sarah E. Hunt, 4 Federal street, Salem, or by Mrs. Nelson V. Titus, Atlantic post office, Quincy, Mass.

The following subscriptions have been received:

Hon. Charles F. Adams,	$500.00
Josiah H. Quincy,	50.00

RUBBERS.

We have all kinds of up-to-date
BEST QUALITY
RUBBERS
From the smallest to the largest sizes.
Our Prices are Low.
Our Goods are the best to be had at any Price.

GEORGE W. JONES,
Adams Building, - QUINCY.

Hub Crumbs
better bread crumbs
makes all fried food better;
saves time and work while cooking;
as handy as salt to use;
made of bread from our own ovens;
totally different from other crumbs.
Makes better puddings. better stuffing. better fish-balls.
Better Digestion.
10¢ 10¢
At your grocer's or S. S. Pierce Co. Cobb, Bates Yerxa Co.
Mrs. Howard's Cook Book and sample on request. 244 to Purchase St. Boston Mass.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF
Imported and Domestic Woolens
Enables us to meet the demands of all.

MESSRS. BERNARD FRITZ & SON
Beg to announce that they are now located at
No. 8 Faxon Block,
Near Quincy Station, Opposite City Hall.

For the past five years we have tried to please our customers, and their repeated patronage makes us feel that we have been successful.

Our prices are reasonable. Our workmanship guaranteed and up to date.

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

BERNARD FRITZ & SON,
"LEADING TAILORS."
Quincy Dec. 28—tf

Head-Ease
- FOR -
Headache

A powder for the cure of Headache, Neuralgia, Sleeplessness and Colds.

In Envelopes, 3 Powders for 10 Cents.
In Boxes, 12 Powders for 25 Cents.

MADE ONLY BY
CHAS. C. HEARN,
DRUGGIST,
1295 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.

The Social Realm.

To every life there comes a time supreme:
One day, one night, one morning, or one noon,
One freighted hour—one moment opportune,
One rift through which sublime fulfilments gleam;
One time when fate goes tiding with the stream,
One Once in balance 'twixt Too Late, Too Soon—,
And ready for the passing instant's boon
That shall in favor tip the wavering beam
Ah! happy he who, knowing how to wait,
Knows also how to watch and how to stand
On life's broad deck alert, and at the prow,
To seize the happy moment big with fate
From Opportunity's extented hand
When the great clock of Destiny strikes Now!
MARY ASHLEY TOWNSEND

* * *

Adams Chapter, Daughter of the Revolution, are to be entertained on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Elisha Thayer, Crescent avenue, South Braintree. Dr. William Gallagher of Thayer Academy is to give an address, which is sure to be interesting as his talks always are.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Moore of Gay street are delighted with their new granddaughter, Miss Parmenter; and it is a dear little thing, too.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fletcher nee Hirtle, who were married on Christmas eve, are at home to their friends after February first at their home in Watertown.

* * *

There is talk of and a strong movement among the ladies of our city to start an Arts and Crafts society similar to the one at Hingham, which is now several years old and a great success.

* * *

The fifth in the series of whists being given by the ladies of the Cochato club of Braintree under the management of Mrs. George E. Williams, will be held next Tuesday afternoon at half past two, at the club house.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. Herman F. McIntire, of Presidents hill, who are spending the winter abroad, have had a delightful sojourn of several weeks at Madeira and are due at Gibralter in a few weeks where they are to spend several weeks in Spain and will also cross to Africa. They expect to go to Italy in March and to be in France in April; returning in May by way of London and Liverpool.

* * *

A few of the Quincy friends of Mrs. Badger, of Boston, were pleased to receive short calls from her on Tuesday. Mrs. Badger is the daughter of Mr. J. Edward Spear, formerly of Edwards street and is well known to the young married set, as she always kept up her Quincy friendships although living for some time in Cincinnati previous to living in Boston.

* * *

Last Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tirrell, Jr., celebrated their eleventh wedding anniversary and also Mr. Tirrell's birthday by a large gathering of their relatives at their home on Randall avenue, Braintree.

* * *

The regular monthly meeting of the Quincy Day Nursery association will be held on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 2, at half after two o'clock at City hall. During the cold weather the use of the committee room is given the association. Any one interested in the work of the Day Nursery is cordially invited to be present at any of the monthly meetings, whether members of the association or not.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Bridgham of South Braintree entertained the Evening Whist club Wednesday evening. Mrs. Plummer Spring and G. W. Stevens won the prizes.

* * *

The February Mothers' meeting is to be held next Wednesday afternoon in the chapel of Bethany church. It is the annual meeting and an important one. Following the regular business there will be papers read by Mrs. John F. Hunt, Mrs. John McKnight, Mrs. E. C. Sargent and Mrs. F. P. Horton; new articles for Mother's Magazine.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Wood entertained friends at whist Thursday evening at their home on Upland road. Refreshments were served after the evening's play and there was a short musical program.

Miss Corinna Wilde of Billings street entertained the Smart Set whist club Monday evening. The chocolate favors were deliciously eatable. Winners of first prizes were Miss Florence Buckston and Miss Ruth Bassett; winners of second prizes were Miss Mary Melzard and Miss Maud Gray. Refreshments were served during the evening followed by ices and cake after the game.

* * *

The Schubert quartette is announced as the entertainment for next Wednesday evening at the High school, in the series being given by the Quincy Teachers' association.

* * *

Notwithstanding the many demands of the home and social life several ladies have found time to form a gymnasium class which meets Thursday afternoons under the guidance of Miss McCarty of the Woodward Institute.

* * *

Dancers are looking forward to Mrs. Stetson's Hurdy-Gurdy party at Faxon hall on Friday night of next week. Besides the hurdy-gurdy, Marie Grosse is to assist with her tambourine, and it is expected it will be one of the most enjoyable of the dancing parties of the winter. Signor Fontani, an Italian opera singer, has been engaged and will sing during the intermission between the dances, which will be a decidedly novel feature.

* * *

A fine concert was given in Lorimer hall, Boston, on Wednesday evening by the Chromatic club, for the benefit of the Music Students' fund. The opening number was a sonata for violin and piano, "Atla, the Indian Princess," written by Mrs. Edith Noyes Porter; Mrs. Harrison White Conner, violin, and Mrs. Porter, piano. Little Alice Eldridge, Mrs. Porter's protege, at the piano carried off the honors of the evening. She is only twelve years old and her playing is wonderful. The second concert is to be on the 24th.

* * *

Miss Savilla King, formerly a pupil of the Quincy Mansion school and Miss Helen C. Cahill both of Casper, Wyoming, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gallagher at their home on Adams street, East Milton.

* * *

The 34th annual re-union of the Milton High School Association will be held at the Town Hall, Milton, Friday evening, February 12. A concert including bell xylophone and 'cello solos will be given from 8 to 9. Dancing from 9 to 2.

* * *

Miss Mary Amsden Sayward, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Sewall Sayward, and Mr. Horace Freeman Bates were married Saturday evening, January 23 at 7.30 o'clock at the residence of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Amsden of Boston. The marriage was a quiet affair witnessed only by relatives of the couple. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Edward Chase of Wollaston. Mr. and Mrs. Bates left Sunday for Berwick, Maine.

* * *

The girls at the Quincy Mansion school gave a dance last evening in Livermore hall. It was a very pretty party and thoroughly enjoyed by the girls and their guests.

* * *

The last of the series of travel talks by Mrs. Marie Moore of Newton, was given on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Theodore Hardwick, Chestnut street. It was one of the pleasantest of the series and largely attended.

* * *

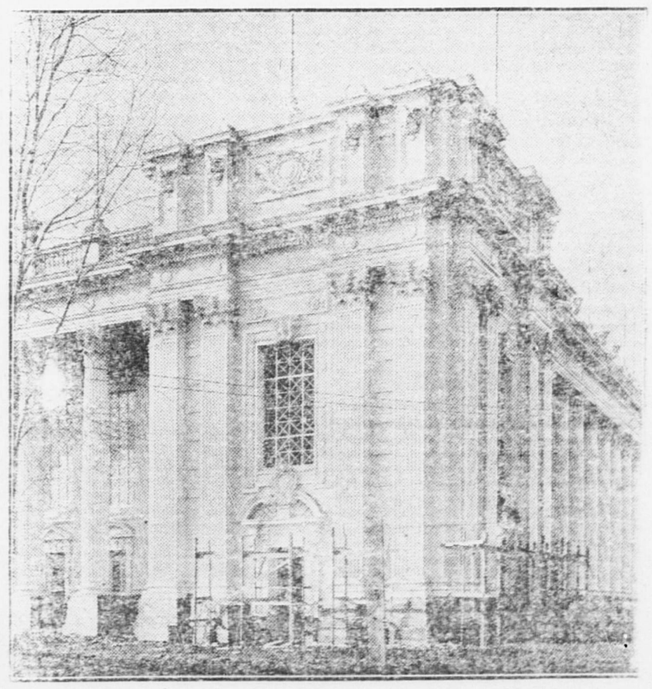
The prettiest affair of the week was the party given on Monday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Angier, at their home on Goffe street. Mr. and Mrs. Angier are ideal host and hostess and it was a particularly happy evening for all who enjoyed their hospitality.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest D. Gourd of Goffe street are to entertain the Tawasentha club next Tuesday evening. The literary part of the evening will be devoted to papers on Race Problems, the committee being Miss Mona M. Birse, Mrs. Frank W. Crane and Fred E. Tupper.

(Continued on Page 5.)

WORLD'S FAIR BUILDINGS.



A CORNER OF THE EDUCATION BUILDING AT THE ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION.

WOMAN'S WORLD

CORINNE B. ECKLEY.

An Expert Anatomist, College Professor, Inventor and Author.

There lives and labors in Chicago a woman of international fame and of such high and rare and scientific attainment as to make her unique among womankind. Her life, devoted on the one hand to her work and on the other to her charming home, is the life of the ideal woman, concerned, as it is, with real world's work and genuinely domestic felicity and culture.

This woman is Corinne B. Eckley, expert anatomist, professor of anatomy in two colleges, head instructor in anatomy in the Chicago College of Physicians and Surgeons, University of Illinois; author, inventor, and one of the most successful lecturers and demonstrators of human anatomy in America. Mrs. Eckley is the wife of Profess-

CORINNE B. ECKLEY.

or William T. Eckley, the noted American anatomist and man of science, whose untiring labors in the art of dissection have done so much to simplify and make easy one of the most difficult branches of human knowledge.

Mrs. Eckley has the rare distinction of membership in the American Association of Anatomists. But one other woman has been honored in this way. She is co-author with her husband of several important works, among which are "Regional Anatomy of the Head and Neck," "Anatomical Nomenclature" and "A Manual of Dissection," books that are constantly used by surgeons. Her inventive genius was disclosed in a most unexpected way. Formerly longitudinal division of the spinal bones was made with crude tools and much labor. Mrs. Eckley devised a peculiar and most useful instrument to do this difficult work, the laminectomy forceps, a device that insures a successful and easy solution of the problem.

In her home life Mrs. Eckley is most enviably happy. Her comfortable home in Jackson boulevard is well ordered and excellently managed, and to see her at work supervising the making of preserves from fruits grown under her eye on her farm in Michigan one would hardly suspect that this busy housewife is an honored member of the American Society of Anatomists and the author of text books on anatomical nomenclature. "When I am in my home," she says, "I live; when I am away from home I work."—Chicago Tribune.

The Art of Resting.

Rest and sleep are the Sisters of Mercy who go about to smooth wrinkles away from women's foreheads and otherwise repair the ravages of too strenuous days. The idea of constant occupation is all wrong, and the woman who has acquired the art of resting—for it is an art—will be able to show in middle age a face luminous with life and youth when her industrious sister is sear and gray.

This is not a plea for idleness, because whatever her condition in life may be the woman who has nothing to do is not only unhappy, but dangerous. She is bound to stray over into the country of the arch enemy and find the mischief especially reserved for unoccupied hands.

The homekeeper who carries the affairs of her household on successfully is entitled to the honors of the general in the field of war. But there are times when she must rest in her tent if she would continue strong and capable of carrying on the long campaign. Then she must go to her room and lock the door upon her cares and her family alike and throw herself down for a sweet, reviving snatch of slumber.

Nature makes no mistakes even if she does shock the community, and no matter what the hour may be it is time to sleep when one feels sleepy, and a wee nap in the very midst of the morning work will sometimes prove a source of splendid strength for the remainder of the day.—Exchange.

Frugality and Economy.

Frugality and economy are home virtues which are needful to the prosperity of the home.

Said great and good and growling old Dr. Johnson: "Frugality may be termed the daughter of prudence, the sister of temperance and the parent of liberty. He that is extravagant will quickly become poor, and poverty will enforce dependence and invite corruption."

The need of practicing economy belongs to every one, whether in the possession of an income no more than sufficient for a family's requirements or of a large fortune which banishes financial adversity from the mind.

To manage a little well is a vast and glorious merit in house managing.

Said famous Bishop Hall: "He is a good wagoner that can turn in a little room. To live well in abundance is the praise of the estate, not of the person. I will study more how to give a good account of my little than how to make it more."

This is the part of wisdom, particularly since those who manage a little well are the most likely to succeed in the management of larger matters and also to have the larger matters to manage.

But woe to the frugality that is allowed to degenerate into parsimony or meanness.

Draping an Arched Doorway.

An unusual treatment of an arched doorway was noticed in a house recently. Often a pole is placed above the highest point in the arch, from which a lambrequin or curtain falls straight, an arrangement which, of course, destroys the arched effect. In this doorway, however, the arch was preserved in a simple and effective way. A curved frame of soft wood about three inches wide was made to fit the arch, its shape and appearance suggesting an elongated skirt hanger. This was first covered with a piece of the lambrequin material, shirred on, with a short, fringed crosspiece of the same festooned from one side to the other in graceful fashion. The whole thing was then hung up on three hooks placed for the purpose on the wall at the point at either end of the arch.—Table Talk.

Drudgery.

Any labor is drudgery when it lacks qualification or applied brains. Although it is generally so considered, housekeeping is not a drudgery unless it is made so. No matter what the occupation, it may be made either a pleasure or a drudgery. We have all seen women with small families make a perfect labor of even looking over a small house, while a more intelligent housewife with a large family had hours of leisure. Like every other profession, housekeeping is easy or hard according to the amount of brains put into the work if there is the proper interest and preparation for the work. Any work is drudgery to the lazy, indifferent, thoughtless person.—Cooking Club.

Good Rules to Follow.

Five rules of life to make a woman healthier at least, if not wealthier and wiser, are:

First.—Take plenty of exercise.

Second.—Eat plain food moderately.

Third.—Go to bed as early as possible.

Fourth.—Avoid stimulants.

Fifth.—Live with regularity.

You can help out a freckled face with lotions and powders, but you can't make your beauty permanent that way. If you really want to have a fine color, a fine figure, a fine digestion and be fair to look upon try these rules and see what they will do for you.

The Really Clever Pose.

There is much more intellectual cleverness among the girls of today than there was fifty years ago. A flippant cousin says: "It does not pay for a girl to be clever. Men are afraid of you if you are, and the other girls hate you." But between a pedantic prig and a well educated woman there is a vast difference. The really clever women are those who disguise their learning and pose as amiable and charming idiots.—Ladies' Field.

Carefulness In Toilet.

Nothing is a more positive sign of a careless woman than torn gloves and untidy shoes, waistbands that sever connections or collars that part company with the shirt waist. Try not to be one of them. You defeat your own ends and neither look well nor feel comfortable. Dress carefully and aim at plainness and neatness rather than a more showy style of costume.

Puffy Eyes.

Puffy places under the eyes are usually due to some kidney disorder. Cold water should be taken freely, say a glassful half an hour before each meal and about two hours afterward. This treatment will not only cause the flabbiness to disappear, but will also render the complexion clear and the general health better.

Ham Patties.

Ham patties make an acceptable luncheon or supper dish and a good way to use up cold ham. Chop the meat fine, allow two parts of bread crumbs to one of ham, wet the crumbs with milk, season with a generous lump of butter, put into patty pans and break an egg over each.

The Infant's Robe.

The length of the infant's robe is less extravagant than formerly, and three months is now considered the proper age for putting on short dresses. Nainsook and French mull are the materials most employed for dresses, though thin lawns are also used.

When putting parasols away they should be left unrolled, and in order to prevent the silk from cutting loose tissue paper should be placed between the folds.

If you put a little whiting every day in the water in which you rinse your silver you will not need to clean it so often.

Excessive drinking of strong tea and coffee will produce a brown skin after a few years.

Wrinkles can be warded off by bathing the face every night in hot milk.

FOR A GIFT.

OFFERED FOR SALE FOR THE FIRST TIME.

Complete for **50 cts.** Rules with Game.

EVERYTHING LOCAL.

"REGDEL."

— IS A —

QUINCY GAME

HISTORIC. INSTRUCTIVE.

ENTERTAINING. ORIGINAL.

Here are the Cards which make up each Serie.

OUR CITY.

Settled in 1625.
Incorporated as Braintree, 1640.
Quincy Set Off, 1792.
Quincy a City, 1888.
Daily Ledger Established, 1889.

OUR BENEFACTORS.

John Adams.
Dr. Ebenezer Woodward.
Thomas Crane.
William Coddington.
Willliam B. Rice.

OUR MAYORS.

Hon. C. H. Porter.
Hon. H. O. Fairbanks.
Hon. C. F. Adams, 2d.
Hon. W. A. Hodges.
Hon. R. A. Sears.

THIS PIG WENT TO MARKET.

OUR SUPERINTENDENTS.

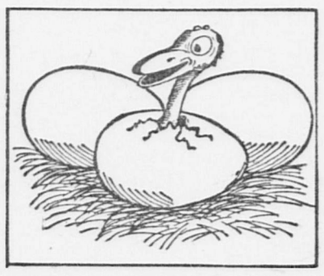
Francis W. Parker.
Sylvester Brown.
George I. Aldrich.
Herbert W. Lull.
Frank E. Parlin.

OUR HISTORIANS.

William S. Pattee.
Rev. George Whitney.
Charles F. Adams.
Rev. D. M. Wilson
Edwin W. Marsh.

OUR DAILY PAPER.

Newsy.
Up to Date.
Wide Awake.
Big Circulation.
Good Advertising Medium.



HIS HEAD THRUST THROUGH THE SHELL.

OUR WARSHIPS.

The Rhode Island.
The New Jersey.
The Vermont.
The Des Moines.
Lawrence and Macdonough.

OUR GRANITE.

First Church, Quincy.
Bunker Hill Monument.
King's Chapel, Boston.
Quincy City Hall.
Custom House, Boston.

DOWN THE THROAT OF A TURKEY GOBBLER

OUR NOTED MEN.

President John Adams.
President J. Q. Adams.
John Hancock.
Col. John Quincy.
Henry H. Faxon.

"OH, MY! OH, MY! OH, ME!"

OUR SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

Quincy High.
Adams Academy.
Woodward Institute.
Thayer Academy.
Quincy Mansion School.

OUR INDUSTRIES.

Granite Quarrying.
Shipbuilding.
Tubular Rivet Works.
Translucent Works.
Daily Newspaper.

OUR POINTS OF INTEREST.

Birthplaces of Presidents.
Burial place of Presidents.
Dorothy Q. House.
Myles Standish Cairn.
Abigail Adams Cairn.

The illustrations are cards which play an important and an unique part, which is fully explained in the rules which accompany the game.

"REGDEL"

The Quincy Daily Ledger Game,

Only 50 Cents.

For Sale at Daily Ledger Office.

INDIANS WANT WAR

Planned Night Attack on Gunboat Off Colomdian Coast

APPROACHED IN CANOES

Searchlight Revealed Their Presence and Rain of Bullets From Quick-Firing Gun Sent Them Toward Shore In a Hurry

Colon, Jan. 30.—The United States gunboat Bancroft has arrived here from the San Blas coast. She reports the attitude of the San Blas Indians at Caledonia bay not only unfriendly, but decidedly aggressive. Last Tuesday men from one of the Bancroft's boats insisted upon purchasing a few cocoanuts from the Indians and paid more than full value for them. Towards 11 o'clock that night 20 canoes were seen approaching the Bancroft. The gunboat turned her searchlight on the canoes and it was revealed that each boat carried as many Indians as could crowd in, probably 200 in all. All the men were armed with bows and arrows, guns of quaint and old patterns and other weapons. Their faces were besmeared with paint.

There is no doubt but that their intentions were hostile. They hoped to reach and surprise the ship. The commander of the Bancroft ordered the gunboat cleared for action and her guns were loaded and trimmed ready for use. A quick-firing Colt gun was placed near the gangway and orders were given to the gunners of this piece to keep up a ceaseless fire all around the canoes. As soon as the Indians heard this rain of bullets they immediately began retreating towards the shore.

The gunners were given express orders not to fire at the Indians, so the bullets cut the air and churned up the water all around them. No shots were fired at the Bancroft, which at once sailed for Colon to bring in the report of the occurrence.

Colombia Contemplates War

Panama, Jan. 30.—News has reached here from Bogota that insomuch as Generals Reyes and Cavallero have assured Colombia that the United States will only object to her landing forces in the canal zone, the Colombian government intends to organize and send an expedition against Panama.

The only explanation of this news from Bogota is that the government of Colombia is compelled to take some steps to prevent its downfall. This is said to be imminent, as President Marroquin has lost his prestige. There is much speculation in Bogota as to the outcome of this move should it be put through.

Colombian newspapers are complaining that it cost more than $15,000,000 in paper money (a Colombian dollar is worth about 7-10 of an American cent) to move the troops Colombia has today at Titumati, on the Gulf of Darien, from Cartagena to that point. These men are estimated at from 2000 to 4000 and at one time they were well supplied with provisions.

Senate Wants All the Facts

Washington, Jan. 30.—The senate adopted the Culberson resolution calling on the president to state whether the senate has been supplied with all the facts bearing on the controversy of Panama. An amendment calling for the information only in case the president should consider it not incompatible with the public interest to supply it was adopted, all the Republican senators present voting for it.

New Haven Divided on Panama

Washington, Jan. 30.—Senator Hoar yesterday submitted a petition from citizens of New Haven, praying that before final ratification of the Hay-Bunau-Varilla treaty the action of the United States may be subjected to careful and deliberate investigation. When this petition had been read Senator Platt (Conn.) offered another petition from more than 100 business men of New Haven justifying the president in recognizing the independence of Panama and requesting ratification of the convention.

A Panama Pow-wow

Washington, Jan. 30.—Senator Gorman has called a caucus of Democratic senators to be held today. It is announced that no general plans are entertained except that a "pow-wow" over the Panama question seems to be necessary from a Democratic point of view.

Kentuckians Oppose Treaty

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 30.—The senate, by a vote of 23 to 9, defeated the resolution endorsing President Roosevelt's action in the matter of the Panama treaty. Three Democrats voted with the Republicans in favor of the resolution.

Maneuvering Grounds Wanted

Washington, Jan. 30.—Lieutenant General Chaffee, as chief of staff, urges an appropriation of $2,000,000 for the purchase of four tracts of ground for military maneuvers. The tracts desired must be from seven to eight miles long and from three to four miles wide.

Disaster In French Hotel

Rognonas, France, Jan. 30.—Six persons were killed and 14 were injured as a result of an explosion of gas in the cafe of the Hotel de France last evening. The hotel was partially wrecked. The authorities are investigating.

GOGGIN'S ACCOUNTS

Services of Boston Expert Necessary to Straighten Them Out

Nashua, N. H., Jan. 30.—After four days of hard work the bank commissioners and the directors of the Nashua Trust company have reached the conclusion that the manipulation of the accounts of the mercantile department of the company by the recent treasurer, John P. Goggin, was so skillfully done that the services of an expert accountant are necessary to unravel the tangle.

To this end they have engaged Alfred Ewer of Boston, national bank examiner, and he will at once begin a thorough examination of the trust company's books. Goggin was at the bank yesterday afternoon rendering assistance to the bank officials who were working on the books. No statement as to the amount of the shortage in Goggin's accounts has been given out by the directors.

Tug Struck Dangerous Reef

Cuttyhunk, Mass., Jan. 30.—The mistaking of a vessel's light for that of Vineyard Sound lightship was the cause of the wreck of tug G. M. Winslow of Boston on the outer ledge of the Sow and Pig reef. The crew was transferred to the coal barge which the tug was towing by the lifesavers from this island, and later the men were taken to Vineyard Haven by tug Storm King, which had gone to the assistance of the Winslow. The tug filled within two hours after she struck and as the sea is rolling constantly it is believed that her bottom will be so badly smashed that her fate will be sealed.

Printers Submit New Schedule

Boston, Jan. 30.—The prospect of a satisfactory settlement of the disputes between the book and job printers and their employers in this city is apparently growing much brighter. A conference was held between committees representing the Boston Typothetae and Typographical union 13 at which a new draft of a wage and hour schedule was presented by the union. There seems to be a strong feeling that it will prove acceptable to the employers.

Ryan Charged With Murder

Hingham, Mass., Jan. 30.—Cyrus L. Ryan, who was arrested as he stepped from a train at Boston, in company with his fiancee and her sister, was arraigned here before Judge Kelley, and pleaded not guilty to the charge of murder of Quong Sing, a laundryman, at Hanover. At the request of Captain Proctor of the state police the case was continued until Saturday, Feb. 6, at Abington. Ryan was held without bail, and was taken to Plymouth jail.

Mannix Held For Grand Jury

Boston, Jan. 30.—William F. Mannix, who visited Governor Bates and tried to have him cash a check, and is now under arrest on the charge of forging and uttering the name of George B. Cortelyou, the secretary of the department of commerce and labor, was arraigned before Judge Wentworth, waived examination and was held under $2000 bonds for the grand jury. He was not represented by counsel.

Work on Barracks Suspended

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 30.—Work upon the government artillery barracks here, being constructed by Dennison & Co. under contract for $130,000, has been suspended owing to the absence, it is announced, of General Manager Leyster. Captain Reynold called off the 100 men at work upon the job, pending some arrangement with the contracting firm. The contractors have already been paid $95,000.

Highwayman Attacked Woman

Nashua, N. H., Jan. 30.—While Mrs. Gordon Wells was returning to her home last night a man sprang at her from behind a tree and after beating her severely about the head and shoulders until she was almost unconscious, attempted to rob her of her pocketbook. The approach of two citizens frightened the highwayman and he fled without obtaining any money.

McKinley's Birthday Celebrated

New Haven, Jan. 30.—Men of distinction in the business, political and social life of this state were guests last night at the banquet of the McKinley Association of Connecticut. Nearly 550 plates were laid, beside each of which was a carnation and a menu card bearing a likeness of McKinley. Congressman Brandegee was the orator of the evening.

Wants Share of McKay Money

Boston, Jan. 30.—Still another contest has developed over the disposition of the estate of the late Gordon McKay, the millionaire manufacturer of shoe stitching machines. The new contestant is Anna Pinkham, a first cousin of the testator, who objects to the probate of the will. McKay left nearly his entire estate to Harvard college.

Simple Scratch Caused Death

West Brookfield, Mass., Jan. 30.—Harold Hart, 9 years old, died last night of tetanus. Last Wednesday he stepped on a nail that barely scratched the skin of one foot. On Thursday symptoms of lockjaw developed.

The Shaefer Murder Mystery

Bedford, Ind., Jan. 30.—There has been increased activity among the officials investigating the murder of Miss Sarah Schaefer. A persistent rumor is that the investigation is directed toward a Bedford citizen in good standing and that the authorities are withholding action until they are certain they have sufficient evidence.

May Go to Jury Next Week

Washington, Jan. 30.—The third week of the postal trial has closed and the indications are now that the case will go to jury about the end of next week.

GOGGIN'S ACCOUNTS

ices of Boston Expert Neces-y to Straighten Them Out

shua, N. H., Jan. 30.—After four of hard work the bank commis-rs and the directors of the Nashua company have reached the con-n that the manipulation of the ac-s of the mercantile department of mpany by the recent treasurer, P. Goggin, was so skillfully done he services of an expert account-e necessary to unravel the tangle. this end they have engaged Alfred of Boston, national bank ex-r, and he will at once begin a rch examination of the trust com-s books. Goggin was at the bank day afternoon rendering assist-o the bank officials who were g on the books. No statement as amount of the shortage in Gog-ecounts has been given out by the rs.

g Struck Dangerous Reef

yhunk, Mass., Jan. 30.—The mis-of a vessel's light for that of rd Sound lightship was the d the wreck of tug G. M. Winslow ton on the outer ledge of the d Pig reef. The crew was trans-to the coal barge which the tug wing by the lifesavers from this and later the men were taken to rd Haven by tug Storm King, had gone to the assistance of the w. The tug filled within two after she struck and as the sea g constantly it is believed that tton will be so badly smashed fate will be sealed.

kers Submit New Schedule

n, Jan. 30.—The prospect of a dery settlement of the disputes the book and job printers and mployers in this city is appar-owing much brighter. A con-was held between committees ting the Boston Typothetae and ghical union 13 at which a new wage and hour schedule was ed by the union. There seems strong feeling that it will prove ble to the employers.

n Charged With Murder

ham, Mass., Jan. 30.—Cyrus L. who was arrested as he stepped train at Boston, in company with ce and her sister, was arraigned fore Judge Kelley, and pleaded lty to the charge of murder of Sing, a laundryman, at Han-At the request of Captain Proc-the state police the case was con-until Saturday, Feb. 6, at Abing-yan was held without bail, and en to Plymouth jail.

ix Held For Grand Jury

n, Jan. 30.—William F. Mannix, sited Governor Bates and tried him cash a check, and is now arrest on the charge of forging dering the name of George B. on, the secretary of the depart-f commerce and labor, was ar-before Judge Wentworth, examination and was held un-bonds for the grand jury. He represented by counsel.

on Barracks Suspended

gton, Vt., Jan. 30.—Work upon rmament artillery barracks here, nstructed by Dennison & Co. ntract for $130,000, has been d owing to the absence, it is d, of General Manager Leys-tain Reynold called off the 100 rk upon the job, pending some neat with the contracting firm. ractors have already been paid

yman Attacked Woman

, N. H., Jan. 30.—While Mrs. Wells was returning to her t night a man sprang at her hind a tree and after beating rely about the head and until she was almost uncon-ttempted to rob her of her e. The approach of two citi-ightened the highwayman and ithout obtaining any money.

ey's Birthday Celebrated

ven, Jan. 30.—Men of distinc-e business, political and social s state were guests last night ner of the McKinley Associa-d section. Nearly 550 plates , beside each of which was a and a menu card bearing a f McKinley. Congressman e was the orator of the

Share of McKay Money

Jan. 30.—Still another con-eveloped over the disposition te of the late Gordon McKay, naire manufacturer of shoe machines. The new con-Anna Pinkham, a first cousin ator, who objects to the pro-s will. McKay left nearly state to Harvard college.

Scratch Caused Death

rookfield, Mass., Jan. 30.—rt, 9 years old, died last night Last Wednesday he stepped that barely scratched the skin ot. On Thursday symp-ckjaw developed.

acfer Murder Mystery

Ind., Jan. 30.—There has ased activity among the of-stigating the murder of Miss acfer. A persistent rumor is vestigation is directed toward citizen in good standing and uthorities are withholding d they are certain they have vidence.

o to Jury Next Week

rton, Jan. 30.—The third e postal trial has closed and ions are now that the case jury about the end of next

To look well

your blood must be pure to give your complexion that peculiar freshness which can only be obtained when your system is in good working order. Beecham's Pills will put you in condition.

To feel well

you must be well. Your digestive organs must be doing their work properly. Beecham's Pills act like oil on machinery, and will give you the snap and vigor that only comes with perfect health.

To keep well

every organ must be doing its duty—stomach, liver and kidneys must each be in thorough working order. If you are not as well as you ought to be

Take a small dose of

BEECHAM'S PILLS

They will set you right.

Sold Everywhere
10 Cents and 25 Cents

TO-DAY

And Every Day until the Bankrupt Stock of

C. F. DERBY

Is Closed out we will sell

MEN'S and BOYS'

CLOTHING,

Furnishings and Hats

At Lower Prices than any other store.

COME AT ONCE

For Best Bargains.

You want good goods for a little money. We want the cash. Here is your opportunity.

BANKRUPT SALE,

Savings Bank Block, Quincy, Mass.

What It Costs

... AND ...

What It Pays

are two values of newspaper advertising that the merchant has to consider. But the most important thing is

WHAT IT PAYS.

The merchant can get space in papers of small circulation and little influence for a little less money than the same size space would cost in the DAILY LEDGER and the QUINCY PATRIOT.

DOES IT PAY

to throw away the certainty of the profitable returns which are sure to LEDGER and PATRIOT advertisers, because it costs less to advertise in a cheaper paper?

Dr. Emmons'

Monthly Regulator has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. There is positively no other remedy known to medical science that will so quickly and safely do the work. Longest and most obstinate irregularities from any cause relieved immediately. Success guaranteed at any stage. No pain, danger, or interference with work. Have relieved hundreds of cases where others have failed. The most difficult cases successfully treated by mail, and beneficial results guaranteed in every instance. No risk whatsoever. We treat hundreds of ladies whom we never see. Write for further particulars and free confidential advice. Do not put off too long. All letters truthfully answered. Remember, this remedy is absolutely safe under every possible condition and positively leaves no after ill effect upon the health. Sent by mail, securely sealed, $2.00. Money letters should be registered. DR. J. W. EMMONS CO., 170 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

RUSSIA FOR PEACE

Reported to Have Made Concessions to Japan

RUSSIAN ADMIRAL TALKS

Declares That Chinese Sovereignty In Manchuria Will Be Maintained and That Japan's Aggressiveness Is Needless

Washington, Jan. 30.—The British ambassador at St. Petersburg is authority for the announcement that the Russian reply to Japan is satisfactory. Although no further details are obtainable, it is assumed if the information of the ambassador is correct that Russia has made certain concessions and that Great Britain will prevail on Japan to accept them as satisfactory.

The statement of the British ambassador went from St. Petersburg to the British legation in Tokio, where Mr. Griscom heard of it, and cabled the news to the state department.

Says War Is Improbable

St. Petersburg, Jan. 30.—An admiral who is influential in the councils of the empire had this to say in an interview:

"The enormous loss which the commerce of Japan is sustaining as a result of the mobilization of steamships for transport services probably accounts for the impatience the Japanese are displaying over the delay in the Russian reply, but this reply will go to Tokio next week. It will be so conciliatory that I do not foresee other than a peaceful settlement, although it is difficult to feel certain in this respect because of the erratic course of the government during the later stages of negotiations.

"Japan has increased her demands while the negotiations were still in progress, by insisting in treaty recognition of Chinese sovereignty in Manchuria. Russia has declared her intention not to annex Manchuria, therefore why comply with a demand that is tantamount to a humiliating reiteration of a former voluntary declaration?

"It is undeniable that the attitude of Japan is causing irritation in St. Petersburg and that a feeling of impatience is growing throughout Russia. It is hard to account for Japan's persistent aggressiveness, but this must be attributable to the incendiary influence of the Japanese press, which is acting under foreign inspiration. The Japanese government must know it stands no chance of defeating Russia, while Japan has much to lose if Russia is forced back against the wall.

"Should Japan proceed to hostilities her first objective probably would be the cutting of the Siberian railroad, for which purpose she would land troops in Korea. She could not, however, land more than 150,000 men, and Russia has an equal number of men in Manchuria to meet this attack which, I think, would be quickly repulsed. I do not believe in a naval war; the Russian warships would make it impossible for the Japanese to endanger Port Arthur. But, let me repeat, war is improbable."

How Problem Might Be Solved

London, Jan. 30.—The Statist today, in a long article on the Russo-Japanese situation, after commenting on the advantages of the Chino-American treaty, which, it says, if carried out, would assure an open door in Manchuria for the rest of the world, continues as follows:

"When Russia was at the gates of Constantinople, and practically had dictated peace to Turkey, Great Britain interfered and the result was the Berlin congress. Is there any good reason why the world should wait for the conclusion of war to summon a similar council? Would it not be more statesmanlike, and certainly more humane, to summon such a council now, in order to prevent war? Would it not be possible for the Russian government to sell its railways in Chinese territory to an international syndicate, all the powers guaranteeing the safety and the interests of this syndicate? In that way, it seems to us, the real rights of Russia in Manchuria would be safe-guarded, while the apprehensions entertained by Japan that Russian extension threatens her very existence would be permanently removed."

Neutral Zone Once Existed

Berlin, Jan. 30.—Concerning the recent proposal for the establishment of a neutral zone between Korea and Manchuria, it is recalled here that such a zone once existed, that it lay on the Manchuria side of the Yalu river, and that it was completely devastated and rendered uninhabitable. The late Li Hung Chang eventually succeeded in having this zone incorporated into Manchuria.

Fears For Lives of Catholics

Rome, Jan. 30.—Bishop Hutel, apostolic vicar in Korea, has sent in a report to the Vatican saying that the 10,000 Roman Catholics living in Korea are subjected to grave risks because of the condition of the country on account of the Russo-Japanese situation. The bishop recalls in his report that his predecessor in Korea spent 15 years in prison because he was not afforded protection.

Duelist Charged With Homicide

Paris, Jan. 30.—As a result of a judicial inquiry into a duel between Charles Ebelot and Henry Lantier, Ebelot, who killed his antagonist, will be charged with voluntary homicide and have to stand trial.

DUE TO DEFECTIVE SHOT

Explanation of the Disaster In the Hardwick Mine

Pittsburg, Jan. 30.—The remains of 150 victims have been taken out of the Hardwick mine. It is estimated that 20 more are buried under the extensive fall of slate brought about by the explosion and it will be several days before they can be recovered.

Mine Inspector Cunningham is satisfied that he has discovered the cause of the explosion and the room in which it occurred. It has been the theory of the inspectors that the gas was lighted by a defective shot, one that was not properly tamped and which threw a bit of burning paper from the hole drilled in the coal. This was confirmed in a room in the south left entry where a hole was found in the coal showing that the tamping had been blown out and that the shot was ineffective.

Preparations already are making for an early resumption of work at the mine. The company expects to start again in two weeks, or as soon as the bodies have all been removed, the mine inspected and repairs made.

Believes In Press Gagging

Philadelphia, Jan. 30.—Governor Pennypacker, in an address here last night, took occasion to defend the famous libel bill passed by the last legislature, and which became a law by his approval. He said: "Pennsylvania alone, of all the American commonwealths, has recognized the evils which result from the degeneracy of the modern press, and she alone has had the courage to adopt a measure which looks to the correction of those evils. Pennsylvania differs also in the fact that her policies are determined not by adventurers, but by citizens of this state."

Wagon Makers Locked Out

Chicago, Jan. 30.—One hundred shops controlled by the Carriage and Wagon Manufacturers' association will be closed Monday and 2000 men belonging to the Carriage and Wagon Workers' union will be locked out. The men demanded a reduction of two hours in the working hours in a week and increases in pay running from 1 to 25 percent. The employers insisted that the union must consent to the "open shop" on Monday. The men refused to accept.

Coolidge Very Much Alive

Denver, Jan. 30.—W. T. Coolidge, a schoolteacher who was reported to have been drowned in San Francisco bay last fall, has been found alive at Sheridan, Wyo. This discovery saves benevolent orders and insurance companies $11,000 for which he was insured. Coolidge said he had caused the report of his drowning to be circulated because of estrangement from his wife. He denied any intention of enabling his relatives to collect insurance fraudulently.

A Defiant Labor Leader

Chicago, Jan. 30.—Secretary Nockels of the Chicago Federation of Labor was called before the grand jury to give evidence concerning alleged acts of lawlessness committed during recent strikes in this city and was told to bring the books and records of the Federation of Labor with him. He refused to bring them and was thereupon cited to appear in court and show cause why he should not be punished for contempt.

Fire In National Capitol

Washington, Jan. 30.—The Washington fire department was called on at 4:45 yesterday afternoon to extinguish a blaze coming from the chimney leading from the fireplace of a committee room at the house end of the capitol. The fire was speedily extinguished by use of the chmeical apparatus without apparent damage to the building. The fire was not generally known until after it had been extinguished.

Couple Convicted of Forgery

New York, Jan. 30.—At the conclusion of her second trial on charges of forging checks Mabel Parker was last night found guilty of forgery in the second degree and was sentenced to the Bedford reformatory for an indefinite term. Her husband, James Parker, who pleaded guilty, was sentenced to 10 years in state prison.

Vessels Sacrificed to Ice

St. Johns, Jan. 30.—The Gloucester fishing schooners Fernwood and Nicholson, homeward bound with cargoes of herring, have been crushed in the ice floes off St. George's bay. The crews abandoned the ships and walked to the land. The schooners are drifting out in the Gulf of St. Lawrence in the grip of the ice.

Lawyer Admits Stealing

New York, Jan. 30.—Albert M. Fragner, a Brooklyn lawyer, pleaded guilty to an indictment charging grand larceny in the first degree in having taken bonds valued at $20,000, which were held in trust for minor children of the late Otto Kainer, an importer. Fragner will be arraigned for sentence on Monday.

Ammunition Wasted

Cienfuegos, Cuba, Jan. 30.—There were political demonstrations here before the residences of two prominent leaders of the Liberal party who, however, happened to be out of town. Several shots were fired and the families of the absent leaders were much frightened.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Sunday, Jan. 31.
Sun rises—7:01; sets—4:56.
Moon sets—5:15 a. m.
High water—10 a. m.; 10:30 p. m.

The coast storm has moved slowly northeastward. The weather in the rear of the storm has cleared, but snow has continued in Virginia, thence northward to southern New England. The weather will clear in New England.

DISARMING THE GODS.

How Chinese, Japanese and Hindoo Boys Prepare For School Life.

Among the eastern nations the beginning of school life is a critical time for the child. The priest or astrologer must be consulted to choose a lucky day. Every precaution must be taken to avert the jealousy of the gods, whose malice is especially directed against a fine boy.

The Chinese father who adores his son will take the utmost pains to convince the powers of the air that the boy is of no account. The child may be given a despicable name, like flea or chutze, a pig, or, more insulting still, he may be given a girl's name. The boy may be started off to school wearing a girl's dress and one earring, and if the deception is complete this will be the most effectual of all, for even the gods do not care for girls in China.

The Japanese schoolboy wears hanging from his belt a little red bag containing a brass tag with his name and his parents' name and address upon it. He must have his paper umbrella and his fan, and in a gray bag upon his arm is a jar of rice for his luncheon. This quaint little fellow has probably made his offering at his own private shrine to Tenjinsen, the god of penmanship.

When the Hindoo boy has found an auspicious day to begin school he is taken to the god of learning, Sarasvati. Here the little supplicant presents his offerings of rice and betel nuts and repeats the letters of the alphabet after the priest. Thus he is entered into the ways of knowledge in the very presence of the god.—Everybody's Magazine.

OMNIVOROUS MAN.

Reptiles Are Eaten With Eagerness All Over the World.

Reptiles are eaten with eagerness all over the world. Neither want of beauty nor abundance of venom protects them from omnivorous man. Although they suggest to us by form and motion all that is false and unfair, hideous and horrid, even God's curse of the serpent does not shield it, and from the humble frog of the pond to the colossal crocodile of Egypt they are all only so much food for men. Old Mexicans loved the speckled salamander and ate it with Spanish pepper. The Spaniards learned the odd fashion, and the habit has not entirely died out. Vipers are a favorite dish with Italians. The lizards of this continent are a most delicate dish, and the iguanas of the Antilles were carried to South Carolina in great numbers, the rice fields of that state being well suited to them.

Snakes find a ready market in many eastern countries. The giant of Java, which infests the pepper plantations and whose venom is fatal, is a favorite. The huge boa constrictor furnishes an exceedingly fat meat, and the negroes of its native country prefer it to the daintiest food of the white man. The anaconda of Brazil supplies the table of the poor, though the Portuguese use only the rich fat it produces. South American natives eat almost every kind of snake, and the far west has taught many a fastidious palate from over the sea to relish the fatal rattlesnake of our own country. Snake eating is more common in the United States than one would imagine.

How the Indians Dun.

We have all heard the phrase, "After him with a sharp stick," but it may not have occurred to many of us that the stick referred to is the much feared yearly January bill. Such, however, is the meaning that the saying conveys to the Nushinan Indians of California, who have seen the disagreeable habit prevalent among us of sending gifts. When one Indian owes another, it is considered bad taste for the creditor to dun the debtor. He proceeds with more delicacy. He procures a certain number of sticks, according to the amount of the debt, and paints a ring around the end of each. These he carries and tosses into the debtor's wigwam and then goes away without a word. The debtor invariably pays the debt and destroys the sticks, as it is considered a reproach to have the January dunning stick thrown into the wigwam. Indeed the creditor never uses them except with hard customers.

Cliff of Natural Glass.

A cliff of natural glass can be seen in Yellowstone park, Wyoming. It is half a mile long and from 150 to 290 feet high, the material of which it consists being as good glass as that artificially manufactured. The dense glass which forms the base is from 75 to 100 feet thick, while the upper portion, having suffered and survived many ages of wind and rain, has naturally worn much thinner. Of course the color of the cliff is not that of natural glass—transparent and white—but is mostly black and in some places mottled and streaked with brownish red and shades of olive green and brown.

The Tomb of David.

The tomb of David, king of Israel, is still pointed out to travelers in Palestine and, despite its age, is in a remarkably good state of preservation. David died in 1015 B. C. and was buried in the "city of David." His tomb became the sepulcher of several subsequent kings and one of the sacred places of the kingdom. It stands on Mount Zion, at Jerusalem, just outside of the city wall.

Compulsory Piety.

Sunday School Teacher—I hope all the little girls in my class love God? Eva Brown—I do. Sunday School Teacher—That's right, Eva. Now tell us why you love him. Eva Brown—Got to.—Lippincott's Magazine.

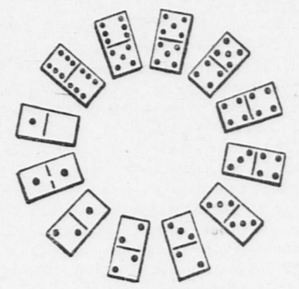
There is a whole chapter of sound advice in the admonition: "Don't dodge difficulties; meet them, greet them, beat them."

A PUZZLING TRICK.

It Is Done With Dominos and Will Mystify Your Friends.

A good trick with dominos is performed as follows: Arrange twelve of them in a circle, as shown in the accompanying picture, and tell one of your little friends present that you will point out any domino that he may think of.

When he says he is ready you tell him that you will count round the circle by touching the dominos promiscuously, each touch counting one, and that when you have counted twenty, including the number of spots on the



THE DOMINOS ARRANGED.

domino thought of, he must tell you to stop, and your finger will then rest on the piece chosen.

Let us suppose, for illustration, that he thinks of the double deuce, you, of course, not knowing that. Begin, touching the pieces with your finger, counting 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and so forth, skipping about the circle as you count. But when you come to the eighth count you must touch the double six and then count regularly around to the right. Thus six-five will be 9, double five 10, five-four 11, and so on until you come to double deuce, when he tells you to stop, because that is the domino he thought of, the four spots on which, added to your count of 16, make 20.

This rule holds good, no matter what domino may be chosen by the spectators. The performer of the trick must not count aloud or even appear to be counting as he goes around the circle, and the more quickly he moves his finger the neater will be the trick.

THE FRUIT BASKET.

A Game For Girls That Will Bring Out a Lot of Fun.

Fruit basket is a game for girls, and it is one out of which can be had a great deal of fun. This game may be played with chairs, or benches, if chairs are not convenient. Arrange an even number, say fourteen chairs, in two parallel lines, seven in a line. Fourteen girls are seated in these chairs, and the fifteenth odd one stands between the rows, carrying a covered basket. She walks up and down, swinging it. She stops suddenly before the first girl and says:

"I've been in the garden this morning gathering currants." As she says the name of the fruit the first girl must cry, "Currants, currants, currants!" before the odd girl says it again, and this is repeated down the lines, changing the name of the fruit each time. At the first failure every one jumps up and changes her seat, and in the confusion the odd girl must try to get a seat, there being one, of course, always left to take her place, and so it goes on.

Some Wonderful Things.

Until recently it was supposed that where the ocean is deepest no organic life existed. No light penetrates there to any great extent, and the pressure of the water is terrific. Wood, for instance, is compressed to half its size if lowered 3,000 feet. But recent scientific discovery proves that even in those mighty deeps great forests of seaweed cover the bottom of the ocean and reach to the surface. In these strange forests spiders and dreadful wormlike animals of tremendous size exist, also sea urchins, shells and millions of other things. It might not be a pleasant forest in which to take a walk. It might seem like a nightmare, but there is no denying the fact that it would be a wonderful place, a real enchanted forest.

Ralph's Grammar Lesson.

"Oh, mamma, my satchel's busted!" cried little Ralph, running into the room.

"Don't ever say busted," corrected mamma. "Say either burst or broken."

The incident was forgotten until the next day when at dinner Ralph was describing a playmate's house.

"And, do you know, right in the front hall they have a"—Ralph hesitated, remembering the conversation of the day before—"a burst of Abraham Lincoln," he finished triumphantly.

Could Be Trusted.

Johnny—Grandpa, have you any teeth?

Grandpa—No, my child; they have all gone.

Johnny—Then I think I'll let you hold my candy while I run an errand.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

The Lucky Boy.

The boy who's always wishing
That this or that might be,
But never tries his mettle,
Is the boy that's bound to see
His plans all come to failure,
His hopes end in defeat;
For that's what comes when wishing
And working fail to meet.

The "luck" that I believe in
Is that which comes with work,
And no one ever finds it
Who's content to wish and shirk.
The men the world calls "lucky"
Will tell you, every one,
That success comes not by wishing,
But by hard work bravely done.
—Exchange.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Oct. 18, 1903, trains will run as follows:

[Subject to change without notice.]

TO BOSTON				FROM BOSTON			
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.		Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy	
r *5 19	abcdefghi	5 47		*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19	r
r 6 12	abc	6 32		6 28	cba	6 49	r
r 6 42	abc	7 02		6 58	cba	7 19	r
r 7 12	abc	7 32		7 28	cba	7 49	r
r 7 23	ad	7 42		8 28	cba	8 49	r
7 29	Exp	7 45		8 58	cba	9 19	r
r 7 42	a[illegible]c	8 02		9 28	cba	9 49	r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15		9 28	cba	10 49	r
r 8 12	abc	8 32		11 28	cba	11 49	r
r 8 26	abd	8 45		12 28	cba	12 49	r
r 8 46	ated	9 05		12 45	Exp.	1 02	
r 9 12	abc	9 32		12 58	cba	1 19	r
r 9 42	abc	10 02		1 2[illegible]	cba	1 49	r
r 10 12	ab[illegible]	10 32		1 58	cba	2 19	r
r 10 42	abc	11 02		2 2[illegible]	cba	2 49	r
r 11 12	a[illegible]c	11 32		2 45	cba	3 06	r
r 12 12	abc	12 32		3 28	cba	3 49	r
r 1 12	abc	1 32		3 45	cba	4 06	r
r 1 42	abc	2 02		4 28	cba	4 49	r
r 2 12	abc	2 32		4 50	edcba	5 16	r
r 3 12	abc	3 32		5 10	dba	5 36	r
r 3 42	abc	4 02		5 26	a	5 45	r
r 4 12	abc	4 32		5 28	cba	5 49	r
4 59	Exp.	5 15		5 45	dba	6 06	r
r [illegible] 12	abc	[illegible] 32		5 46	ihgfdcba	6 15	
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57		5 58	cba	6 19	r
r 6 12	abc	6 32		6 15	da	6 36	r
r 6 42	abc	7 02		6 28	cba	6 49	r
6 59	Exp.	7 15		6 58	cba	7 19	r
r 7 12	abc	[illegible] 32		7 28	cba	7 49	r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07		8 28	fedcba	8 58	r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32		9 28	cba	9 49	r
r 8 12	abc	9 32		10 28	fedcba	10 53	r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02		10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19	r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32		11 28	cba	11 49	r
r 11 12	abc	11 32					

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 43	Exp.	9 00
9 00	Exp.	9 15	9 28	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
10 18	Exp.	10 33	10 25	fedcba	10 55 r
r 10 22	abcdefghi	10 50			

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston, b Norfolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, f Harrison Square, g Savin Hill, h Crescent Avenue, i South Boston, r Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.46 6.16 6.46 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—6.16 8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6.21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 7.21 9.21 P. M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A. M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P. M.

Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

Corrected to Nov. 20th, 1903.

(Subject to change without notice.)

LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M, 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brockville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.01 A M. 12.01 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.00, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.35, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 8.10 A M then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M. then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON 7.15, 7.45 A M. then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

J. T. CONWAY, Division Supt
H. E. REYNOLDS, Asst. Gen. Supt.
Quincy, Mass., Nov. 20, 1903.

Insured for $2,000,000

L. Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, the eminent merchant of New York and Philadelphia, has taken out a policy in

The Prudential Insurance Co.

for $1,000,000, paying an annual premium of over $30,000. This makes him the most heavily insured man in the world, with the single exception of King Edward VII.

Mr. Wanamaker's total insurance is now $2,000,000.

Ask yourself WHY Mr. Wanamaker placed one-half this great amount with The Prudential.

Your business judgment will at once reply: "Because after full investigation and comparison, Mr. Wanamaker found that the company which could give him the best insurance for a given amount of money was The Prudential."

Undoubtedly you will agree that Mr. Wanamaker does not pay over $30,000 per year except for most excellent reasons.

These reasons apply to YOU precisely as well as they do to HIM.

Better apply TODAY for information regarding Prudential policies to

FRANK CHESTER MANN,
General Agent for Eastern Massachusetts
209 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.

HENRY O. FAIRBANKS,
Aug. 27-eod-1y Special Agent.

Quincy Daily Ledger

ESTABLISHED IN 1889.

THE ONLY DAILY in Norfolk County, Massachusetts.

Published Every Evening, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, At No. 1424 HANCOCK ST., City of Quincy, Mass., by

GEORGE W. PRESCOTT & SON.

Subscription Price, $6.00 per year.

☞ A discount of $1 when paid one year in advance.

Copy for changes of advertisements in the Ledger should be in the office on the afternoon previous to publication to guarantee insertion.

TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Night Phone: 75-2 at residence of George T. Magee.

ALSO PUBLISHERS OF

The Quincy Patriot.

A Weekly Established in 1837, which has the Largest Circulation in Norfolk County, and the

Braintree Observer and Reporter

A Weekly Established in 1878.

GOOD AFTERNOON.

There are still in dear old Massachusetts strong sentimental ties and reverence for things of colonial and revolutionary times. Now that subscriptions have been asked for the preservation of that old historic landmark, the Dorothy Q. house in our city, we believe that a fund will be rapidly accumulated. People outside of Quincy are interested in the old house and its unique history, and some have already subscribed toward the fund. The Daughters of the Revolution found it too great an undertaking for them to assume as a society, but they and other patriotic organizations will give the present movement encouragement.

It is odd that there is no large club of women in a city of the size of Quincy. One could hardly call it a place of clubs as very few exist and those have a membership of less than twenty. The Cantabrigia of Cambridge; the Heptorean of Somerville; the Monday of Weymouth and those of surrounding towns are being constantly heard from, and have done much to advance the social interests of their towns.

Why not have a woman's club in Quincy? Have it large enough to meet in a hall instead of at the homes of members. We know of no better place than Colonial hall, which is central and pleasant.

Instead of the members preparing papers why not bring in outside speakers, thereby introducing new thoughts and an enterchange of ideas? Current event afternoons, musical afternoons, lectures on art and travel, gentlemen's night, etc., would make up a varied program for a season's entertainment.

Perhaps it is too late to consider it for this season but next fall if an early start is made there is no reason why Quincy should not have as flourishing a woman's club as any in the state.

Supt. Low.

Ivers M. Low, formerly of Quincy, seems to be appreciated at Weymouth. The Gazette says: "A town official who has been leading a rather strenuous life for the past six weeks is Supt. Low of the street and water department. The unusually heavy snow falls and the extreme cold weather of the present month have greatly increased the work of both of the departments of which he is the head. Weymouth's streets have been in good condition all through the winter and Supt. Low deserves much credit for it. The manner in which he has handled the duties connected with his joint office is worthy of commendation and the people of the town are to be congratulated upon the fact that a man of Supt. Low's efficiency is in charge of two of the town's most important offices."

Proposed Legislation.

In the Senate yesterday Senator Lane of Boston introduced a bill to provide that there shall be a weekly fire drill in the public schools of every city and town of over 10,000 inhabitants.

The House received the petition of John F. Brant to prevent towns or cities which vote for license from locating saloons within a quarter of a mile of the boundary of an adjacent no-license municipality.

John P. Prichard Ill.

John P. Prichard, street commissoner in Somerville, is seriously ill with a bronchial trouble. Dr. T. M. Durell is attending him. A successor to his office was recently nominated but not confirmed Mr. Prichard was formerly commissoner of public works at Quincy.

—One of the most curious plants in the world is the toothbrush plant, a species of creeper which grows in Jamaica. By cutting a piece of the stem and fraying the ends the natives make a toothbrush, and a dentifrice to use with it is prepared by pulverizing the dead stems.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

☞ Eyeglasses fitted scientifically. No guess work.—Williams.

THIRTY STREETS

Included in the Street Watering Order.

Seventeen, However, Only in Part.

Petitions Expected to Include Additional Streets.

The annual street watering order which was introduced into the City Council last Monday night provides for the watering of certain streets between April 15 and Nov. 1.

The streets named in the order are indentical with the order of last year. The amount named in the order this year is $7,000 half of which is to be assessed upon the abutters. The amount appropriated last year was $6,800.

Following are the streets named in the order to be watered:

Washington street.
Adams from Hancock to Milton line.
Chestnut from Hancock to Revere road.
Foster street.
Temple street.
Granite from Hancock to Water.
Hancock street.
School from Hancock to Granite.
Franklin from School to Independence avenue.
Independence avenue from Franklin to Federal avenue.
Copeland from Brewers corner to Willard.
Elm street.
Water from Franklin to Copeland.
Crescent street.
Willard from West Quincy depot to Milton line.
Quincy avenue from Elm to Scammell.
Newport avenue from Warren avenue to Brook street.
Brook from Newport avenue to Highland avenue.
Beach from Hancock to Mason.
Farrington between Beale and North Central avenue.
Coddington from Washington to Valley.
Sea from Valley to property line of Adams estate.
Beale street.
Safford between Brook and Elmwood avenue.
Sagamore from Hancock to Newbury avenue.
Newbury avenue from Sagamore to Billings.
Billings from Newbury avenue to Squantum.
Squantum from Billings to Atlantic.
South from Washington to East Howard.
East Howard from South to Des Moines road.

There was dissatisfaction at Quincy Neck last year because of the curtailment of the order which dropped the greater part of East Howard street, and it is said there will be an effort to have the watering extended to Newcomb square.

There is also a desire on the part of the residents of Revere road, Bigelow street and Miller Stile road that their streets shall be included in the order.

Houghs Neck residents are anxious that the whole of Sea street shall be watered especially during July and August.

Merrymount Team Won.

An interesting match took place on alleys of the Merrymount club last night when Capt. Wm. Kirkwood's team from the Glendon club of Everett rolled against Capt. Horace Kirkwood's team of the Merrymount club. The home team won two out of three strings. Nash was high man with a single of 123 and a total of 294.

GLENDONS.

	1	2	3	Total.
Gordon,	80	78	77	235
Beake,	75	81	92	248
W. Kirkwood,	79	90	97	266
Fisher,	71	80	89	240
Smith,	82	82	80	244
Totals,	387	411	435	1233

MERRYMOUNTS.

	1	2	3	Total.
C. H. Baker,	118	71	87	276
Oxner,	83	94	96	273
W. Baker,	65	76	85	226
H. Kirkwood,	75	70	75	220
Nash,	85	86	123	294
Totals,	426	397	466	1289

Sudden Death.

Word was received in Quincy, yesterday, of the death at Williamstown that morning of Thomas F. Gilraine of Quincy, who was found dead in bed. Mr. Gilraine, who was 34 years of age and unmarried, was a stone cutter and had been employed a short time at Williamstown. His home was on Quarry place. He was formerly a member of Hook and Ladder No. 2, and the Firemen's Relief association.

PIPE CONTRACT.

The Lowest Obtained by the City Since 1898.

Bids were opened by Commissioner Knowlton at City Hall yesterday for furnishing the city with water pipe. Bids were received from seven different firms as follows:

	Sizes.	Price per Ton
Lynchburg Foundry Co.,	6 inch,	$24.70
J. K. Dimmock Co.,	6 to 16	25 80
Warren Foundry Co.,	all sizes,	24.20
M. J. Drummond,	6	25.00
M. J. Drummohd,	8—12—16	24.00
United States Co.,	6—8	24 90
United States Co.,	12—16	23.90
R. D. Wood & Co.,	6—8	25.40
R. D. Wood & Co.,	12—16	23.90
John Fox,	6	25.00
John Fox,	8	24.80
John Fox,	12—16	24.40

The contract was awarded to the Warren Foundry Co. for $24.20 per ton of 2000 pounds, all sizes. The pipe to be purchased will amount to $7,260. In addition to this from $1,500 to $2000 will be required for fittings.

The price at which the city will purchase its pipes this year is the lowest since 1898.

The prices paid by the city for pipe since 1898 are as follows:

	Size.	Price per Ton.
1898,	4	$20.90
1898,	6—8—10	19.90
1899,	all sizes,	28.15
1900,	"	26.70
1901,	"	24.35
1902,	"	25 80
1903,	4	33.25
1903,	6	32.25
1903,	10	31.75
1904,	all sizes,	24.20

The Copley Portraits.

Mr. George R. White has recently lent to the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston, for the winter, the higly attractive and remarkably preserved example of the later work of Copley, which may be found on the south wall of the Allston room. The picture has been placed among others of various dates by the same painter in the belief that the development of the artist's temperament and execution, agreeably shown by all of them, is in this example quite remarkably pointed. When the admirable tonality, graceful and even romantic execution and charming color have been enjoyed, it will doubtless be of added interest to note the early form of the artist's expression in the Colonial Sparhawk, the Mrs. Hancock and the Mrs. Skinner; the later work of the English period in the rapid and trenchant Mrs. Startin—apparently much affected by Sir Joshua Reynold's work—then the still later manner of the present portrait of Miss Hill, daughter of the Viscount Hill; finally, the latest of all, the somewhat elaborate John Quincy Adams of 1795. In painting Miss Hill, Copley seems to have owed to Gainsborough the mood of flowing line and languid drawing, the shaken self-possession manifest in this nevertheless charming work.—Bulletin.

Good Place To Trade.

One of the best places in Quincy and, as far as we know, in Norfolk County, to buy good shoes at reasonable prices is at the store of George W. Jones in City Square. Mr. Jones has had great experience, in fact he has been in the business all his life, and he knows a good shoe when he sees it. His knowledge he gives to his customers freely, and what he tells them they can rely on. He will sell them an excellent shoe at a less price than they will have to pay or the same in Boston. His rent and other expenses are so much less he can afford to do it. As he intends to do business in Quincy, year in and year out, he does not take an advantage of a customer who may not be well posted, as he wants his trade another time, and is very apt to get it.

Funeral of J. S. Baxter.

The funeral of Mr. James S. Baxter was held yesterday afternoon from his late residence on Pleasant street. The services were very largely attended. They were conducted by Rev. Edwin N. Hardy of Bethany church assisted by Rev. Edward Norton. During the services Miss Grace Isaac and Mrs. Edith Fitts sang "Peace, Peace, Sweet Peace," "Jesus calls us o'er the tumult," and "In the Sweet By and Bye." The burial was at Mt. Wollaston.

In Supreme Court.

The case was argued on Friday in the supreme judical court of John R. Graham vs. Joseph Middleby, Jr. et al. Question is whether defendants are liable to the payment of $6000 under a bond guaranteeing a contract of the Hateh Storage Battery Company with Graham to put in a storage battery, the suit being brought for the Quincy & Boston Street Railway Company. In the superior court there was a verdict for plaintiff Z. S. Arnold; A. M. Lyman.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to efund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Nov. 2. 6mos.

CITY BREVITIES.

Today will pass for a pleasant Saturday.

Rev. E. F. Eaton of Medford will preach at the Universalist church on Sunday afternoon at 2.30.

The will of Charles N. Deshayes late of Quincy was allowed at probate court this week, and Louis Benier appointed executor.

The young ladies of First church are preparing for a sale and supper, sometime in April, for the benefit of the organ fund.

Officer Broberg has the sympathy of his many friends in the loss of his 7-year old son who died yesterday at the Childrens Hospital, Boston.

India will be illustrated by 75 stereopticon views at the Sunday evening service at Wollaston Congregational church in the series on present day problems.

Division 18, A. O. H. held a whist party last evening at French's hall. Twelve tables were in play. Prizes were awarded to Jeremiah Kelliher and Miss Catherine Donovan. The consolation prize was awarded to Phillip Cook. Refreshments were served.

There was a large attendance of the ladies of the Hospital Aid association, at the home of Mrs. George S. Keyes, Alleyne terrace, on Thursday afternoon. It is hoped later on to have a fair or give an entertainment in aid of the Hospital.

The annual meeting of the Bethany Mothers' Meeting will be held Wednesday, Feb. 3, at three o'clock: New articles for the Mothers' Magazine will be read by Mrs. John Hunt, Mrs. John McKnight and Mrs. F. P. Horton. Miss Mila Bates will sing. There will be election of officers, and a large attendance is desired.

Braintree Rebekahs.

The officers of Amana Rebekah lodge No. 96 were installed Thursday evening by Special Deputy, Mrs. Annie E. Sawyer of South Boston. Several visitors were present from neighboring lodges and a very pleasant and social evening was enjoyed. Refreshments were served.

The officers installed were;
Noble Grand, Eliza H. Hobart
Vice Grand, Mina E. Woodsom
Recording Secretary, William Bates
Financial Secretary, Jennie A. Holbrook
Treasurer, Margaret McGibbon
Conductor, Annie Orcutt
Warden, Mary L. Sampson
Outside Guard, Charles A. Hobart
Inside Guard, M. Florence Litchfield.
R. S. N. G., Margaret Carmichael
L. S. N. G., Sarah L. French
R. S. V. G., Lizzie W. Page
L. S. V. G., Sarah J. Crosby
Chaplain, Christiana Dyke

P. N. G. Jennie McGibbon was presented with a handsome Past Noble Grand's collar.

Funeral of Mrs. Feltis.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary A., wife of Mr. Horace A. Feltis, was held yesterday from her late residence on Mechanic street. The services were conducted by Rev. Edwin N. Hardy. One of the most impressive parts of the service was the singing by Mrs. E. F. Keene of Whitman, accompanied by an autoharp. She sang "He's the One," "Parted Hands Shall Clasp Again," and "Some Sweet Day." The burial was at Mt. Wollaston.

Pilot Commissioners.

Representative Freeman of Quincy, shipowner and broker, introduced a bill to take away from the Boston Marine society one of its exclusive powers—the appointment of the pilot commissioners. The bill provides that one commissioner shall be chosen by the directors of the chamber of commerce, and one by the trustees of the Marine society. The bill is attracting much attention along the water front.

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you, in 6 to 14 days. 50 cents.

van Houten's Cocoa

A perfect beverage—rich in nitrogenous elements.

Best & Goes Farthest

PARLOR FURNITURE.

The parlor is usually the best furnished room in the house. It is in this room you receive and entertain your friends, and a well planned and well furnished parlor adds much to the pleasure of living.

We have hundreds of delightful combinations of furniture for parlor furnishing. Dainty Sets of 3 or 5 pieces. Turkish Sets that are luxurious and restful. Odd piece Sets with Fancy Chairs and Rockers, and an endless assortment of Odd Chairs and Rockers in the newest shapes.

We have the Carpets, Rugs, Draperies, Tables, Bric-a-brac, Cabinets and Pictures.

PARLORS FURNISHED FROM $25.00 to $150.00.

Cash or Credit. Green Trading Stamps on all cash purchases.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.

New England's Lowest Priced Furniture Store.

Hancock Street, Quincy.

We keep open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

THE VERY BEST

VERMONT BUTTER,

25 cts. per lb. 5 lb. box $1.25.

BEST ELGIN BUTTER, 23 cts. per lb

5 lb. box, $1.10.

Meadowbrook Creamery,

1399 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass.

SAVE THIS COUPON . .

DAILY LEDGER PREMIUM.

SOLID GOLD FOUNTAIN PEN.

For TWO of these coupons and SIXTY-NINE CENTS we will furnish for a time LEDGER readers with a SOLID GOLD, fully warranted Fountain Pen, Polished barrel, rubber cap screw section, beautiful delivery, worth $2. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Present coupons at McCONNELL'S FRUIT STORE, 1414 Hancock St. Quincy, or

Hiram A. Hayden, Agent, 118 Washington St., Quincy.

Mail Orders Promptly Attended to. We Pay Postage.

If You Have a House to Let

Advertise It in the Ledger.

You Had Better Write Down

TELEPHONE No. 114-4.

AND CALL UP

The Hancock Fish Market,

Formerly C. H. BROOK'S Market,

Cor. Saville and Hancock Streets.

Everything of the Very Best. Fish orders taken and delivered by the

CONSOLIDATED GROCERY & PROVISION CO.,

PROPRIETORS,

Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

ten's Cocoa

age—rich
elements.

Farthest

he best furnished room
s room you receive and
nd a well planned and
s much to the pleasure

lightful combinations of
lishing. Dainty Sets of
Sets that are luxurious
Sets with Fancy Chairs
ess assortment of Odd
newest shapes.
Rugs, Draperies, Tables,
Pictures.
25 00 to $150.00.
ps on all cash purchases.

IDE & CO.
Furniture Store.
Quincy.
Saturday Evenings.

BEST
BUTTER,
5 lb. box $1.25.
23 cts. per lb.
1.10.
Creamery,
Quincy, Mass.

EDGER PREMIUM.
TAIN PEN.
NTS we will furnish for a time
d Fountain Pen, Polished barrel,
$2. Satisfaction guaranteed.
. 1414 Hancock St. Quincy, or
ashington St., Quincy.
We Pay Postage.

o Let

in the Ledger.

Down
4.

Market,
t,
delivered by the

N CO.,
ss.

DO YOU SHAVE YOURSELF?

If you don't you should, as it is a pleasure if you use "EASY-SHAVE," the new lather. No smarting or burning. "EASY-SHAVE" makes thick, creamy lather, softens the beard, soothes and heals the skin. At Druggists, 15c. Try it today.

ORDER YOUR
GROCERIES
FROM US.
Best Goods at Right Prices.
NO SCHEMES. NO STAMPS.
Full value for your money.

THIS IS THE SEASON FOR
CANNED GOODS.

3 Cans	Fancy Tomatoes,	25 cts
3 "	" Peas,	25 cts
2 "	" Squash,	22 cts
3 "	" Wax Beans,	25 cts
2 "	" Egg Plums,	25 c's
2 "	" Yellow Peaches,	25 cts
Gallon Apples,		25 cts. each.

Other grades and other prices.
The largest assortment in Quincy.

L. M. PRATT & SON.
Dealers in good things to eat.

Don't Forget
The Bargains
—IN—
MEN'S and BOYS' GOODS
—AT—
The C. L. DERBY STAND.
EVERYTHING AT
BANKRUPT PRICES.
Savings Bank Block,
QUINCY.

THOMAS F. McGOWAN,
PIANO TUNER.
TONE AND ACTION REGULATOR.
37 Crescent Street, West Quincy.
Graduate of Chickering & Sons, Boston.
Telephone 204-4. Jan. 29-1m

DANCING.
COLISEUM HALL, QUINCY.
BASKET BALL
AND DANCING
THURSDAY EVENINGS.
Class for Children, Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10.
Assemblies every Saturday night.
Class for Adults Tuesday Evenings.

Private Lessons or Classes formed by Appointment.

TERMS.
10 Lessons, Gents $4, Ladies $3, Children, $2. Season Tickets, good for all Public Classes and Dances, Sunlights and Annual Events from Oct. 1, 1903, to June 1, 1904, Gents $10, Ladies $5, Children $5. A discount of 50 cents to all former pupils and for clubs of 10 or more.

MUSIC.
William Wilson will furnish music for all of the Classes, and Baker's Coliseum Orchestra of 7 pieces will play at the Saturday Night assemblies and at all large parties.

HALL.
The hall is the largest in this vicinity and is to let for Balls, Concerts or Fairs. You will find Wm. G. Shaw, the former occupant, in his elegant new store in City Square, with a full line of new Household Furnishings.
For further particulars apply to ELMER W. BAKER, teacher of Ball Room Dancing, Coliseum, Quincy, Mass. Sept. 22—6m lpo

The Quincy Ledger
FOR SALE AT THE
South Terminal Station News Stand
After 3.35 P.M.

SOCIAL REALM.

(Continued from page 1.)

Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Burrell, both born at North Weymouth, observed their golden wedding yesterday at their home on Athens street that village, entertaining from 3 to 5 and from 7 to 10 P. M. They were assisted by Mrs. A. J. Sidelinger, Mrs. John Cushing, Mrs. Harry Bates, Mrs. G. L. Newton and Miss Lillie Curtis. Mr. Burrell is 77 years of age and Mrs. Burrell in her 74th year. For over fifty years Mr. Burrell has worked in the Torrey shoe shop.

* * *

Mrs. S. E. Stoddard of Braintree announces the engagement of her daughter, Edith Maude, to Frank Harrison Walker of Kennebunkport, Maine.

* * *

Miss Christine Bumpus, of Goffe street, left last week for the South to join Mrs. Bumpus, who has been away several weeks.

* * *

Miss Chittenton who has been a recent guest at the home of Prof. and Mrs. John D. Buckingham of Goffe street, left on Tuesday for her home, in New Haven.

* * *

Mrs. Charles Field of Pleasant street, has returned from Pawtucket, R. I., after spending a pleasant visit of three weeks with relatives and friends.

* * *

Representative and Mrs. Charles Amos Andrews and baby of Holyoke, are spending the winter at Wollaston, so that Mr. Andrews may be nearer his duties at the State House. The friends of Mrs. Andrews (Nellie Slade) are very glad to have her among them again even if for only a few months.

* * *

The Washington Whist club met with Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Loring, at Braintree, Thursday evening. The first ladies' prize was won by Miss Conant and second by Mrs. Edwards; first gentlemen's Mr. Edwards won and the second, Mr. Loring.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. Howard P. Elwell of Quincy Point sailed this week for Europe, where Mr. Elwell goes for business combined with pleasure. Mr. Elwell recently resigned his position at the Fore River Ship and Engine Company.

* * *

Mr. Edwin Bartlett Pratt, sails from New York the first of next week for the Mediterranean.

* * *

Mrs. Esther F. Boland is to read a paper on "Woman's Responsibility to the state," at the meeting of the Monday club of Weymouth, at the regular meeting on February first. Following the paper the annual club social will be held.

* * *

Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Stover of Braintree attended a meeting of ministers and their wives at the Blaney Memorial church at Dorchester Wednesday afternoon and evening. The banquet was an important feature of the meeting.

* * *

Mr. James H. Stetson of School street is recovering from the severe cold which has confined him to the house the past week.

* * *

The Plauderie club has the honor of giving the first large leap year party of the year and their dance on Wednesday evening at Quincy Music hall was a great social success. The matrons were: Mrs. Francis T. Mackedon, Mrs. Alfred W. Goodhue and Mrs. Daniel J. Deasy.

* * *

Mrs. John A. Barbour of Wollaston, was one of the matrons, at the Cochato club ball, at Braintree, on Tuesday evening. Although a stormy night the club members from Quincy were all in attendance and it was as usual the event of the season in the social life of the club.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. Lysander S. Richards of Marshfield are in Boston for the rest of the winter having apartments on Montgomery Street.

* * *

The course of entertainments and dances by the First Church Social club, is half over, the dance at Faxon hall last evening being the third in the series. Members are now anticipating the dramatics which are to be given in the chapel on February twelfth, by local talent.

* * *

The Rev. Edwin N. Hardy and Dr. C. T. Sherman were the delegates from Bethany church to the annual meeting and banquet of the Congregational Church Union at the Old South church, Boston, on Tuesday evening.

* * *

Mr. Frank Smith and Miss Elizabeth Maty, both of East Braintree, were married on Wednesday evening. They are to make their future home in Stoughton.

Miss Marguerite Hatch daughter of Col. Oscar C. Hatch of Littleton, and her friend, Miss Helen Cummings, daughter of Supt. G. E. Cummings of Woodsville, both pupils of the Quincy Mansion school at Wollaston, Mass., have been passing a few days in Littleton. They came up for the ball in the Governor's party, traveling from Boston in a special car.—Manchester Union.

* * *

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon M. Keating, nee Ripley, of Braintree, formerly of Quincy, are receiving congratulations; a baby boy arrived at their home on Tuesday the twenty-sixth.

* * *

The afternoon whist club met with Mrs. W. A. Torrey of South Braintree Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. O. A. Bridgham and Mrs. L. W. Thayer won the prizes.

* * *

Mr. Elmer Alexander of South Weymouth and Miss Louise Rand of Weymouth who were married on Wednesday evening, are to reside at Elmwood Park, East Braintree.

* * *

Mr. Brooks Keyes entertained the Musical club on Thursday evening.

Mattie—Smith.

Wednesday evening Jan. 27th at 6 P. M. Miss Elizabeth J. Mattee of Braintree was united in marriage to Mr. Frank Luscomb Smith of Salem, at the parsonage by Rev. J. B. Holland. The bride was charmingly gowned in white nun's veiling over white silk, cut en train and trimmed with lace and chiffon, the tulle veil being caught with lilies of the valley.

She was attended by her sister, Miss Mary S. Mattie, who was handsomely gowned in white silk muslin over blue silk. Little Miss Emily Landry, a cousin of the bride made a dainty little maid of honor dressed in white muslin and carrying the bridal bouquet of white pinks. The best man was Mr. Morton Capen of Stoughton.

About one hundred friends and relatives assembled at the home of the bride on Union street, where a brilliant reception was held from 7 to 10 o'clock, when the newly married couple started on their wedding journey, amid showers of good wishes, rice and the usual wedding accessories. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were the recipients of many tokens of esteem from their large circle of friends, and will be at home to friends after Feb. 25th in Stoughton, corner of Seaver and Capen streets, where they will reside.

Fiftieth Anniversary Service.

The First Baptist church of Weymouth, Rev. Frank B. Cressey, pastor, was organized Feb. 7, 1854 and on Sunday and Monday Feb. 7 and 8, are to observe their fiftieth anniversary. At the 10.30 A. M. service on Sunday there will be special music and an historical sermon by the pastor. At 2.45 P. M. there is to be an interdenominational meeting when pastors from other Weymouth churches will assist. Mr. Arthur Raymond will preside at the organ and have charge of the music; the soloist being Mrs. George W. Baker of East Weymouth.

The meeting on Monday at 4 o'clock will be in the form of a reunion with roll call, followed by a supper at 7 and an evening service, with orchestral music, solo and chorus singing. The Monday meeting is intended for the church people and the Sunday one for the public and it is hoped there will be a large gathering.

Lewis E. Tilden.

Mr. Lewis E. Tilden, the well known musician, passed away at his home on Front street, Weymouth, early Friday morning of pneumonia. Mr. Tilden was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis H. Tilden and has always lived in Weymouth. He was well known in musical circles as an expert pianist and successful instructor.

Music was his life study, his whole being. Early in life he developed a strong inclination for that line of work and began instructing pupils when but a boy, until at the present time he had a large number of pupils in the surrounding towns and cities. The funeral services will be held from his late residence Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

—The New York Central Railroad's new train, "The Louisiana Purchase Limited," will be one of the best equipped and fastest in the world. The new equipment was ordered expressly to handle the World's Fair Traffic.

MARRIED.

MOWATT—REYNOLDS—In Quincy, Jan 28, by Rev. Edwin N. Hardy, Mr. Alexander Mowatt to Miss Agnes S. Reynolds, both of Quincy.

DIED.

BROBERG—In Boston, Jan. 29, Harry, son of Charles A. and Alma W. Broberg, aged 7 years, 6 months, 28 days.
Funeral from Swedish Congregational church, Garfield Street, Sunday, Jan. 31, at 2.30 P M. Relatives and friends invited.

GILRAINE—In Williamstown, Jan. 28, Mr. Thomas F. Gilraine of Quincy, aged 34 years.

KING—In Waltham, Jan. 21, Edgar Stanley King, son of Edgar A. King of Wollaston, aged 25 years.

TILDEN—In Weymouth, Jan. 29, Mr. Lewis Elsworth Tilden, aged 40 years, 7 months and 11 days.

BRAINTREE.

The members of St. Francis church are anxious to build a larger church than they now worship in and are looking for a choice lot to build upon. Considerable money will therefore have to be raised and the parishioners are becoming quite active. Next Tuesday evening in the Town hall the first annual reunion and coffee party in aid of the church will be held. Cuff's orchestra will give a concert from eight to nine followed by dancing until two o'clock. The floor will be in charge of James Levangie assisted by members of the church. The affair will be a social and financial success for a large number of tickets have been sold.

The Braintree republican town committee met Thursday evening and re-elected the following officers: Henry M. Storm, chairman; Plumer C. Spring, secretary; Charles G. Sheppard, treasurer. The political pot will soon begin to boil.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Freeman of Boscobel street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a little son, born Saturday, January 23, at Everett.

Puritan lodge I. O. O. F. held its regular meeting Tuesday evening the second degree was worked on one candidate. Next week the third degree will be worked.

The second grand fair under the auspices of Antietam Camp 32, S. of V. was opened in the Town hall, Tuesday evening. After a few remarks by Com. Percy W. Holbrook of the camp, Com. Marstin of Gen. Sylvanus Thayer Post 87, G. A. R., formally opened the fair.

The English classes of Thayer Academy are to attend the drama, "The Merchant of Venice," next Saturday afternoon.

The boys' basket ball team of Thayer Academy play Weymouth High boys at White gymnasium this afternoon.

GOODHUE WANTED.

Business Men Petition Mayor to Keep Him in City Square.

A petition signed by the business men in general in City Square asking that Officer Goodhue be retained nights in City Square, has been forwarded to Mayor Bryant.

Rand—Alexander.

Wednesday evening, Jan. 27, the marriage of Miss Louise E. Rand, daughter of Mrs. Louise O. and the late George T. Rand of Braintree to Mr. Elmer M. Alexander of South Weymouth was solemnized at the parsonage, Rev. J. B. Holland officiating.

Owing to the recent death of the bride's grandfather, Mr. Dorick White, the reception which followed was attended only by the immediate relatives.

Mr. Fred M. Hawes was best man and Miss Minnie White of Weymouth attended the bride. The ushers were George M. Rand, brother of the bride, and William F. Hodges of Weymouth Heights.

The bride looked charming in white muslin over silk, while the bridesmaid was dainty in pink muslin. The reception was held at their new home in Elmwood Park where they will be pleased to receive their friends after April 1.

It is Worth Dollars.

Many of our citizens, particularly the ladies, are troubled very often with a sick headache. They will suffer pain for hours when it can be easily helped. Why is it? Can any one tell? Isn't it from thoughtlessness; for they can get at C. C. Hearn's in Quincy, for a few cents, a powder that is a sure cure. Hundreds have tried it and are thankful for the ease it has given. Mr. Hearn's "Head-Ease" will cure neuralgia and sleeplessness, but for headache it is marvelous.

Into Commission.

Orders have been received at Charlestown from the Navy department to put the cruiser Des Moines, built by the Fore River Company, into commission March 1, when she will be ready for sea. She will be in command of Commander Alexander McCracken.

Peptiron Pills
(Chocolate-coated)
For Men, Women and Children
Combine the greatest of tonics with the best of nervines, nutrients and digestives for the radical and permanent cure of

Nervousness,	Dyspepsia,
Paleness,	Emaciation,
Neuralgia,	Sleeplessness,
Loss of Vitality,	
Exhaustion,	

effects of overwork, overstudy, close confinement indoors, and all excesses.
Unequaled for building up the nervous and digestive systems.
Peptiron Pills, (chocolate-coated,) 50c. or $1—the latter a full month's treatment. Prepared by C. I. HOOD CO., Lowell, Mass.
Selling Agent in Quincy:
E. J. Murphy, 1657 Hancock St.

THE PEPPERMINT STICK.

Some Words of Praise For the Candy of Our Daddies.

The old style stick candy has red stripes running around it in spiral form. The body of the stick is white. It is slightly flavored with peppermint. It is very sweet and wholesome. Good enough for a king! So cheap that the poorest may have it. Six sticks for 5 cents. Enough to last a family of six two days. Break a stick in two in the middle, eat half of it after dinner or after supper if preferred. That is enough candy for one day. It is good for children. Keep it in the house. Away up in the pantry where the children can't help themselves. After dinner is over take it down, break a stick in two and pass it around. The children will like it immensely. They will like it all the better for not being able to get too much of it. Never let them have all they want of it. A half stick is enough, although a whole stick might be allowed occasionally. All the fancy stuff put up in boxes that cost a dollar or more cannot equal the old fashioned stick candy. Six sticks of it contain more solid comfort and more nutrition than a wagon load of caramels and painted bonbons. It is the candy of our forefathers. Our grandmothers used to eat it. Accept no other. Be sure that you get the proper trademark—red stripes running spirally round the stick. Beware of substitutes.—Medical Talk.

THE WILD BIRD.

When the Naturalist Gets a Chance to Study Him at Close Range.

For the greater part of the year fear is the dominant instinct in the life of nearly every wild bird or mammal which has to contend with man or overt enemies of any kind. But with the periodic revival of the reproductive functions profound changes occur not only in the bodily parts, but in the instincts which govern their movements and life. The parental instincts, which are essential to the generation and successful rearing of the young, begin to assert themselves and by blocking or supplanting the sense of fear hold them to the focal point—the nest and later the young—during the period when parental care and even parental sacrifice is necessary.

This wonderful parental instinct, or series of instincts, rises gradually like a fever, reaches a maximum and then as slowly subsides. When at its height every sense seems to be lost in an all absorbing passion. This is the time to approach the wild bird. We can watch and record with pencil and camera every act which occurs at the nest. We can approach as near as we please and by aid of the tent are enabled to analyze in detail the behavior of the same birds for a period of from one to three weeks.—Professor Francis H. Herrick in Harper's Weekly.

A GREWSOME MESS.

Mrs. Wolfe's Recipe For a Good Water For Consumption.

Mrs. Wolfe, the mother of the great general, kept a comprehensive cookery book, still preserved at Squerries Court, Kent. One of her recipes was for "a good water for consumption." "Take a peck of garden snails," says the prescription, "wash them in beer, put them in an oven and let them stay till they've done crying; then with a knife and fork pick the green from them and beat the snails, shells and all, in a stone mortar; then take a quart of green earthworms, slice them through the middle and straw them with salt, then wash them and beat them, the pot being first put into the still with two handfuls of angelico, a quart of rosemary flowers, then the snails and worms, then egrimony, bear's feet, reddock roots, barberry brake, biloney, wormwood, of each two handfuls; one handful of rue-tumoric and one ounce of saffron well dried and beaten; then pour in three gallons of milk; wait till morning, then put in three ounces of cloves well beaten, hartshorn grated; keep the still covered all night; this done, stir it not; distill it with a moderate fire. The patient must take two spoonfuls at a time."—London Chronicle.

Courage of a Horse.

Horses painfully contend on the race track for victory out of their own native courage and ambition—not under punishment, for, as a rule, the courageous horse will "stop" or "shut up," as the technical phrase is, when whipped or spurred at the finish of a race. In California some years ago a running horse broke one of the bones in a foreleg near the close of a heat, perhaps seventy yards from the wire. He faltered for a moment and then, recovering himself by a mighty effort, struggled on and won the heat practically on three legs.—Country Life In America.

No Great Difference.

Bilker—My sakes! Here's a story of a man going to marry a woman he doesn't know! Enpeck—That's nothing. The only difference between him and the others who marry is that this fellow isn't deceived to the point of thinking he knows her. — Baltimore American.

Likely to Do So.

"We had known each other slightly," said Miss Evvy Waite, "but never to speak to until one day while out skating I fell down quite near him, and"—

"Ah, yes," replied Miss Pepprey, "that broke the ice, of course!"—Philadelphia Press.

His C. O. D. Delivery.

"You delivered your speech in a manner that was most timely and effective."

"Yes," answered the political orator; "I had to be particular about the delivery of that speech. It was a C. O. D. transaction."—Washington Star.

CHOIR BOYS'
Fifth Annual Concert
By the combined Boy Choirs of St. Chrysostom's Church, Wollaston, and Christ Church, Quincy,
QUINCY MUSIC HALL,
Tuesday Evening, Feb. 16, 1904,
AT EIGHT O'CLOCK,
For the Choir Boys' Camp.
A Chorus of 70 Singers, assisted by Superior Soloists.
MR. E. LANDIS SNYDER, Director.
Reserved Seats, 50, 35 and 25 cents.
Quincy, Jan. 23. 1-tf-p-2w

Quincy Point Lecture Course
AT THE
Washington Street Cong. Church—1904

Feb. 11. GEO. W. PENNIMAN, Lecture
Plymouth Rock to the Golden Gate. (Illustrated.)
Feb. 24. Mrs. CHARLOTTE ADAMS DUNNE, Recital and Music
March 9. JOSEPH LEE, Lecture
Children's Play.
March 23. Rev. PETER MACQUEEN, Lecture
Servia. (Illustrated.)
April 6. Rev. WILLIAM HYDE. Lecture
The Lost Ten Tribes of Israel.

Course Tickets, $1.00
Single Admission, 25 cents
Children, 15 cents
Doors open at 7.30 P. M. Lecture at 8 P. M.
Jan. 16. 6t--16-23-30-6-8-9

JOHN MAHON,
Teacher of Piano and Organ.
Organist at St. Mary's Church.
375 Franklin Street, Quincy.
Jan. 23. 1m

CORRECT PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.

FRANK A. LOCKE
Tuner in Quincy 25 y.
Recommendations from manufacturers, dealers, teachers, colleges and the musical profession.
Pianos selected for persons about to buy and $25 to $75 saved.
Offices—Quincy—Linscott's Store and Carlson's. Wollaston—Nash's Real Estate. Atlantic—Branscheid & Marten's store.
Boston Office, 54 Bromfield St.
Telephone at office and residence.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 28th, 1904. The Committee on Towns will give a hearing to parties interested in Bill (House, No. 152) to provide for pensioning police and firemen, at room No. 426, State House, on Thursday, Feb. 4th, at 11 o'clock, A. M. GEORGE N GOFF, Chairman. ALFRED M. CHAFFEE, Clerk of the Committee. 30-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 8, 1904. The Committee on Banks and Banking will give a hearing to parties interested in Senate bill No. 41, being the report of the commission to revise the laws relating to trust companies, and Senate bill No. 1, being that part of the Governor's address relating to trust companies, at room No. 448, State House, on Wednesday, Feb. 3d, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. E. L. OSGOOD, Chairman. DANIEL J. O'BRIEN, Clerk of the Committee. 30-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 29, 1904. The Joint Committee on Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in Senate bill No. 9, with petition of Joseph J. Feely for an amendment of the law relative to inquests; also in Senate bill No. 31, with petition of Charles J. Page, that certain proceedings of the Real Estate and Building Company etc. may be ratified and confirmed; also in House bill, No. 248, for third assistant clerk of courts of Worcester county; and in House bill No. 268, to extend jurisdiction of Lowell police court, at room No. 227, State House on Thursday, Feb. 4th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. WILLIAM F. DANA, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. 30-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 27th, 1904. The Committee on Metropolitan Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 185 (taken from files of last year) on petition of Marcus Cook and others to provide for a greater Boston by allowing Towns and Cities adjoining to be annexed by concurrent vote, at room No. 436, State House, on Wednesday, Feb. 3d, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. ALBION F. BEMIS, Chairman. ALFRED S. HALL, Clerk of the Committee. 29 2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 27, 1904. The Committee on Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in the bill (House No. 193) relative to destroying or injuring personal property; also petition (House No. 228) of George A. Scigliano for further legislation relative to liens for labor performed and material furnished; also petition (House No. 259) of John B. Lowney for legislation to authorize the recovery of indirect damages in actions against counties, cities and towns for personal injuries, at room No. 227, State House, on Wednesday, Feb. 3d, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. A. M. TAFT, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. 29-2t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO all persons interested in the estate of

PELEMAN H. DAVIS,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, Eliab Ramsdell, the administrator with the will annexed of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County, on the tenth day of February, A. D. 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
Jan. 30. 3t--30-6-8

THE LOST SQUAD

By HERMAN WHITAKER

Copyright, 1903, by Herman Whitaker

THE low fog swept through the Golden Gate and over the Coast range, transforming the sunlit vistas of San Francisco bay into a drab inferno in which lost steamers shrieked their despair. Out on Lime point a steam siren bellowed stray coasters to get into the proper channel, and up the harbor the Goat island fog horn wailed dismally to passing ferryboats. Along the water front craft of all kinds, from the ocean liner to the stern wheel river steamer, splashed helplessly, raising a very carnival of noise, while their anxious masters prayed to the harbor gods for a safe landing. After sundown the ferry light engaged in a red struggle with the stifling mist. The cable cars clanked and clattered up Market street, flashing yellow winks through the encircling fog, and the brilliantly lighted saloons extended an electric welcome to shivering pedestrians, competing for public favor with the restaurants, whose clouded windows veiled tempting delicacies from the unlicensed eye.

Bob Halliday, reporter for the Morning Times, turned out of Market street and walked briskly along Montgomery street, praying to all the gods of journalism that something might turn up. He was out on a roving commission, which means that the Times was short of live local news for the next morning's issue and had sent out its "star" man hustling for a thrill to serve up with eggs and toast at San Francisco's breakfast table. As yet Halliday had failed to corner even the ghost of a sensation. Nothing capable of being worked into a "story" had crossed his path that day. Passing Jackson street without even a glance, he struck into the tangle of North Beach and dropped into substation No. 4. A grizzled captain stood at the desk blotting an entry, while from the "tanks" issued the harsh scream of the female drunk whose sins were being written in the book of doom.

The reporter nodded a good evening.

"Anything extra?" he asked.

The captain shook his head with a don't bother air and carefully examined the entry. The reporter stared. He was accustomed to the idiosyncrasies of a hundred different kinds of men, but this particular officer had always been talkative to the extent of boredom. His journalistic nose sniffed the air. Something wrong in the police department evidently—perhaps a scandal! Might be a "scoop" in it for the Morning Times. He stepped outside and peered through the window.

"Old man looks serious," he muttered. "I'd better stay awhile." He walked back into the station. "Think I'll sit down and rest," he said, secretly noting the captain's annoyed look. "Been trotting all day. Besides, something may drop in. Have a cigar?"

"Thanks."

The telephone bell rang sharply. The captain started.

"Nerves," thought the reporter. "Didn't know a policeman was supposed to have any."

The officer stood at the phone with the receiver to his ear. He was trying to look unconcerned, but his brow puckered into a heavy frown.

"Hello!" he answered. "Nothing yet? Well, keep a sharp lookout, Foley, and telephone if you hear anything."

"Water front post," muttered the reporter. "That's promising."

For a weary half hour he held up his end of a conversation, but the captain answered in monosyllables. A long ash hung from his cold cigar, but he still gripped it between his teeth, puffing nervously. Looking up suddenly from the contemplation of the office rules, the journalist caught the officer regarding him stealthily.

"Say!" the captain burst out. "Want a scoop?"

"I'll take one with you."

"Well, if you'll hold back the news till the paper goes to press you can have it all to yourself. But promise if the thing comes out all right you say nothing."

"It's a go."

The captain nodded his satisfaction. The reporter's word was better than his paper's bond, and the officer knew it. He relit his cigar, blew a thick cloud and began to speak.

"Two hours ago," he said, "the night reliefs went out under Sergeant Crossman. He was to post them on his way down, gather in the last man, and—you know the water front beat?"

Halliday signified his knowledge.

"Well, he was to pick up the last man there and raid a sailors' boarding house on his way back. Some shanghailing there last night."

"Some tough places along there," commented the other.

"Two hours ago," continued the captain, looking at his watch, "he posted Foley on that beat. He's not been seen or heard of since. And, what's more, twelve patrolmen have disappeared with him."

"Ph-e-e-e-w!" whistled Halliday. "What's become of 'em?"

"Wish I knew. I don't want to report to the central office while there's a ghost of a show of their turning up. Crossman's a careful officer, with a good record. I'll give him till 12 o'clock."

The two men sat cheek by jowl and smoked heavily all evening. Business was a little slack at the station. A parade uptown had drawn off the floating population, and the captain's lambs were being gathered into other folds. While they waited the reporter told curious tales of the rise of the Four Hundred, but the captain heard them not. His mind was busily tracking thirteen shadowy policemen through forty and one probable catastrophes. When the station clock struck twelve he pulled his feet off the table, rose and stretched himself.

"The story's up to you," he said, "but don't forget to say a word for me."

STRANGE DISAPPEARANCE OF A SQUAD OF POLICE.

SERGEANT AND TWELVE MEN SPIRITED AWAY.

NO TRACE OF THE MISSING MEN.

The front page of the Morning Times created a furore in the cafes and reduced the city editors of four leading dailies to despair. Thirteen stalwart policemen, the pride of San Francisco's police force, of an average weight of 195 pounds, had melted into thin air, and not even a paragraph touching the manner of their going! Scooped utterly!

For the customary nine days the lost squad occupied the public mind to the exclusion of all other matters. The president of a South American republic arrived unheralded and departed unknown, and a passing earthquake had to be content with a scanty paragraph in the dailies. The raided boarding house was gutted completely without yielding a trace of the missing men. The police would have liked to question its proprietor, but he had folded his tent and departed in the night, and the house itself was being remodeled into a saloon. Every conceivable theory was exploited. Innumerable false clews were tracked into the blind alleys whence they had issued, and at length the police acknowledged themselves baffled and gave up the search. San Francisco went its course, eating and drinking, marrying and burying, until the lost squad remained, even in the mind of Halliday, only as a dim memory of a giant scoop.

One fine November day, about a year and a half after, Halliday was crossing from the ferry building to the north side of Market street. A transport from the Philippines had just docked, and his mind was busily engaged in transmitting the news of the voyage into a story. A cable car bore down upon him, but he skipped nimbly away, dodged under the nose of a dray horse and plumped square into the arms of a big man.

"I beg your pardon!" he ejaculated.

"No matter, sorr; no matter."

The voice had a familiar ring. Turning suddenly, he looked right into the man's eyes. A flush deepened the brick red of the fellow's cheek. Facing about, he walked rapidly up Sacramento street.

"Evidently a sailor," thought Halliday. "Sea legs bother him yet." He followed at a safe distance, trying to place the man. Where had he seen him before? Looked something like a policeman he had once known. But that rolling gait? Absurd! Besides, Hennessey had left the force; gone to Oregon! No! That was Devlin! By Jove! Hennessey belonged to the lost squad. Quickening his pace, he overtook the sailor, who was turning down Sansome street.

"By jiminy, it is Hennessey!" he exclaimed. "He's making for North Beach. His folks live that way—or did." Putting on a spurt, he ran alongside the man and clapped him on the shoulder.

"How are you, Hennessey? I didn't know you."

The sailor jumped. "Ye have the advantige av me, sorr," he replied, but his eyes told another tale.

"Rats! Come along, Hennessey, and have something. Where've you been? What's become of the boys? Tell us all about it."

"Who're ye Hinnissyin'?" asked the sailor indignantly. "What maggot's got ye, me lad? Jack Smith's me name."

"Jack Smith may be your name now, but your name was Hennessey last time I saw you. Come, Hennessey," he said persuasively. "You're not in fear of the law. Tell me the story. There's a gold eagle in it for you."

"Twinty dollars?"

"Twenty dollars."

"Ye'll make it twinty-five?"

"All right."

"Hinnissey it is, then. Glad to see ye again, sorr. Ye'll excuse me not knowin' ye, but there's things a man hates worse than bein' pinched by the law."

"Namely?"

"Bein' made a guy av."

They turned into a saloon, and the ex-policeman settled himself comfortably in a corner. "Ah!" A gentle sigh escaped from his lips, and he wiped his mouth with the back of his hand. "The first sthame in nigh on two years. Another? Thank ye, I will. Here's lookin' at ye! An' ye want to hear it from the beginnin'? Phwat was the lasht wurrd ye had av the squad?"

"Sergeant Crossman was to post the reliefs and raid a crimp's den on his way uptown."

"Right. An' may the foul fiend fly away with that same crimp! Ye'll mebbe rimimber, sorr, as I was on the water front beat? Manny's the bit av news ye've got from me there." The reporter nodded.

"Well," filling his pipe, "ye'll have a match on ye? Thanks. As I was sayin', Crossman picked me up last an', accordin' to orders, proceeded to interview that same crimp. We pulls up in the sthreet anint the house, an' Crossman bangs the door wid his club.

"'Come down, ye limb av Sathan!' he roars. Ye'll rimimber the sargint? A divil to swear. 'Come down, Beelzebub,' he says, 'afore I smash the door!'

"'Begone wid ye!' says a cracked voice out av a bedroom windy. 'Ye drhunkin' bastes,' says the voice, 'begone afore I calls the polis!' An' with that a basin av dirhty slops discinded on Crossman's head. Such a hullabaloo! Ye might have heard the sargint for twinty blocks. He near batthered down the door in his rage, an' small blame to him, for he was highly scinted.

"Prisintly a little man, innocent as ye plaze, opens the door. 'Wurroo!' he howls. 'An' was it a noble sargint av the polis the dirty rascals emptied their slops on? Me house is shamed!' he hollers. 'Thim sailor varmints 'll pack this very night,' he says.

"'We'll pack 'em for ye, ould skinflint!' replies Crossman. 'It's to the tanks ye'll go, me lad. Where's thim sailors ye've shamefully shanghaled? Where are they, ye son av Sathan?'

"Thin the old fellow breaks down 'An' ye'll have mercy av an' ould'—

"'Divil!' says the sargint.

"'He'll show ye the min ye're afther,' whines the ould boy.

"'Lead on, Mefifsthoples,' says Cross man, 'an' we'll conshider av yer case. Mebbe we'll be afther lettin' ye off wid twinty years.'

"'Thank ye,' replies the crimp. 'I'll rimimber yer kindness all the days av me life. Wan good turn desarves an other,' says he.

"'Keep the change,' answers Cross man, mighty polite, 'an' show us the min.'

"Could I struggle wid another? I'll try me best. Yer health, sorr! Returnin' to me sthory, the father av sin leads us along a passage mighty dark, wid

"An' ye want to hear it from the beginnin'?"

all manner av thruck lyin' round. We bruk our shins, bumped our heads an' swore magnificent. Thin he throws open a door.

"'Here, noble captain,' he says, 'are the min ye're afther. An' don't be forgittin' yer promise.'

"'Twinty years,' answers Crossman. 'Ye'll get it, me lad.' He turned one av the min wid his fut. 'Come in, bhoys,' he says. 'We'll have to pack 'em out av this.'

"We filed in, an' I was the last inside. The door slammed behint me with a noise av thunder.

"'Phat did ye do that for?' says Crossman, sharp.

"'I didn't,' says I.

"'Ye did,' says he. 'Open the door!'

"'It's glad I'd be to do that same,' I says, 'but there's sarcumstances beyond me conthrol,' says I, 'which prevints. It's locked!' says I. 'Murder! Ye should have heard him swear. He banged the door till it rung.

"'Iron,' he says whin he'd tired av the divarshion. 'Come this way, bhoys. Now, all together!' Well, sorr, a ton av San Francisco polis hit that door wid a bang that would 'a' smashed a football team, but ne'er a quiver.

"'Trapped!' hollers the sargint. 'Hinnissey,' he says, 'I'll have ye discharged.'

"'This minit, sargint,' I answers, 'if it plaze ye.' For I shmelt a quare shmell, sweet an' sickenin', an' I was thinkin' I'd niver see Biddy Hinnissey any more. Wurroo! It was powerful—like forty drug stores, on'y shtronger. Thin me head began to go round an' round.

"'Holy shmoke!' says Crossman. 'Chloroform! May the Lord have mercy on ye, Hinnissey!' Then he keeled over an' lay quiet. The min banged about, gaspin' an' chokin' an' fallin' over one another for awhile. Thin the shtuff got into me lungs, an' I follows the sargint's lead an' shlapes quiet as a babe."

The reporter's pencil raced over his paper. "Have another," he said, "while I catch up."

"Thank ye, I will so," said Hennessey. "Here's to that old crimp! May the divil soon get him!"

"Well, what happened next?"

"Sorra a thing I rimimber till I hears a voice roarin' in me ear an' a big fut lands in me ribs. 'Get up, Jack Smith!' says the voice. 'Ye've had time to shlape off yer drink.'

"'Arrah, be aisy, Biddy!' I says. Thought I was in me bed at home. 'Yer fist's gettin' powerful heavy, me girl. Get out wid yer Jack Smiths,' I grumbled without opening me eyes, 'or it's combin' yer hair wid the poker I'll be.'

"Thin a big fist landed on me nose. 'I'll tache ye to cheek yer officer,' says the voice. Be the rod av Moses, sorr, I jumps up fightin' mad, but the sight I seed tuk all the grit out av me.

"I was in the middle av a dirty little room lined wid bunks all round. It was dark an' gloomy, an' be the light av a slush lamp I saw a dozen min sittin' with the legs av thim danglin' from the bunks. A big man stood over me wid raised fist.

"'Tumble up,' he says, 'Jack Smith.'

"'An' I'd be glad to do that same,' says I. 'An' I know what it manes.' For I didn't like his looks. He was powerful big, hairy an' savage lookin'.

"'Git!' he says.

"'Now, then,' I replies, 'ye're shpakin' American.' I got. Up a ladder I stumbles, wid the man afther me hot-foot, an', belave me, whin I got to the top I nearly fainted from surprise. I rubbed me eyes an' hung on to a rope to keep from fallin'. Water, water everywhere, an' a-pitchin' an' a-tossin', gray in the distance like the clouds, an' black close by, with a spharkle av froth on the crist av each wave. The big masts rose straight above an' made me dizzy to look up, with the little round tops av thim slippin' acrost the sky; the wind whistled mournful through the riggin', an' the heave av the vessel turned me sick at me stummick.

"'Swab thim decks, Jack Smith,' says the big man. Mate he was, sorr, an' a harrd man, but I wasn't goin' to knuckle down widout a struggle.

"'Jack Smith yerself,' says I. 'Hinnissey's me name; B 41 av the San Francisco polis force; a good man, be the same token, an' no tarry sailor. Put me ashore, ye blatherin' ruffian,' I continued, 'that I may resume me public duties.'

"'Jack Smith's yer name,' says the man, 'Jack Smith av the ship Polly Ann, two days out from Frisco on a three years' whalin' cruise.' Then he smiles pleasant an' fetches me a clip betwixt the eyes av me.

"'Jack Smith let it be,' says I whin me emotion had subshided a little. 'It's incognhito I'm travelin' this v'yige, but if iver I catch ye in San Francisco I'll—

"'Ye may do that same,' says the mate, 'an' welcome, but for the prisint ye'll take yer watch, ye son av a sea cook!'

"An' Jack Smith it was for better nor a year. We sailed to the north, an' manny's the fat whales we sthruck, an' terrible the storms we weathered be the grace av God. Mountains av ice sailed past us, an' sometimes the decks was covered wid snow an' ice. But av that I'll say nothin'. Whin winter come on we laid up in a northern port. The nixt season the luck followed us ag'in, for be the summer was past we'd a full ship an' pulled for home."

"Didn't you see anything of Crossman or the other boys?" asked the reporter.

"Crossman I saw, but the divil an eye did I set on the others. A shanghaied sailor's gin'rilly shipped for a long v'yige, an' there's little doubt the squad's scattered from Japan to Jerusalem. This was the way av me seein' Crossman. Whin a day's run homeward bound we sighted a whaler, an' she signaled us to take her letters. The weather bein' fine an' the sea calm, we run right aboord of her. I was on the lookout an' sees a big tarry sailor starin' over the side.

"'Hinnissey, be my father's bones!' he hollers. 'Hinnissey!' he roars. 'Come aboord an' raport to yer supherior officer. I'm minded,' says he, 'to station ye aboord this here vessel while I makes me raport in Frisco.'

"'Sargint Crossman,' I answers, soft an' calm, dissimbling me astonishmint—'Sargint Crossman, ye may go to hades. I'm for makin' me own raport to Biddy Hinnissey. I'll give yer best rispicts,' I continues, very polite an' pleasant, 'to yer wife.'

"'Come aboord, ye villin,' he roars, 'or ye'll be tried for insubordination!'

"'I'll tell yer wife,' says I, soft an' sweet, 'as ye were lost in a bad sthorm; also that ye're spliced to an Eskimo woman. It's married she'll be afore ye arrive home.'

"'Ye wouldn't do that, Hinnissey?' he says, grinnin' like the lady wid her head in the lion's mouth. 'No, Hinnissey, me good friend, ye wouldn't do that?'

"'Faith an' I would,' says I firmly. 'An', what's more,' I says, 'I'll have the crimp killed afore ye see Frisco.'

"'Ye will not,' replied Crossman, confident.

"'I will.'

"'Nivir,' says he, grinning, an' just then a little man jumps into the riggin' an' hails me.

"'Noble captain,' he howls, 'I appale to ye for the redress av me wrongs an' a passige home. I have bin,' he whines, 'brutally shanghaied. Whin captured,' says he, 'it's plyin' me lawful thrade av imploymint agint in San Franciscy harbor I was. Even this omhadaun,' pointin' at Crossman, 'will bear me out in that.'

"'The gintleman,' says Crossman, puffin' away at his pipe, 'will belave ye.'

"'As I tolt ye,' wint on the little man, 'I delivered a cargo of drunken sailors aboord this vessel. Then, afther bein' enticed into the fo'castle on the pritince av samplin' some rale Irish, I was,' he screams, 'sandbagged an' was two days out afore I k'em to.'

"'The man what did it claimed as ye shanghaied him on a former v'yige,' says Crossman, winkin' at me.

"'He lies, noble captain!' yells the crimp. 'He lies! It's the dog's life they're leadin' me. It's kick an' cuff all over this floatin' hell from dawn to dark!'

"'Crossman!' I hails, spittin' on me hands.

"'Hinnissey!' says he.

"'Hit him wan for me! I'll tell yer wife ye're gettin' thin mournin' afther her.'"

"Did he hit him?" inquired Halliday.

"Did he!" echoed Hennessey enthusiastically. "Did he!"

And thus it was that Halliday got his second great scoop on the lost squad.

The Best Kind.

"Have you any good neighbors?"

"Yes, indeed; my neighbors are all good enough to mind their own business."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

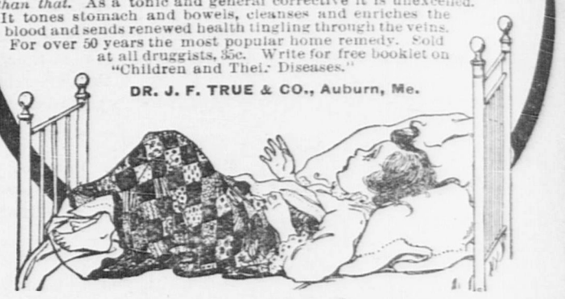
Bad Dreams

Too often seemingly trifling complaints of children are put off as things of no consequence. Every unnatural action is a symptom of disorder and deserving of careful investigation. Worms more than anything else are the cause of childhood sickness. Attacking, as they do, the stomach and bowels, the effect of their presence is felt throughout the whole system and made known by nervousness, peevishness, disturbed sleep, erratic appetite, weak stomach and general lassitude.

Dr. True's Elixir

is the surest and safest worm remedy ever compounded—*but it is more than that.* As a tonic and general corrective it is unexcelled. It tones stomach and bowels, cleanses and enriches the blood and sends renewed health tingling through the veins. For over 50 years the most popular home remedy. Sold at all druggists, 35c. Write for free booklet on "Children and Their Diseases."

DR. J. F. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Me.



REAL ESTATE.

Secure a home now, don't wait until the best part of life is gone. Get into some place now, and pay for it gradually, this would not be a hardship. An early beginning means an early ending. Consult me. I have some fine Modern Houses to be sold. Also House Lots for sale in all parts of the city.

JULIUS JOHNSON, Builder,

Office 5 Temple Street, Adams Building. Quincy, Mass

Good Rich Loam and Sods for sale.

April 25. tf

FRANK F. CRANE,
REAL ESTATE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17 tf

F. S. BUXTON,
TEACHER OF VIOLIN
WOULD like a few more pupils. Beginners preferred. Residence 62 NEW BURY AVE.
Atlantic, Dec. 21. lp-ly

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
And to increase our trade we offer for cash

Dry Hard Wood Oak or Maple,	$8.00
Dry Pine Wood,	7.00
Dry Pine Slabs,	6.00
Green Hard Wood,	7.00

Delivered in any part of Quincy.
THOMAS O'BRIEN & SONS,
Yard between Miller and West Streets.
Tel. 207-2. Residence 70 Copeland Street, WEST QUINCY.
Quincy, Jan. 6. lp-tf

PICTURES
FRAMED AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Please bring them in and see for yourself. Pictures copied from Photographs. Good Work guaranteed.
H. LITCHMAN, 303 Water street
South Quincy, Aug. 20. tf

MAIN SPRINGS
Put in while you wait. Warranted two years Your Watch thoroughly cleaned and kept in repair for one year, $1.00.
Work called for and delivered.
SANDBERG BROS.,
Faxon Block, Quincy.
Call or send Postal. Dec. 28-tf

Hotel Greenleaf
Rooms Thoroughly Renovated.
Dining Room Strictly First Class.
MRS. W. ROLLINS ABRAMS, Lessee.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

I Can Quickly Sell for Cash
Without local publicity, your Business, Real Estate or Partnership, no matter where located Send me full particulars, price, etc.
Address CHARLES E. POWELL,
19 W. Mohawk St., Buffalo, New York.
Jan. 22. 1m

LEWIS N. CURTIS,
PAINTER, GLAZIER.
LEADED STAINED GLASS.
Decorator and Paper Hanger.
OLD FURNITURE REFINISHED.
15 Orchard Place, off Spear Street, Quincy.

PAINTING
and Glazing.
WARD L. HAYWARD
28 Mechanic Street.
Quincy, Sept. 3. tf

HALL and BURGESS,
Real Estate, Mortgages, Insurance.
AUCTIONEERS and APPRAISERS.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Rents and bills collected.
Room 13, Adams Building.
Quincy, Dec. 30. 1y

Hardware Supply Co.,
1475 Hancock St., Quincy.

SKATES
Straps, Sharpeners.

BOYS' SLEDS,
GIRLS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS

LANTERNS, 50 cts.

COAL SHOVELS,
COAL SIEVES,
COAL HODS,
SAWS and
SAW HORSES.
Dec. 29. tf

JAMES F. BURKE,
REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE
MORTGAGES.
Justice of the Peace. Notary Public
Room 4, Savings Bank Building.
June 5. tf

W. A. BRADFORD,
Plumbing, Heating and Gas Fitting
Jobbing promptly attended to.
Savings Bank Bldg., City Square.
Open Monday and Saturday evenings.
Telephone 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

FRANK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
Decorator, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
Whiting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
Quincy, July 6. tf

DR. CLAYTON R. MARSTIN
DENTIST,
Opposite Post Office,
1355 Hancock St., Quincy.
OFFICE HOURS: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5
Evening 7 to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
Jan. 31. tf

HERBERT A. HAYDEN
Piano Tuner.
Office at C. F. Pettengill's, 1331 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Residence, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, Mass.
Telephone 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

Washington Street Hack, Livery and Boarding Stables.
JOHNSON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.
HENRY T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
Tel. 81-5. 80 Washington Street.
Aug. 11. 6mos.

d
ms
laints of children are
Every unnatural action
g of careful investigation.
he cause of childhood sick-
ch and bowels, the effect of
le system and made known
sleep, erratic appetite, weak
Elixir
r compounded—*but it is more*
tive it is unexcelled.
and enriches the
through the veins.
he remedy. Sold
r free booklet on
es."
Auburn, Me.

TATE.
the best part of life is gone,
gradually, this would not be
ending. Consult me. I have
o House Lots for sale in al.
N, Builder,
Quincy, Mass
Sods for sale.
tf

dware Supply Co.,
5 Hancock St., Quincy.
SKATES
ps, Sharpeners.
SLEDS,
LS' SLEDS,
SNOW SHOVELS,
SIDEWALK CLEANERS.
NTERNS, 50 cts.
L SHOVELS,
L SIEVES,
L HODS,
S and
V HORSES.
tf

MES F. BURKE,
ESTATE and INSURANCE.
MORTGAGES.
f the Peace. Notary Public.
m 4, Savings Bank Building.
tf

. A. BRADFORD,
ng, Heating and Gas Fitting.
bing promptly attended to.
Bank Bldg., City Square.
Monday and Saturday evenings.
e 111-3 Quincy, Jan. 7-tf

NK W. BAILLIE,
PAINTER,
r, Paper Hanger, Glazier, Etc
ting and Tinting a specialty.
50 Gay Street.
July 6. tf

AYTON R. MARSTIN
DENTIST,
posite Post Office,
Hancock St., Quincy.
Hours: 8.30 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5
to 8, except Wednesday and Friday.
tf

ERT A. HAYDEN
iano Tuner.
C. F. Pettengill's, 1391 Hancock
ncy.
, 78 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point,
e 35-5 Quincy. Nov. 3-tf

gton Street Hack, Livery
Boarding Stables.
SON & BROOKS,
PROPRIETORS.
T. BROWN, Manager,
QUINCY, MASS.
80 Washington Street.
6mos.

Karo
CORN SYRUP
For
Griddle Cakes
of all
Makes

MILLER'S.
Orange Sale.
Navel Oranges, 17c. doz.
New Dates, 4c. lb.
Roast Pork, 10c. lb.
Short Lamb Chop, 12 1-2c. lb.
$10.00 worth of Stamps with a pound of Tea, 60 cents.
$10.00 worth of Stamps with 2 pounds of 35c. Coffee.
V. E. MILLER,
CASH GROCER,
Opposite Post Office, Quincy, Mass

CARD.
Mrs. F. H. Hewins,
—: Formerly in the :—
Savings Bank Building, Quincy, Mass.
Would like to inform her patrons that she is now making a specialty of treating the Scalp for Dandruff and Falling Hair and all Scalp Irritations
METHOD OF THE SHCENSTROM INSTITUTE, PARIS.
Offices:
728 A, TREMONT St., BOSTON, MASS.
Quincy, Dec. 29, 1903 tf

JOHN STREIFERD & SON,
FLORISTS.
Telephone 13-7 Braintree.
Cut flowers, Bedding and foliage plant, Funeral orders. Weymouth Landing cars pass greenhouse, cor. Quincy avenue and Hayward street, East Braintree.
Orders taken by Charles C. Hearn, Pharmacist, Quincy Square. jan26-1y

W. G. CHUBBUCK,
Furniture and Piano Mover
IN AND OUT OF TOWN.
Furniture Packed and Stored - - Carpets Taken Up Cleaned and Relaid.
JOBBING.
Orders left at Page's Pool Room, or Nickerson's Candy Kitchen, Music Hall Block; or at W. T. Arnold's, Revere Road.
lp-tf Address, QUINCY, MASS.

THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.
OUR
Mark Down Sale
OF COATS
Was a great success.
The people of Quincy Realized the Values they were getting for a little money.
We shall continue the Low Prices this week and some Coats we are obliged to mark still Lower to keep a line of prices.
D. E. Wadsworth & Co.
THE SHIRT WAIST STORE.

JOB PRINTING
AT THE
PATRIOT OFFICE

PRINCE OFFENDED

Hawaiian Delegate to Congress May Throw Up His Job

HAS MANY GRIEVANCES

Objects to Having His Recommendations Referred to White Governor For Approval and to Being Called by Title "Mister"

Honolulu, Jan. 30.—Prince Kuhio, who is known as Prince Cupid, has written to friends in Honolulu that he intends to resign as delegate to congress unless he receives better treatment at Washington. Cupid charges in his letters, so his friends say, that he is not being given proper consideration at Washington and that he is not allowed a free hand in his efforts to present Hawaiian matters before congress.

The specific charge he makes is that whenever he makes a recommendation of any kind to the various departments his advice is not followed, and that his letters are invariably referred to Governor Carter at Honolulu. This not only delays matters, he says, but it also is not showing proper respect to a congressman, not mentioning the fact that the congressman is also the head of the royal family in Hawaii. Prince Cupid, it is further related, has told his friends that unless this condition of affairs is immediately remedied he will tender his resignation as delegate and return home. Prince Kuhio also charges that he is not receiving proper consideration from the president, and that the latter always suggests a recommendation from Governor Carter when any subject of legislation is broached.

He also does not like to be designated as plain "Mr. Kuhio." He believes that congressmen should pay some attention to his recommendations and attach some weight to the fact that he is not only the duly elected representative of the people of Hawaii, but also a royal prince who is naturally looked to by the natives as a father and a friend. The reference of his recommendations to a white man, and particularly Governor Carter, whom the natives do not like, is very galling to the prince, and accounts for his reported intention of quitting his job.

Every white man here recognizes the limitations of the delegate, and there is a feeling that he will not be better able to represent the territory than was the late Delegate Wilcox. For this reason the business men and planters made up a fund and agreed to pay $5000 a year for a secretary to the delegate, provided a lawyer, and a man competent to give advice was chosen. Kuhio was willing to accept the offer of salary to his secretary, but he could not agree as to the man. He refused to take anyone but a native, and the business men and planters wouldn't agree that there was any Hawaiian capable of holding the position. So there was a parting of the ways, and Cupid took along a young native, with no particular qualifications for the place.

Kuhio has written to the party managers asking that he be selected as a delegate to the Republican national convention in Chicago, and he will probably be chosen. Governor Carter will also probably be a delegate, and the other men will be chosen from the other islands of the group. Hawaii will have six delegates and they will all be for Roosevelt, according to present expectations.

Relief Ship at Aalesund

Berlin, Jan. 30.—Steamer Weimar has reached Aalesund, the town in Norway which was destroyed by fire last Sunday, and is taking her part in the relief work inaugurated by the Phoenicia. She is caring for 2500 persons. Provisions and clothing are now being sent to the refugees in neighboring villages. Representatives of insurance companies now estimate the losses at Aalesund at $5,000,000.

Ames Indictment Quashed

St. Paul, Jan. 30.—A. A. Ames, former mayor of Minneapolis, goes free. The state supreme court so ruled in reversing the judgment of the Hennepin county district court. Ames escapes serving his six-year sentence for bribery on the ground that "there is a failure of proof to sustain the offense charged." Because of its "blanket" nature the indictment was attacked.

Milwaukee Scandal Grows

Milwaukee, Jan. 30.—County Supervisor Bottenberg was arrested last evening on an indictment in which he is charged with perjury. State Senator Eaton was arrested last night on an indictment charging him with accepting a bribe of $100. Supervisors Edward Strauss and August Puls were rearrested on additional counts brought in last evening.

Good Advice From Gallows

Salem, Ore., Jan. 30.—Harry D. Egbert, who murdered John G. Saxton and John West, was hanged here. On the scaffold he said: "My friends, take me as a mark. Keep your children off the street and above all out of the saloons. Bad raising and bad company is the cause of my downfall. I have repented my sins."

Hanlon Whips Broad

San Francisco, Jan. 30.—Kid Broad and Eddie Hanlon met here last night for a 20-round contest. Hanlon won in the 14th round.

WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW

Manipulation In Prices of Staples a Discouraging Feature

New York, Jan. 30.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: Business conditions would be most satisfactory if present high prices for the leading staples were the result of wholesome demand, but the prominence of manipulation prevents any such gratifying conclusion. Aside from the lines temporarily stimulated by severe weather, trade is quiet, and evidences of increased activity with the approach of spring are awaited. Reports of the building outlook at the leading cities indicate that high cost of materials and labor have curtailed operations.

Optimistic reports are not numerous regarding the iron and steel industry. Anticipations of rapid recovery with the advent of a new year are not yet realized. That prices have declined but little further is perhaps the best that can be said of results during the past week.

Buyers of cotton goods have at last begun to exhibit anxiety regarding the situation, and they find it increasingly difficult to secure prompt deliveries, while prices are steadily appreciating. Orders are constantly rejected. Further new lines of men's wear woolens have been opened. Thus far demand has proved slow, buyers failing to take advantage of the lower level of prices, despite the fact that raw wool tends higher.

Eastern shoe manufacturers are receiving liberal fall orders, the small advance in prices proving no hindrance to business, and large supplementary contracts for spring are also reported.

Captain Parr's Tender Heart

Louisville, Jan. 30.—Captain Daniel Parr, who died here recently, has left immediately $400,000 in personality and, after the death of his last grandchild, $450,000 is realty, of his entire estate, toward the establishment and maintenance of "Parr's Rest," a refuge for old and infirm women. Parr refrained from making a will until a short time ago, when, after seeing an aged woman, poorly clad and sick, he remarked: "A refuge which would make unnecessary such suffering as that woman's would be worth half a hundred Carnegie libraries." Captain Parr was 79 years old. His legal heirs probably will contest the will.

New President Displays Wisdom

London, Jan. 30.—Advices from the republic of Liberia, west coast of Africa, say that the new president, Arthur Barclay, was successfully inaugurated at Monrovia. The keynotes of his address to the people were commercial freedom and the conciliation of the aborigine population of Liberia, to which little attention has been paid for many years. The president dwelt at great length on the advantages the Liberians derived from Europeans and white Americans. He urgently advocated closer commercial alliances and recommended granting greater facilities to all foreigners for trading and farming.

How Taft Regards Philippines

Washington, Jan. 30.—The Philippines for the Filipinos will be the keynote of the policy of Secretary Taft toward the far eastern archipelago. This doctrine does not exclude the encouragement of American enterprise or the American investment of capital in the Philippines for the reason that "nothing can make more for the elevation and civilization of the Filipino people than the investment of American capital in the material development of these islands."

Sensitive Official Kills Himself

Jamestown, N. Y., Jan. 30.—Public criticism, it is believed, caused Ira Lucas, supervisor of the town of Clymer, to commit suicide by hanging. He had been severely censured by the people of the town for failure to keep the highways open during the heavy snowstorms.

Fight on Grain Freight Rates

Topeka, Jan. 30.—Kansas is the storm centre of a freight rate war in grain, and within the next fortnight it is likely that the state will be pretty thoroughly drained of the 20,000,000 bushels of wheat which are supposed to be held by the farmers.

Pope Pius In Poor Health

Paris, Jan. 30.—A dispatch to The Rappel from Rome says the pope is suffering ill health due to physical depression and that there is talk in Jesuitical circles that a conclave will be held at an early date.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Miss Eliza de Choiseul, eldest daughter of Marquis Xavier de Choiseul, of the branch of the family distinguished in French history, died at her home at Greenville, S. C. She spent the greater portion of her life in this country.

The Twelfth infantry, now at Salt Lake City, has been designated to relieve the Twenty-Niath infantry from duty in the Philippines.

Another speed trial of the new United States protected cruiser Denver, which failed last year to reach the contract speed requirement, will be held the latter part of February over the Cape Ann course.

Bishop Colton of the Roman Catholic diocese of Buffalo announces himself as strongly opposed to the measure pending for the Sunday opening of saloons in New York city and Buffalo.

While crossing railroad tracks at Littleton, Mass., Maggie Connor, 18, was struck by a freight train. She was being removed to her home when she died.

Fire in the Luther Place Memorial church at Washington caused damage to the extent of about $25,000.

POPULARITY OF ZIBELINE.

Its Vogue Likely to Be Long Continued—Preparing For Summer.

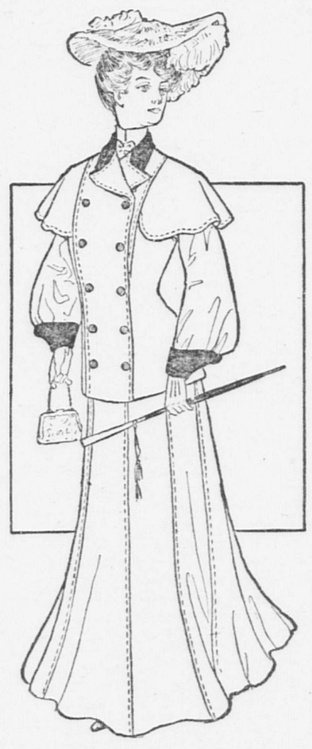
[Special Correspondence.]

New York, Jan. 19.—Zibeline is destined to go over far into spring, as it is too pretty to be given up as long as any of it remains. Not only in itself is it considered fine, but fashion has decided that this material is to remain with us awhile longer. There is now a lighter quality offered, which looks quite as hairy as the quality which we have been wearing and is well adapted for spring wear.

The dress in the illustration here given is of zibeline with a dark gray under surface and white silvery hairs on the outside. The skirt is cut in many gores, and each seam is strap stitched and slightly flared at the foot, but is otherwise untrimmed. To go with this there is a pretty waist of Scotch flannel in gray with a pink stripe, and over the waist is worn the jaunty little jacket seen in the illustration. The jacket has a short cape over the shoulders, plainly stitched, and is finished with a velvet collar and cuffs and buttons down the double breasted front, which is covered with black velvet. The back of the coat is half fitting. This style of suit would be pretty in almost any one of the new materials. Velvet can be put on anything, even on sateen, and look rich and suitable.

Some of the best stores now are getting ready for a display of the new cottons for summer, as we all know that during the dull and somber days of Lent, now not far away, the summer girl lays in her store of ammunition for the carrying on of her warfare against helpless man.

"The same old story, nothing new," we might say, for really there is but little chance for any great variety in the way of washable cottons for warm days. Still we can see a more painstaking care in the designing of them, and the colors are very delicate and desirable. The floral patterns are almost little works of art, consisting of dainty arrangements of bouquets of small blossoms, mostly field flowers, and foliage. I noticed in one design several distinct weeds, such as grow by all roadsides, and they were highly artistic and natural. The ground was a dusty white, and all the leaves were green, but in different shades. There were tansy, clover, burdock, grass and several other leaves quite familiar, but whose names I do not know. Other designs showed climbing vines, with sparse flowers, among them being honeysuckle, with its delicate blossoms. Trumpet vine made another striking pattern in natural colors on a soft gray ground. There were also some quite distinctly pompadour patterns, with the regulation stripes and blossoms between. There were some broken figures reminding one of snow crystals, but in black on some delicate ground. The batistes and organdies, of which there were many, generally had the most elegant designs in floral patterns, but narrow stripes prevail in most of the summer goods. Dazzle stripes were seen often, but it is thought they will be more used for waists than full dresses.



ZIBELINE STREET SUIT.

White will not be so fashionable, it is thought, as it has been for a long time, but, on the other hand, all the grass and other linens will have a great vogue. When these are made up, they will be trimmed with bands of castle braid in an applique embroidery of colors in straight bands. This is made washable on purpose and, with possibly a little lace, will be beautiful trimming for those dresses. Flounces are provided for in many cases by borders of machine embroidery. Flounces will be a feature in all summer as well as many spring gowns.

I saw in one place a great assortment of white embroideries in batiste intended for flouncings to summer dresses. It is very fine and pretty, but almost all of it has a beaded edge so that narrow ribbon could be run in. Bandings, headings and insertings are all shown in batiste so exquisite that it would adorn the finest of lawns. It may be put on so that narrow ribbon can be run in along the beaded holes and tied in many dainty little bunches wherever it will look pretty.

OLIVE HARPER.

A QUESTION OF COLOR.

The Matter of Height Didn't Seem to Figure In the Scheme.

The young man considers himself a man of resources, although he is not as sure about it now as he was a few days ago. He has been very attentive to a certain young lady, and he was calling on her at the time that he partially lost confidence in his resourceful mind.

It is unnecessary to narrate what passed between them upon the occasion in question, but at the time the young lady's sister entered the room he was in the act of folding the young lady to his manly bosom.

Of course he desisted at once, as young men generally do under such circumstances, but he was not embarrassed—not a bit.

The young lady's sister said, "Excuse me," and started to leave the room, when his resourceful mind began to work. He felt that he ought to say something and say it right away.

"Don't go," he said; "we've just been measuring to see which one is the taller."

She paused in the doorway and looked at them intently.

"You're both about the same height," she said quietly, "but sister is much the redder."

Then she went out, and he was embarrassed—just a little.—New York Times.

SLEEPY WASHINGTON.

The Home Bound After Theater Crowd In the Capital.

"There is one peculiarity of Washington I have noticed," said a traveling man at an uptown hotel, "and that is the absence of after theater crowds on the streets and in the cafes. In many big cities the hours from 11 to 12:30 o'clock are among the gayest of the day, the streets are thronged with people hurrying to the cafes for a bite and a sup and emerging afterward to stroll slowly home or to the cars.

"These midnight cafe crowds are jolly folks. They seem to be less restrained than at other hours of the day, when bent upon the same mission of eating. Perhaps it is the music and the lights and the Bohemian atmosphere suggested by the midnight hour. I will not deny that it is in a measure demoralizing. I am sure I would not want my two sisters of eighteen and twenty years to be in the crowd.

"I notice in Washington that as soon as the theaters 'let out' the people make a break for home. They are anxious to get the first car that comes along and won't wait a moment, but would rather hang to a strap.

"Washington is a frightfully dull place at night. I hate to get hung up here overnight. But I suppose it's a good thing for the young folks that the town is a little slow."—Washington Star.

WHISTLING JUGS.

Curious Relics of a Very Ancient Drinking Custom.

Whistling jugs are curious relics of a very ancient drinking custom. All the northern nations set great stress upon a man's power to take off his liquor without putting down the glass or beaker, and in Saxon graves old ale buckets have been found made without foot or stand, so that the drinker could not rest them upon the board until they were emptied.

But even after that was accomplished the hardy drinker was expected still to have breath to spare, and the whistling jugs, a comparatively modern invention, were intended to indicate this. Many of them were made by German silversmiths—though they are also to be seen in earthenware—during the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries, and their form was such that when the contents of the jug had been imbibed a whistle was uncovered through which the drinker might blow if he were able.

The most advanced type of all had a little windmill besides the whistle, which worked a dial showing the power of the blow. Sometimes an ordinary whistle was laid on the table and won by the last tosspot who could get a sound from it.—Pearson's.

Rejected With Scorn.

A certain social organization called the Young Woman's club found itself in difficulties after the lapse of some twenty years. The "young" women were no longer rightly named. Mr. William H. Crane, the actor, was once consulted by some charming girls in regard to the name of their prospective club. Their object, they wrote, was the building of character. They wished that to be suggested in the title and also the fact that they were unmarried. Mr. Crane replied that he had a name for the club, "the Building and Lone association."

The Matinee Girl.

The matinee girl existed as early as the eighteenth century. In Japan girls in those days used to throw their fans and purses at the feet of the "leading man" as he minced along "the flower walk" to the stage. Pictures of these "heroes" were an early product of Japanese wood engraving, and these portraits were secret treasures of many maidens.

The Will Was There.

He—So your husband has given up smoking? It requires a pretty strong will to accomplish that. She—Well, I'd have you understand that I have a strong will!—New Yorker.

Unnecessary Fear.

The Lawyer—I'm afraid I'm going blind. The Friend—Never mind, old man. So long as you retain your sense of touch you'll be all right.—Judge.

Worry, whatever its source, weakens, takes away courage and shortens life.

HARD TO UNDERSTAND.

The Cabman's Vocabulary Was Puzzling to the Stranger.

He was a scholarly looking Englishman, with the abstracted appearance of a student about him, and he wanted to take a ride to a suburban locality and back. "What will be your charge?" he asked the cabman.

"Two plunks," replied cabby.

"Two what?"

"Plunks—bones—cases. Ain't you on?"

"On?" echoed the other in bewilderment. "Not until I know how much it is to cost me for the trip. That is what I am asking you."

"That's what I'm tellin' you. Two daddies. See?"

"I beg pardon. That is equally mystifying. Either I have failed to make you understand me or I am singularly deficient in apprehending the vocabulary of commerce. May I ask you to make one more effort to tell me what my fare will be for the proposed trip?"

"Told you five or six times. Two bucks; two cart wheels."

A light seemed to dawn upon the befogged mind of the scholarly person.

"Could you," he said, "by any possibility mean $2?"

"Sure. That's what I've been tellin' you all along, but you don't seem to understand English."

A few moments later one might have seen a cab making its way toward the suburbs. On the driver's seat was a brisk looking personage with his "plug" hat tilted back on his head, and on the inside was a passenger who was industriously jotting down something in his notebook.—Youth's Companion.

A DEN OF DISORDER.

The Press Gallery of the French Chamber of Deputies.

The press gallery of the French chamber of deputies seems to enjoy special privileges. The reporters behave as they please—that is to say, very badly. They shout, laugh, interrupt the orators or discuss among themselves the topics treated on the floor. As their voices are drowned by the noise made by the house and their manifestations are not easily located, the president and his deputies affect to ignore them and very often let pass many boyish pranks in which that young and somewhat uneducated body is wont to indulge. When they are wearied by a speech they cry out "Cloture!" as the deputies do to shut off a speaker. They greet speakers whom they dislike with groans or laughter. They make at the top of their voices all sorts of disrespectful remarks about the lawmakers down below. There was one reporter in the press gallery of the senate who, as he entered, used to cry out the famous phrase of a speaker of the revolution, "President d'assassins, je demande la parole!" As a rule, however, the deputies by themselves are a spectacle interesting enough, and the noise they make is distracting enough to monopolize the whole attention of the galleries as well as of the speaker; consequently the din of the press gallery passes unheeded until once in awhile a journalist goes too far and has to be called to order or expelled.—Century.

Sugar of Milk.

Sugar of milk, which is made from whey, in itself has no medicinal qualities. Aside from its uses as a food for the young, it is known to the medical profession principally as a vehicle. Homeopathic physicians naturally use it more than the allopaths, but both allopaths and homeopaths nowadays are giving medicine in tablet form to a great extent, and the tablets are in most cases made palatable by sugar of milk.

Sugar of milk also forms the bulk of triturations, more commonly known to patients as powders. Only a small per cent of the average powder is medicine. By means of mixing sugar of milk the taking of moderate doses of powerful drugs is made possible. In the globule or pill form this is also true.

A Dig at the Satirists.

The instinct of mankind against satire is really a very sound instinct. Satire is always dishonest, for it is always the expression of hatred for a thing hopelessly coveted. Who satirizes humanity? None but he who, not having the common human advantages, is obsessed with admiration of them. Who satirizes plutocracy? The pauper, who is warmed by the notion of wealth. Who satirizes aristocracy? The man who wishes he had been born an aristocrat. Thackeray wished that, and the Marquis of Farintosh was one of the natural outcomes of his wish.—Max Beerbohm in Saturday Review.

How to Advertise.

The householder in glancing through his morning paper has his attention caught by the more attractive advertisements. Advertising is an essential factor in modern business methods, and to advertise wisely the business man must understand the workings of the minds of his customers and must know how to influence them effectively—he must know how to apply psychology to advertising.—Atlantic.

Instructions to the Cook.

"How long shall I boil the eggs, ma'am?" asked the cook.

"I don't exactly know," replied the young housewife, "but cook them until they are real tender."—Chicago Post.

Nice, but Limited.

Frugal Aunt—Well, Tommy, haven't you anything to say after eating a nice dinner like that? Tommy—Yes'm; I hain't had half enough.—Chicago Tribune.

The New Moon.

Dinah—How beautiful am de new moon tonight? Mose—Yes. It looks des' like a slice ob watermillion.—San Francisco Bulletin.

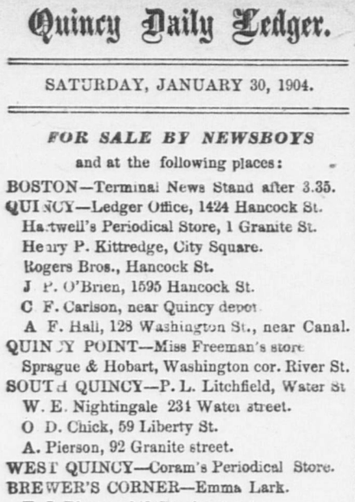
Quincy Daily Ledger.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 30, 1904.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C F. Carlson, near Quincy depot
A F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
A. Pierson, 92 Granite street.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
F. J. Pierson, 149 Granite street.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

The Cynic.



Maud—I didn't see you at your friend Mr. Smith's wedding.

Frank—No; I don't believe in gloating over my friends' misfortunes.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	41	24	18	28	30
Monday,	25	16	18	34	32
Tuesday,	29	10	28	33	33
Wednesday,	31	26	38	25	31
Thursday,	26	34	46	41	16
Friday,	26	35	40	41	20
Saturday,	30	35	44	30	11

New Advertisements Today.

Probate Notice.
State House Hearings.
Found—Small Parcel.
L. M. Pratt & Son—Canned Goods.
C. F. Derby—Bankrupt Sale.
For Sale—Plymouth Rock Cockrells.
Wanted—Boy.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

A granite firm wants a yard foreman.

Bowlders of ice on Quincy avenue make travelling rather unsafe.

Rev. E. C. Butler presided at the meeting of the Ministerial Union held in Boston on Monday.

By request of George W. Penniman the date of his lecture at the Quincy Point church will be on Thursday evening, Feb. 11, instead of Feb. 10.

A competitive examination will be held under the direction of Congressman McNary in February, for two candidates for the Naval Academy at Annapolis from this district.

The funeral of Mrs. Robert C. Cummings of Quincy Neck took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late residence at No. 126 East Howard street. She was in her 84th year and a highly respected long resident of the neighborhood. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. George B. Sargent and Mrs. Charles Hayden.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate sales in Quincy:

Thomas Swithin et al trs. to Ellen Brennan.
Harlow H. Rogers to N. Marion Littlefield (3)
William E. Harmon tr. to Alex A. F. New.
Gertrude Fratus to Bernhard E. Reske.
Charles C. Barton et al trs. to Wilton A. Dunham.

☞Tickets at $1 each for Mrs. Stetson's Hurdy-Gurdy party at Faxon hall, on Feb. 5, may be obtained of Miss Prescott, Ledger office.

—The great dome of the Festival Hall at the World's Fair is practically finished. The dome is larger than St. Peter's at Rome or St. Paul's at London. It if the largest dome ever constructed on a building.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—I have a few Fancy Plymouth Rock Cockerels and Pullets. Pure bloods. F. A. YEATON, 44 Pearl street, Quincy, Mass. Jan. 30. 2t

PUNG FOR SALE—A Custom-made pung built for the Grocery and Provision business; double runner; in good condition.
GEORGE H. WILSON
Quincy, Jan. 12. tf

STUPIDITY OF SHEEP.

The Way These Exasperatingly Foolish Animals Court Death.

A sheep herder gives some of his experience in handling sheep on the western ranges in the following:

We have to watch them every minute, and if vigilance is relaxed for an instant the entire flock is likely to commit suicide. In handling most animals some degree of self help or intelligence can be relied on to aid the owner in saving their lives, but sheep seem to set deliberately to work to kill themselves.

If caught in a storm on the plains, they will drift before the wind and die of cold and exposure rather than move 100 yards to windward to obtain shelter in their corral. To drive sheep against the wind is absolutely impossible. I once lost over 1,000 head because I could not drive them to a corral 200 feet away.

In the corral they are still more foolish. If a storm comes up, they all move "down wind" until stopped by the fence. Then commences the proceeding so much dreaded by sheepmen, known as "piling." The sheep will climb over one another's backs until they are heaped up ten feet high. Of course all those on the bottom are smothered. Not one has sense enough to seek shelter under the lee of the fence, as a horse or dog would do.

Again, if a sheep gets into quicksand its fate teaches nothing to those that come immediately after, but the whole flock will follow the leader to destruction. No more exasperatingly stupid animal than a sheep walks.

A RABBIT CAT.

The Manx Tailless Feline Was Once a Seacoast Freak.

It seems probable that the tailless Manx cats originally came from Cornwall. They managed to survive longer as a distinct breed in the Isle of Man than in Cornwall, the predominance of the common tailed cat being of course aided in the latter district by the fact that, although remote, it is part of the mainland of England, whereas new cats could be carried to the Isle of Man only by sea. The Manx cat which first attracted modern attention was a very different animal from the variously colored specimens which now take prizes at cat shows. It was always of the color of a hare and had fur like a hare.

Like a hare, too, it always moved its hind legs together. Its chief food was crabs caught on the beach, and when transported inland from the seacoasts it very seldom, if ever, survived long. No cat of this kind has been seen for many years in the Isle of Man, though there are plenty of tailless cats, its crossed descendants, to be purchased there. Wherever it originally came from, the Cornish or Manx cat was more nearly a separate species than any kind of show cat now existing. It was a seacoast animal, with fur, color, absence of tail and method of locomotion obviously adapted by the inheritance of ages to its habit of catching crabs and other small life behind the ebbing tide.

To Avoid a Tie Vote.

In the history of our comic literature there have been many genuine "Irish bulls" recorded, but rarely one that is of a neater brand than that encountered at a political gathering on Locust street above Broad, in Philadelphia, says the Record of that city. A convention of delegates had been called to revise the rules of the party, and in order to expedite matters a delegate moved that a committee of fifteen be appointed to draft the proposed rules. Before this was adopted another delegate suggested that a committee of fifteen would be unwieldy and proposed an amendment reducing the number to eight. This was agreed to, but before its adoption an aged delegate, with a rich Milesian brogue, arose and solemnly proposed, "Misther Chairman, I move yer that the committee be incr'ased to noine, so that in case of a toie vote there'll be a majarity of wan."

Not Without Distinction.

A note of family pride was struck in the conversation between three small Reading boys the other day. The parts played by their respective grandfathers in the civil war were being depicted by two of the boys in vivid colors. The career of each, it seemed, had been halted by confinement in southern prisons, and it was on the latter fact that the lads laid particular stress. The third youth, unable to match these recitals with any military achievement of his own forefathers, preserved an envious silence for awhile and then, not to be outdone, said disparagingly:

"Why, that's not so much. My Uncle Bill was in jail a long time, and he was never in the army at all!"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Four Kinds of Liars.

The late Sir Frederick Bramwell was famous both as a witness and arbitrator in engineering disputes. It is recalled that his brother, the late Lord Justice Bramwell, on giving advice to a young barrister told him to be careful of four kinds of witnesses—first, of the liar; second, of the liar who could only be adequately described by the aid of a powerful adjective; third, of the expert witness, and, finally, of "my brother Fred."

The Surgeon's Charges.

"I hear you're dissatisfied with your doctor's bill."

"Yes. I don't think he's entitled to $250 for that operation."

"Why not?"

"Because if he was he'd claim more."—Philadelphia Ledger.

People grow old by thinking themselves old. As surely as they think this it will come true, for thought is creative.

New Force Main.

The Metropolitan Sewer Commissioners will commence work early in the spring laying a twenty-four inch force main from the pumping station at Merrymount Park, to the new high level sewer which runs through Quincy.

The force mains will run in nearly direct line and will connect with the main sewer at the corner of Valley and Greenleaf streets. The pipe for this main will arrive next week.

The Quincy end of the new high level sewer is nearly completed and as soon as it is, Quincy sewage, which is now pumped to Moon Island, will be pumped into it. This will be sometime the coming summer.

Thayer Academy Notes.

Wallace B. Carr of the last graduating class is studying at the University of Arkansas.

Dr. Gallagher is to address the Daughters of the Revolution, Monday afternoon, Feb. 1, at the residence of Mrs. Elisha Thayer.

Prof. Sewall, former head master, writes from Port Erin in the Isle of Man that he expects to be home in April.

Dr Gallagher has been appointed to represent the New England colleges and preparatory schools on the college entrance examination board, which covers the New England and the middle states.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Emma Peterson, for keeping a liquor nuisance at Quincy, was called. She was found not guilty and discharged.

Emma Peterson was arraigned for the illegal sale of liquor to Wm. M. Smith at Quincy. Case continued until next Saturday.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE

A revival of the famous old comedy, "Wild Oats," will make the Castle Square Theatre attraction next week and prove, without doubt, that the play-patrons of today have an interest in the standards of the stage of former days. This play, written by John O'Keffee, is said to have had its first production at Covent Garden Theatre, London, in 1794 and for nearly a century held prominence in the repertoire of the greatest artists of both England and America, "Wild Oats" was always popular with Boston audiences and its performances were given at the old Tremont Theatre, Federal Street, the National Theatre, Howard Athenaeum and Museum, the last presentation being during Mr. Charles Wyndham's engagement at the Tremont Theatre in 1889. The characters will be cast as follows: Sir George Thunder, John F. Webber; Rover, Howell Hansel; Harry Thunder, Thomas MacLarnie; Banks, William J. Hasson; John Dory, John Sainpolis; Ephraim Smith, John T. Craven; Sim, Mortimer Weldon; Farmer Gammon, Edward Wade; Lamp, Lindsay Morison; Lady Amaranth, Lilian Lawrence; Amelia, Gertrude Berkeley; Jane, Mary Sanders. "Wild Oats" will be played only one week and the usual distribution of boxes of choice chocolate bonbons will be made at the Monday matinee.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

"Shipmates," a little one-act play that deals with an incident in the life of two old New Bedford Fishermen, is to be given its first New England presentation at Keith's Boston theatre the week of Feb. 1, the principal player being Edmund Day, the well known and popular author of vaudeville sketches. In the other house on the Keith circuit the piece has already scored a big hit. Other entertainers scheduled to appear in the same bill are Sadie Cushman, Herbert Holecombe and Sam Curtis, in one of their clever burlesque schoolroom scenes; Harry LeCalir, one of the most accomplished burlesque female impersonators in the varieties; Mlle. Ballerini, a beautiful and clever trapeze performer; Armagh O'Donahey, Irish baritone singer of wide repute, who is known as "the legitimate successos of Scanlon;" LaVeen and Cross, comedy acrobats, who will be making their Boston debut, and the World trio, in novelty costume changes and dancing. The juvenile patrons have been remembered with a dog act, as usual, and the sensational "Kit Carson" film will be retained in the biograph.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

February Magazines.

Alma Martin Estabrook's novel in the February number of Lippincott's Magazine more than confirms the belief in her ability to write a good long story. Short fiction from her pen has appeared in many magazines and won much deserved commendation. "Cousin Patricia," her present novel, is a tale of modern life. It entertains, preeminently, from beginning to end. People are interested in the Dagoes to be seen in our streets hard at work. Maud Howe writes a paper about them under the attractive title, "From Italy to Pittsburg." The verse of the month as well as the "Walnuts and Wine" are quite up to the usual high standard.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

A SERMON FOR GIRLS.

Be Very Careful In Your Selection of Masculine Companions.

No better advice was ever bestowed upon a girl than that given by a worldly wise matron to her daughter on the subject of male acquaintances. "My dear," she said, "you cannot be too careful in your choice of companions of the opposite sex. Men are not always what they seem to be, and it is necessary for your happiness that you should make a close study of any man who seeks your friendship and society. Of course all men have their petty faults, which are not so very important. What you have to find out are their great failings, which have so much influence upon the happiness and success of life.

"Recognize no man to whom you have not been properly introduced by a mutual friend who will give you some information about him. A casual acquaintance may prove a true gentleman, but the chances are that he will not. You know nothing about him, and consequently the risk is very great. Many a girl has had cause to rue the day that she encouraged the advances of a man she met by chance at the seaside, for instance, or at some place of amusement.

"When you have become acquainted with a man in the proper manner, which, although orthodox, is the only safe way in which to form an acquaintance, then you can set to work to study the principles of his character and decide for yourself whether he is worthy of your friendship or not."—Boston Herald.

HOT WATER BAGS.

How to Care For These Indispensable Household Treasures.

Do not expect a cheap rubber bag to last long. Start right by purchasing a first class bag of the required capacity and then take care of it each time after use. Never pour boiling water directly into the bag, for it will soften the rubber and cause it to soon break at the seams. Fill with quite hot water and refill as often as necessary to retain the desired temperature. Another point to remember is to fill the bag but about two-thirds full. In this way it is kept soft and of convenient shape to slip about the body. When not in use, the bag should be emptied and hung up, mouth downward, to drain. To prevent the sides of the bag from sticking together from lack of air insert a small, perfectly smooth stick to hold the folds apart. If this is not convenient, then just before the bag is to be used pour in a little hot water and shake it around vigorously. This will loosen the folds, and it may then be filled. Never under any circumstances fold a rubber bag before putting it away. Tie the stopper to the handle of the bag so it will be there when wanted. A good plan to make the water bag more attractive and also to retain the heat is to make a flannel case into which the bag may be slipped. The small bags which are used to allay pain about the head may be incased in a bag of silk, or a clever needlewoman could crochet one of wash silks.

TOILET TIPS.

Salicylic acid and lard or vaseline, equal parts, make a good blackhead cream.

To thicken the eyebrows and eyelashes apply vaseline or lanolin in which a small quantity of quinine has been mixed.

Mix together equal parts of powdered chalk and charcoal and add a small quantity of castile soap. This powder keeps the teeth beautifully white.

A good face wash to brighten the skin is tepid water with a little witch hazel and a pinch of powdered borax. Use this wash once or twice a week. After using rub on a little cold cream.

Wash For Oily Hair.—Take an ounce of borax, half an ounce of camphor; powder very fine; dissolve in a quart of boiling water; use when cool two or three times a month or oftener, according to effects.

The Bedroom Window.

Bedrooms want air, air, air! Half an inch, an inch, of open space on the top of a window somewhere must be allowed. It must be open all night. That must become a habit never to be relinquished. It is one that goes along with a clean skin and as clean clothing as circumstances permit. An open window does not mean draft, which should be avoided. It can always be avoided when the fresh air comes from one side only. When the window is too near the bed or beds let the immediate draft be provided against by a screen or when there is no screen by a blanket or a sheet so fastened that it renders the same service.

The Nails.

Never clean the nails with a sharp pointed implement. If the brush fails in its office, scratch them over a cake of soap and then rub the finger tips in the palm of the hand or a Turkish washcloth. This is effectual for anything but stains, which require lemon juice. A little polishing powder may be used once a week, and a light rubbing with the chamois polisher every day gives the finishing touch to the manicuring. Too much polishing is to be avoided, also the use of deeply tinted powders, for the artificial appearance thus produced is vulgar and detrimental.

Italian Silk Blankets.

One or two ballagias, or Italian silk blankets, are good investments in a household. They are inexpensive and often very pretty in color and design. They are used for couch covers and are decidedly convenient for extra bed coverings on cold nights. Light as these blankets are they are remarkably warm and are said to be especially comfortable for persons subject to rheumatic attacks.

Whiskey and Beer Habit

PERMANENTLY CURED BY

"ORRINE,"

A SAFE, SURE AND HARMLESS SPECIFIC

Physicians pronounce drunkenness a disease of the nervous system, creating a morbid craving for a stimulant. Continued indulgence in whiskey, beer or wine eats away the stomach lining and stupefies the digestive organs, thus destroying the digestion and ruining the health. No "will power" can heal the inflamed stomach membranes.

"ORRINE" permanently removes the craving for liquor by acting directly on the affected nerves, restoring the stomach and digestive organs to normal conditions, improving the appetite and restoring the health. No sanitarium treatment necessary; "ORRINE" can be taken at your own home without publicity. Can be given secretly if desired.

CURE GUARANTEED OR MONEY REFUNDED.

Mrs. E. Wycliff, New York City, writes: "'ORRINE' cured my husband, who was a steady drunkard for many years. He now has no desire for stimulants, his health is good and he is fully restored to manhood. He used only five boxes of 'ORRINE.'"

Mrs. W. L. D., Helena, Mont., writes: "I have waited one year before writing you of the permanent cure of my son. He took sanitarium treatment, as well as other advertised cures, but they all failed until we gave him 'ORRINE.' He is now fully restored to health and has no desire for drink."

Mr. A. E. L., Atlanta, Ga., writes: "I was born with a love of whiskey and drank it for thirty-two years. It finally brought me to the gutter, homeless and friendless. I was powerless to resist the craving and would steal and lie to get whiskey. Four boxes of 'ORRINE' cured me of all desire and I now hate the smell of liquor."

Price $1 per box. Mailed in plain, sealed wrapper by Orrine Company, 817 14th St., Washington, D. C. Interesting book—Treatise on Drunkenness, (sealed) free on request.

Sold and recommended by

EDWARD J. MURPHY, Druggist
1657 Hancock St, Quincy, Mass.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

SEPTUAGESIMA SUNDAY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Service of divine worship at 2.30 P. M. Sermon by Rev. E. F. Eaton of Medford. Sunday School at 3.45 P. M.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street,—Rev. William Alva Brady, pastor. Residence 25 Pleasant street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M. Preaching and baptism at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Fort Square—Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor. Service at 10.30 A. M., preaching by pastor. Subject: "Dangers following a revival." Men's Bible class and Sabbath School at 11.45. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6 P. M. will be led by Miss Harper. Address to converts by the pastor at 7 o'clock followed by the organization of a Bible training class conducted by the pastor with monthly lectures by noted Bible instructors. This class is free to all.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward Abbott Chase, minister. Morning worship with sermon at 10.45. Preaching by the minister. Subject: "The Self Realization of Jesus as the World's Savior." Sunday School service at 12.15. The Senior Endeavor society Consecration meeting at 6.30. Present day problems and Christian missions No. 4,—India, illustrated by seventy-five stereopticon views at 7.30 o'clock.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Gladness of the World." Soloist, Miss Adams. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Speaking and singing by Volunteers of America. You are cordially invited.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue.—Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Spirit." Golden Text: "My spirit that is upon thee and my words which I have put in thy mouth, shall not depart out of thy mouth, nor out of the mouth of thy seed, nor out of the mouth of thy seed's seed, saith the Lord, from henceforth and forever." Isaiah, 59:21. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings. All are welcome.

☞ Main Spring while you wait. Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

REAL ESTATE BARGAIN.

FOR SALE—Modern House of 10 rooms, bath and furnace, 5 minutes' from the central railroad station, good neighborhood, mortgaged for $2,400.00. Will be sold for $3,700.00 if taken within 30 days from Jan. 25th. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Jan. 28. tf

TO LET.

Excellent Offices in the new Hancock Building, City Square. A good opportunity for lawyers.

Hall and Ante-Rooms in the Greenleaf Block. These are all furnished and heated, and will be let permanently with the privilege of sub-letting, or for several nights each month.

Furnished Lodging Rooms in the Durgin-Merrill Block. Most convenient.

Two Offices in the Durgin-Merrill Block, only one flight up, and right at the head of the stairs. These will be let separately or together. A good chance for a dentist.

A Store in Music Hall Block.

Part of a Store. Price very reasonable.

A Tenement—recently papered—four good rooms, besides ample closets, etc.—city water—on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

An Office in Hancock Chambers—up one flight and at the head of the stairs.

Unfurnished Lodging Rooms New and convenient.

Factory or Shop on Granite street, in the rear of Hotel Greenleaf.

Foundry or Shop—just put in good repair.

A Shop on the ground floor, in the rear of Music Hall Block.

Quincy Real Estate Trust
Music Hall Block, QUINCY.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - 50 cents
" " one week, - - 75 cents

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

FOUND.

FOUND—On Pleasant street, a small parcel which the owner can have by proving property and paying charges. Apply to GEORGE GUSTON, at Quincy Co-operative Store. Jan. 30-1t

WANTED.

WANTED—Smart, Honest Boy to learn a good trade. Must be quick and willing and furnish references. Address W., Ledger Office. Jan. 30-3t

WANTED—A Yard Foreman to take charge of from 30 to 50 cutters in Quincy. State experience and wages desired. Address S., Ledger Office. Jan. 29-3t

WANTED—A Young Lady with experience as bookkeeper desires position. References if required. Address "M.," care Daily Ledger. Jan. 29-6t

WANTED—Experienced Stitchers, power machines, steady work. Apply to MRS. WILBUR, 1471 Hancock street, Quincy. Jan. 13. tf

TO LET

TO LET—Nearly new modern house of six Rooms and Bath. Modern Improvements on Newcomb Place. Rent $20 per month. Apply to H. E. HARDWICK, 104 Revere Road. Jan. 30, 6t

TO LET—Upper Tenement, 6 rooms, all improvements, at 22 Blake street. Rent $15 per month. Apply to F. M. TORREY, Agent, 22 Blake street, Wollaston. Dec. 30.

TO LET—House of 9 rooms and basement, 12 Mill street. Stable, 3 stalls, large lot, water, 198 Washington street. Apply C. W. GAREY, M. D., 1247 Hancock street. Quincy, Jan. 30. tf

TO LET—Two Furnished Rooms, with or without board. one minute from Square. 16 Faxon avenue. Quincy, Jan. 29. 6t

TO LET—Apartment, 18 Charles street, off River street, Fore River district, five rooms, bath, furnace, hot water, set tubs. Quincy, Jan. 27. 6t

TO RENT—Quincy House, Washington street, adjoining Public Library. Rent low to right party. Apply to H. T. WHITMAN, 21 Adams Building. Quincy, Jan. 26. 12t

TO LET—Tenement of 6 rooms, bath, and furnace on South street. Apply to JULIUS JOHNSON, 5 Temple street. Quincy, Jan. 25. tf

TO LET—Unfurnished Rooms suitable for two ladies or man and wife. Enquire 48 Washington street, library side. Quincy, Jan. 25. 6t

TO LET—A Five Room Cottage on Willard Street. Apply at 53 Newcomb street. Quincy, Jan. 25. tf

TO LET—Nice tenement containing five rooms and bath, furnace heat, situate No. 837 Hancock street, Quincy. Apply to JAMES F. BURKE, Real Estate Agent, Savings Bank Building, Room 4. Dec. 31-tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—Two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 26 School street. Quincy, Nov. 23. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 3-tf

TO LET.

House of 8 rooms and bath, No. 240 Goffe St. Furnace, gas, sewer connections, in complete repair and one of the most convenient (yet retired) locations in city. Only small families, with prospects of extended occupancy, need apply. A permanent occupant for one room is obtainable.

R. D. CHASE,
Savings Bank Building.
Quincy, Jan. 12 eod 16 P tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

ELEGANT MODERN HOUSE, 9 rooms and bath, furnace, gas, 3 minutes of Central Railroad Station. Rent, $475.00 per year. Will be leased for one or two years. References required. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24-tf

SEASON of 1904.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass. Dec. 24. tf